

Pineapple Developments win the 'Rural Business award' at the Bath and West show

Pineapple Developments Ltd, based in Salway Ash, Bridport has beaten strong competition to win the Rural Business Award in this year's Royal Bath & West of England Society Rural Business Development Awards competition. The judges were drawn from the competition sponsors NatWest, Farmers Guardian, Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors, Royal Institute of British Architects, Rural Town Planning Institute and Cartwheel.



Mike Perry of Pineapple Developments with HRH Duke of Kent

Following the presentation of the award by HRH Duke of Kent, Mike Perry, General Manager said: *"I am delighted to have received this award in recognition of what Pineapple Developments has achieved, in leading the national need for rural project management and business services, since diversifying and rejuvenating the family farm into the successful Pineapple Business Park. Congratulations must also go to the team who play a significant role in promoting and growing our services"*.

Mike Perry is an individual member of RIDBA and advises that Pineapple Developments Limited based at Salway Ash, Bridport, Dorset develops and supplies business solutions to farmers and rural enterprises looking to prosper in the countryside.

Pineapple Developments was established in 2000 to convert the agricultural buildings of the family farm in to business units, now the successful Pineapple Business Park. During the process, it became apparent that many farmers, landowners and rural businesses who wish to continue to prosper in the countryside need expert help to enable them to realise their rural assets. Experts that could relate to their situation and can help them evaluate the options available, create the solution and deliver the result. As a consequence, Pineapple Developments now offers a range of complementary services to assist.

Services provided include:

Pineapple Management Solutions: - specialising in the creation and delivery of innovative and income-generating business solutions.

Pineapple Project Solutions: - specialising in the management and delivery of construction projects.

Pineapple Business Services: - specialising in the provision of secretarial and administrative services to businesses that do not have or require full-time office resources.

Pineapple Property Management: - specialising in the management of business parks, estate buildings and holiday lets.

Pineapple Business Park is the result of the successful conversion of the agricultural buildings of Pineapple Farm by Pineapple Developments Limited into 17 business units.

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