

Local men gain recognition for their skills

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Two local men were honoured with top awards at a formal event held recently in Aberdeen. Gavin Tevendale from Oldmeldrum and Ellon's Sam Clark were invited to attend a special award ceremony hosted by the Wrights & Coopers Incorporation - one of Aberdeen's seven incorporated trades - at Trinity Hall. Both have attended North East Scotland College on a day-release basis while spending the rest of their time training with their respective employers.

Gavin, who is an apprentice joiner with Camwater Limited, was named winner of the Advanced Craft Award for an arched-top door he produced to fulfil the requirements of his Carpentry & Joinery Advanced Craft course at North East Scotland College. The judges were very impressed with Gavin's work and his door was given the top award.

Sam, who is employed by Langstane Housing Association, was presented with the Gordon Archibald Medal. This award is given to one student from the College's HNC Built Environment course after they present their final projects to a committee from the Wrights and Coopers Incorporation.

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