

# ARCHIE'S A HIT DOWN UNDER

**KNIGHTSWOOD** man Archie Sharkie and the British Skill Olympic team have brought home a total of ten medals from the skill "Games" held this month in Australia.

Archie led the 26-strong team to the 29th Skill Olympics which were held in Sidney as part of the bicentennial celebrations.

And the team's hard work and dedication won the young apprentices two gold medals, three silver medals and four bronze medals.

"The team took the gold in Stone Masonry and Automobile Engineering. The other medals were won in House Wiring, Decorating, Joinery and even Ladies and Gents Hairdressing," said Archie.

The Australian event was Archie's 14 visit to the Skill Olympics leading the British team and he sees no reason why he should not continue to lead the team.

"After this year's result I think I'll be going off again next year with the team.

"And as for our result in Sidney, we ranked fourth out of the entire Olympics, we even beat Japan who came in fifth. We had to compete in temperatures of up to 104° and we still managed ten medals and six honourary mentions," said Archie.

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