

News release

EnQuest staff work their magic for Aberdeen charity

Spirited staff at EnQuest have treated members of a newly launched Aberdeen project to a spooktacular Halloween by vamping up their party venue.

EnQuest volunteers dressed up the local haunt to create a Halloween house of fun for datesn-mates Aberdeen, an organisation that offers friendship and dating opportunities to adults with learning disabilities.

The Scottish project, which established an Aberdeen branch earlier this year and is run by adults with learning disabilities, held its haunted party at the city's Cotton Club on Thursday. (October 15).

Naomi Schofield, Project Development Coordinator, at dates-n-mates, said: "We are very grateful for the amazing support that EnQuest have provided for our Halloween Party. The decorations were above and beyond what we expected, and helped to make the night a real success. Having support from businesses such as EnQuest, makes a real difference to our events and our members."

Neil McCulloch, president, North Sea, EnQuest, said: "We were inspired by the work of dates-n-mates to bring people together to develop new companionships and build their confidence. Our staff volunteers were delighted to dress up the venue and our involvement with the charity has been a hugely rewarding experience."

dates-n-mates was established in 2007 by C-Change Scotland, a supported living organisation and registered charity that provides individually tailored support to people who want a better life. Much of their experience has been with people learning difficulties and mental health issues, however they are committed to supporting real positive change in the lives of the individuals and families with whatever support they need.

The charity is one of a number in the North-east that EnQuest has pledged its support to. Since 2012, EnQuest has also raised more than £150,000 for Archway which provides a lifeline of care and support services for children and adults with learning disabilities and their families.

The company also supports the Paul Lawrie Foundation, set up by the golf pro to give youngsters from all backgrounds the opportunity to play and compete in golf. It has since grown to cover a number of other sports such as football, tennis and swimming. The

company also has a long-standing partnership with Aberdeen's Tullos Primary School as part of its ongoing commitment to encourage young people to consider a career in oil and gas.

Picture caption:

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