

Business

Briefing Update | Winter 2020

The idea behind the Business Briefing was to create an informal environment in which directors and senior management could come and hear about different aspects of corporate finance and the process behind putting a deal together, funding it, and then executing on the transaction.

The Business Briefing is put together by Castle Square Corporate Finance – a leading corporate finance boutique, Freeths LLP – a top 50 UK law firm, and Kevin Parkin – a serial entrepreneur, in order to provide a comprehensive perspective around all the challenges that can present themselves when doing deals. In 2020 we will also be hearing from guest speakers, in order that our audience can share the benefit of their experience.

Each Business Briefing also gives attendees the opportunities to ask questions, either as part of the forum discussion, or informally over coffee and lunch, about transactions that they may be contemplating, or any of the other issues that can arise when looking to undertake any form of deal.

We very much look forward to welcoming you at our next event.

Our Next Briefing

Date | Wednesday 5th February 2020

Time | 11am arrival, 11.30am start, followed by lunch

Venue | Freeths LLP, 3 St Paul's Place, 129 Norfolk Street, Sheffield, S1 2JE

Key Topic | Dispelling the Myths of Private Equity

RSVP | maria.howarth@castlesquarecf.co.uk

Guest speaker | Wayne Thomas

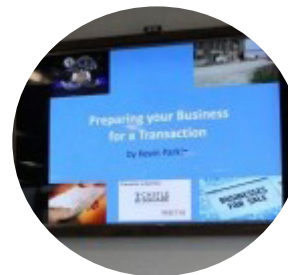


Wayne joined the Group in 2006 and is the Fund Principal of the EV Growth Funds Team where he is responsible for originating and investing into high-growth SMEs across the UK. He also manages a portfolio of companies from the EV Growth Funds spanning sectors from manufacturing to online retail.

"Back in May, I accepted an invite from Kevin Parkin for a session on the current finance landscape. It was great timing as we were looking for fundraising for a Shareholder buyout and Brand Acquisition. Quite honestly, I had little expectation other than to learn from the people speaking and leading who I knew had some incredible track records. I am pleased to say that following the event, we have gone on to successfully raise the required funds and gained some fantastic partners along the way in Castle Square Corporate Finance, Freeths and HSBC. With an ever changing landscape of finance and challenges, I can safely say that I will continue to attend and learn from those who have been there, done it and critically take time to offer real value."

Lewis Bowen | *Managing Director AIR & Babco UK*

photos from the last event



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