



**\$100,000 Opal FASHION BASH 09**

**youth fashion expressions inc.**  
*Building future careers  
for the youth of this nation*

## 2009 \$2500 Talent Scout Awards - Terms & Conditions

Over the past 5 years i have travelled around this state namely as the sole Talent Scout for the \$100,000 Opal Fashion Bash. During this time i have discovered some amazing student talent in the most unlikely places & locations. I can still recall sitting down in the Proserpine Community Hall one Sunday afternoon back in 2004 & watching their Whitsunday Student Festival of Fashion. I spotted 3 students whom took my eye & offered them each a free entry into 2005 Fashion Bash. Today all 3 students Gemma Scott, Ashlee Creber & Sian Pole have gone on to both national & global success.

The same year while at the Townsville Airport organising a photo shoot under the wings of a 747 i discovered a stunning 15yr old tom boy student by the name of Rachael Finch whom just a few months later went on to win the 2004 Fashion Bash Young Model Challenge title. Today Rachael has worked in 6 different countries as an international model & recently co presented our 2008 Opal Fashion Bash TV Doco. In 2006 while attending a rehearsal for a Karlie Jay fashion parade in Port Douglas i discovered a sporty looking 14 year old student model by the name of Kendal Schuler whom this month at age of just 16yrs signed a 3 year international model contract with IMG management in Paris & New York. There are so many talent scouting stories like this that i have been fortunate to be part of which have given myself so much self satisfaction in life.

With the expansion of the Opal Fashion Bash into a national event in 2008 & further plans to expand it global in 2010 we are now on the lookout for more Talent Scouts to assist us to discover more talented students. To date the opal fashion bash has already discovered 10 International models & dancers + 7 Aust fashion design award winners. To build on this success & to ensure we do attract the best students to Townsville in April 09 we urgently require more talent scouts to become part of our team.

### To be eligible to become a 2009 Fashion Bash Talent Scout you must abide by these Terms & Conditions:

- **Become a member of Youth Fashion Expressions Inc Association.**
- **Show our 2008 Opal Fashion Bash TV Doco to talented students.**
- **Encourage them to visit our web site & enter 2009 Fashion Bash.**
- **Communicate with other fashion bash talent scouts.**
- **Compile a monthly report of your talent scouting.**
- **To endeavour to attend our annual AGM & Talent Scout of the Year Awards.**

So weather you are a business person or other & you feel you could assist us to discover more student talent in your daily travels or in the store or business you may work we would like you to consider becoming an official 2009 opal fashion bash talent scout. There is no far greater reward for a talent scout in the fashion industry than to discover a young talented student & then following their future career in becoming an international dancer, model, fashion designer, photographer, hairdresser, stylist or even a make-up artist. It's amazing what we have already achieved in just a few short years with limited resources & with a lot more talent scouts out there we are confident this success will continue. \* **See 2009 \$2500 Talent Scout of the Year Awards – Lots rewarding prizes to WIN.**

We look forward to welcoming you to our team Henry Petersen, Director Talent Scouting 2009 Opal Fashion Bash  
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