

AIM announces top managers on the Coast

OUR leading managers have been recognised at the 2011 Management Excellence Awards, hosted by the Australian Institute of Management and featuring Kieren Perkins (above).

Awards chair Julie Boyd said the winners were judged on their ability to manage complex tasks and processes, mentor staff, develop best practices and balance commitments.

"The winners are successful, motivated people who have a marked impact on their staff and peers and contribute positively to the culture of their workplaces," she said.

► **Rural/Remote Manager of the Year**, Selena Cartwright of Bald-

win Cartwright Lawyers: (judges' comments) had a vision to create a firm that could help people no matter what life threw their way.

► **Young Manager**, Matthew Dunn of PJT Accountants and Business Advisors: demonstrated excellent business development capability. He is a strong mentor to staff and has a keen interest in their personal development.

► **Not for Profit Manager**, Anton Mogg of the Noosa Heads Surf Lifesaving Club: was singled out for his extraordinary grasp of his people, his stakeholders and his community. He has been instrumental in the outstanding financial, internal and external improvements to the club.

► **Owner Manager**, Kevin Covey



Renee Conan and Wendy Hornsby.

of Covey Associates: is founder and managing director of a multi-award-winning company with an excellent record in diverse engineering projects across Australia and overseas. Kevin has achieved sustainability through proactive regional diversification.

► **Professional Manager**, Ross Hepworth of Sunshine Coast Institute of TAFE: was recognised for his influence in stabilising



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and growing the business to serve local, national and international clients, and the attainment of SCIT's enviable record in environmental sustainability.

► **TAFE Medal of Management Excellence**, Kim Edwards of Sea English Academy.

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