

Another success for Bronwyn

Top team and great clients

BRINGING out the best in Central Queensland's businesses through the World Wide Web is FMStudios owner and founder Bronwyn Fenech's forte.

If you haven't had the chance to be graced by her vibrant personality, then perhaps you may have seen her from across the room – her trademark flaming-red hair makes her an easy find.

Having taken out the 2009 RockSure/The Morning Bulletin Best in Business Award in the category of Professional Services, the team at FMStudios felt very honoured to be voted the best by their clients.

"Without our clients we wouldn't exist," she said.

"In that exact room where the awards were held; we won

Central Queensland New Business of the year back in 2002, it was very exciting to see that we won an award seven years later ... and as the statistics show that if a new business can last seven years you must be on the right track and off course offering the best service and work."

FMStudios (aka Fenech Multimedia Studios) prides themselves as a boutique website design and graphic design studio helping clients on a local, state and national level.

"Apart from the loud and red persona of yours truly (Bronwyn laughed), our edge is the team's focus to outdo ourselves time and time again," she said.

"You are only as good as your last website or logo de-

sign; we are constantly trying to push the boundaries with offering our clients something unique that gives them the leading edge!

"Our work ethic has to be supported by excellent service; we strive to be the best in what we do in all facets of the business!"

She said she would like to thank every one who voted and supported her business.

"It was exciting to see that 22 of our clients were nominated, and four of our clients won awards," she said.

"When I received a phone call telling me that we had been nominated I was very proud. I would like to thank my team for all their hard work and dedication to every job no matter how big or small – you guys ROCK."



FM FANTASTIC: RockSure Insurance Broking Services account executive Nadine Newton presents Bronwyn Fenech of FM Studios with their award at the 2009 Best In Business awards night.

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Pampering brings success

MAKING people feel good about themselves with a little pampering is what Rophi Retreat – Day Spa, Skin and Laser Clinic pride themselves on.

And now it's their turn to be pampered after winning the 2009 RockSure/The Morning Bulletin Best in Business Award in the category of beauty.

Thanks to the overwhelming support of their loyal clients, Central Queensland's premier skin and body clinic has become Central Queensland's top beauty business for 2009.

And owner Maryanne Jorgensen could not be happier.

"We would like to thank all our lovely clients who make out day worthwhile and a big thank you to all who voted for us," she said.

"The girls at Rophi were thrilled to be nominated and



BEAUTIFUL DAY: RockSure account executive David Hill presents Maryanne Jorgensen & Kristy Wooley from Rophi Retreat with their award at the 2009 Best In Business awards night.

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ecstatic to win the 'Best in Business' award."

Formerly known as Rophi House in Yeppoon five years ago, the clinic has grown and relocated to Rockhampton offering an abundance of beauty treatments including

Advanced Aesthetics (including Age Management, Sun Damage, Acne Correction, Photorejuvenation, Microdermabrasion and Skin Maintenance) and Massage (including Sports, Remedial, Deep Tissue, Bowen Therapy,

Acupressure, Swedish, Honey, Hot Stones, Reflexology), day spa indulgence packages, body maintenance and detoxification, just to name a few.

Open 9am to 8pm Monday to Thursday and 10am to 3pm Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Rophi Retreat boasts a total of nine treatment rooms, including two double rooms and one triple room.

"We also have a make-up and special occasions studio, three guest lounges, far infra red sauna, private spray tanning booth, spa bath and tropical outdoor relaxation area complete with resort style pool," Ms Jorgensen said.

"We wanted to create a therapeutic haven where people would leave feeling as if they had not just received a great treatment, but also had a great experience.

"The word 'Rophi' is Hebrew for 'healing' and that is just what we aspire to do."

The team at Rophi Retreat are dedicated to improve the day of their guests, while providing the latest in cutting edge treatments that offer unparalleled results.

Ms Jorgensen there were plans in the future to open an Advance Aesthetics Academy in Central Queensland offering courses in Natural Health, Advanced Aesthetics and Beauty Therapy.

"This will allow our local aspiring practitioners to receive their qualifications without having to relocate to Brisbane or Townsville for courses," she said.

"This process has already begun and we are expecting to be able to offer accredited courses starting January 2010."

Financial advisers win life friends

WHEN it comes to teaching people to create wealth using property, and managing their finances to get ahead, it's comforting to know there is someone who can give professional advice, especially in this economic time of "doom and gloom".

Despite the hardship of the current economy, one business has stood out from the rest, providing excellent one-on-one service and advice to those that need it.

For a business that prides itself on professionalism and

good friendly service, it's great news for the team at Easy As Financial Services to be voted number one for the 2009 RockSure/The Morning Bulletin Best in Business Awards in the category of Finance and Banking.

Area manager Candice McGibbon said the team was very grateful to be acknowledged for their efforts.

"The staff were very pleased to receive the award, it shows that all their hard work has paid off," she said.

No strangers to the Best in

Business Awards, Ms McGibbon said the business had taken out the award twice before.

"I think what sets us apart from other businesses is our teaching abilities and coaching," she said.

"We have worked hard over the years since we first started operating in 2003 to build up a large client base, to help our clients either enter the property market for the first time or build a multi million dollar property portfolio."



BUSINESS WINNERS: Trina Saunders and Candice McGibbon from Easy As Financial Services accept their award from RockSure account executive David Hill at the 2009 Best In Business awards night.

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Ms McGibbon said Easy As Financial Services specialised in a variety of areas including wealth coaching, teaching people to manage their investments and assisting those who are interested in making money through property.

Easy As Financial Services holds monthly seminars teaching wealth creation

using property and they hold their clients hands and walk them through every step of the process.

Candice and the team create 'clients for life' which obviously shows in their receiving this prestigious award.

She thanked her clients for their continued support throughout the years.

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