Web Design & Development – "By the Sea B&B"



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1. BACKGROUND FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE WEBSITE

IDE Utilization

Primarily upon commencing the website I researched web design software which would enhance the construction of the website in which to save time & minimize errors during the construction of Gillian Moore's B&B brochure website. I decided on the "Webstorm" IDE. Webstorm provided powerful navigation tools with very beneficial functions such as live edit in HTML, CSS & JavaScript & seems to be the industry standard in web development.

B&B Research

I examined B&B's located in Galway to gather ideas for designing the brochure website in which the website content essentials & design were decided.

I tried to encapsulate the beauty of Galway's scenery into the website selecting images from nature to make the website & location more enticing for the prospective customer.

2. ACCESSIBILITY

2.1 SEARCH ENGINE OPTIMIZATION

- Meta data was added in the <head> tags for each webpage.
- Powerful back links should be implemented in which googles algorithm

3. HTML

Upon designing the webpages for the website I decided on a basic template which runs throughout the website in which additional content could then be added to the template based on the criteria required for each page.

3.1. CSS

CSS was implemented for website styling in which the basic website template consisted of a top navigation bar, page border, overlay footer – Navigation bar & footer in which this helped encapsulate additional content which is illustrated through-out the website. CSS helped arrange the positions of the "div" elements.

4. JAVASCRIPT / JQUERY IMPLEMENTATION

JQuery was implemented for automated page Scrolling "More information Button", Google Maps & the frequently asked questions section. Please see appendix for more information.

5. EVALUATION: STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES

Erroneous Code

- Simple errors like not closing element tags delayed the construction of the website.
- · Getting the API key to get google maps working
- Path locations to CSS files and images
- Errors with putting the footer in the correct position.
- Getting the JQuery / JavaScript working

Implementation of more JavaScript / JQuery

Additional content to be added if more time was permitted such as social media links

6. CONCLUSIONS

APPENDIX A – JAVASCRIPT

APPENDIX B - CSS

```
top: 100px;
```

```
width: 400px;
border: 5px gray;
padding: 50px;
margin: 50px;
background: rgba(255, 255, 255, 0.8);
box-shadow: rgba(255, 255, 255, 0.4)10px 10px;
font-family: WG;
font-size: 100%;
line-height: 1.5em;
text-align: left;
right: 2060px;
```

```
background-size: auto 47px;
line-height:24px;
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```
#laycontent #overlayfooter p{
    -moz-border-radius: 70px;
    background-position: center top;
```

```
border-top:1px solid rgba(255,255,255,0.7);
position:fixed !important;
```

```
.wrapper {
```

```
left: 115px;
.wrapper {
```