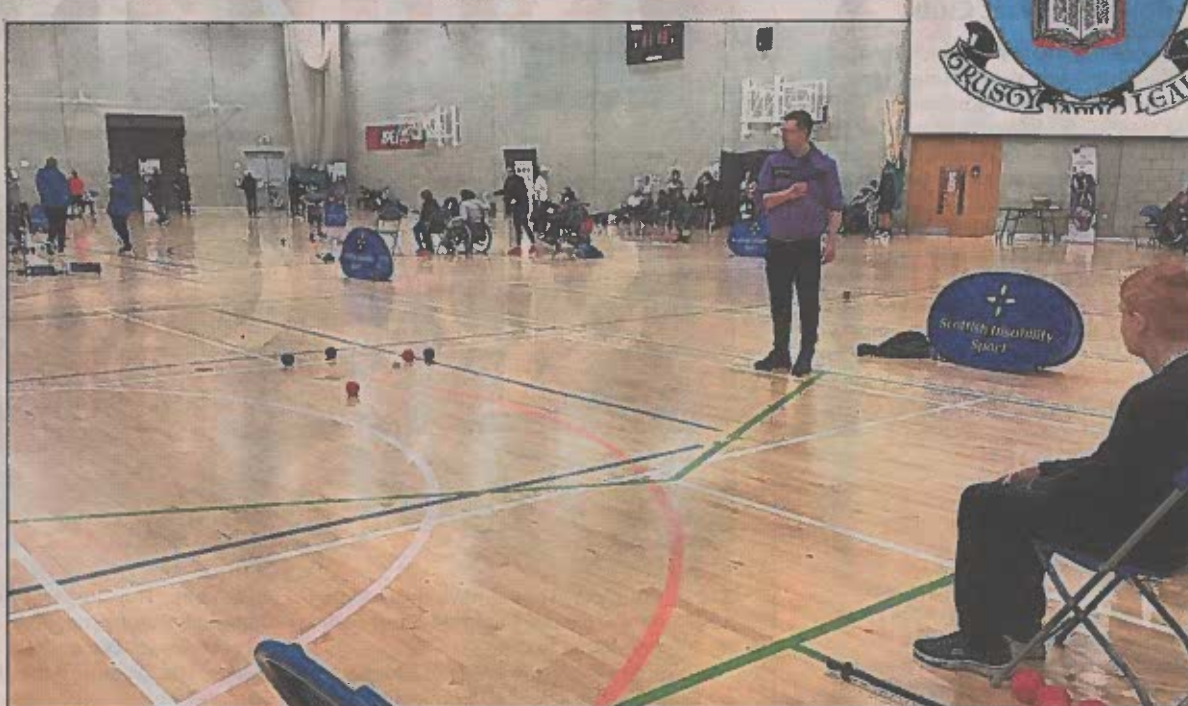


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...All the latest news straight from the classroom



Hockey players Luisa Brown and Maartje de Zoeten



Shaun McIntosh competed in his first schools boccia competition

Boxing

THE school would like to say congratulations to S4 student Connor Munro who took gold in the boxing recently.

Connor has been working hard in the gym and it showed recently with a unanimous decision victory over a very tough opponent from the Paul Ingle Boxing Academy in Hull.

Boccia

ATTENDING his first Scottish Schools Boccia Championship this year hosted at The Peak in Stirling, S2 pupil Shaun McIntosh got off to a losing start in his first ever match 6-0.

Matches were only two ends long unless it ended in a draw, then a tie breaker end would

be played between the players.

His loss in his first match didn't seem to faze him going into his second match.

In a close first end he took the lead by one point.

His opponent claimed the next end by one point, showing how close this match was between these evenly matched players.

Shaun kept his nerve in the tie break by sealing victory 6-1.

His last round robin match was against another experienced player, however you would not have known she was playing a rookie.

She took the early lead by winning the first end by 1-0.

It was up to Shaun in the next end to make his throws precise and that he did by winning it 1-0.

It was a tie-break again for

the young Souter and it was too close to call, but he pulled it out the bag to seal victory by just the one point.

Sadly, a semi-final place wasn't on the cards for Shaun this year, missing out by just a couple of points.

The school is immensely proud of Shaun.

He demonstrated great gamesmanship and resilience. Well done.

Thanks also to Gwen Bradley for taking Shaun to this tournament and for weekly visits to his Borders boccia club on Friday mornings.

Mathematics

THE school would like to say congratulations to S2 pupils Daniel Vause and Euan McCulloch for their participation in the Edinburgh Universities Mathematics Masterclasses which are designed to stretch and inspire keen and talented pupils from all over Scotland.

They allow them to broaden their mathematical knowledge and develop a sense of enjoyment in the subject.

Classes are led by top experts from academia and industry and cover a broad range of mathematical topics.

Hockey

THE school would like to say congratulations to S6 students Luisa Brown and Maartje de Zoeten who represented Scotland over Easter in the Hockey 4 Nations games in the Czech Republic.

A fantastic experience for the girls.



Boxer Connor Munro



Pupils took part in Edinburgh Universities Mathematics Masterclasses