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Scenic Shots Website Analysis

During term three of my year 11 course at Cornerstone Christian College I was given the privilege to create a website using Adobe's Dream Weaver. As part of the task we had to analyse our own website using others analysis.

Banner

On a whole the banner of my website was well liked. Most viewers gave me a 4 or a 5. However, there was one complaint from a viewer about my banner, he believes that the text was cramped into the corner of the banner. I understand what he was saying and partly believe him. However, to create a banner that has everything; the right text, a name for your website and to top it all off a style and theme that matches the website; is quite a hard task. I believe that the banner created does most of those things, yes it does have a few glitches but sometimes you have to give at take a little.

Home Page Splash

Overall the home page splash was greatly appreciated. Everyone enjoyed the layout of the splash namely: four pictures in lined up with the corners and a good quote about pictures in the middle. Once again one person did not think the same way as everyone else and was more analytical. The problem, however, was not with the layout of the homepage splash. This person thought that the pictures were good but needed to be manipulated in photoshop to look really good. The edge of the picture needed to be less vivid. I agree on this point of his accusations. For they would look a lot better if they had been photoshoped in some way. However I do have a defence; the pictures I take I don't want to be modified to much I want it to be plain no adjustments, original photographs.

LINKS

Every one rated the links well for they all worked perfectly. However, there was one person who didn't like the colour of the links. They were in their view too dark. However, I did experiment with making them a lighter colour. This took the focus away from the splash and focused the readers attention on the links.

Colour scheme

My intention for the site was for it to have a corporate look. From my results and feedback I don't think I quite got there. This is from the mixed feedback I received. Some said they enjoyed the corporate look while others believed I should have made it more corporate. Thus I mustn't have fully accomplished my aim for the site.

Graphics on the Other Pages

Again, on the whole this was well liked by everyone. I kept the same style for each page but simply just changed the pictures. A good suggestion from one of the applicants said that I should put my name underneath all the pictures that I have taken. That way the viewers will know who took the pictures. The only other problem one person had with the graphic was that once again the picture was not photoshoped in any way.

Text

Most people agreed that the text for this website was good and matched the website and its intentions. I didn't have much text but it was appropriate. The "about me" page had a few text problems. With some spelling mistakes and bad syntax. I also stopped in the middle of a sentence.

Conclusion

In summary my website was a great achievement. I was really able to expand my horizons. Most of the area's of the website were really well done and I think it was a great job. I know there was a few things that need to be fixed and it would have been great if I could fix them. I thank everyone for their comments it was greatly appretiated.