

## LADIES OF LINGERIE ILLUSIONS UP FOR AWARD

Three Willenhall entrepreneurs – Fiona Wright, Bernice Fletcher and Cath Stone – who have triumphed over personal setbacks to set up their own business (Lingerie Illusions) have been named as Central Regional Finalists in The Barclays Trading Places Awards. The government backed Awards (now in their 4th year) are supported by Jobcentre Plus and The Prince's Trust. The eventual winner stands to get a top prize of £13,000 when the finalists are announced in early October. Fiona and Bernice have both had intensive breast surgery and the ladies saw an opportunity to source bras for the prosthetic inserts. After selling these direct they opened their own retail outlet for mastectomy lingerie and swimwear in Willenhall this year. Other supporters of the Awards are the Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform, The National Federation of Enterprise Agencies and Microsoft.



L to R: Fiona Wright, Joanna Costin (Barclays Regional Director) and Catherine Stone