

# **Scottish Schools Aquathlon Championships**

CONGRATULATIONS to William (S5) who competed in the annual Scottish Schools Aquathlon Championships on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April at the Michael Woods Sports Centre in Glenrothes. Over 240 pupils from across Scotland competed.

William finished fifth overall behind some very strong athletes. William's personal drive and commitment to his sport is exemplary. Well done William!



### Air Cadets Sports

Congratulations to Kiran Ramu (S2) and Tara Brennan (S3) who recently competed in the South East of Scotland Air Cadets Sports. Kiran won 2 gold medals for 200m and 400m while Tara won bronze in the Shot Put. Kiran will now go forward to represent the area at the regional sports event. They are pictured with former pupil, David Swanston who also did well.



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#### Leadership for Life Programme

This week the Leadership for Life programme kicked off with a visit to Bowhill, the estate of the Duke of Buccleuch. Leadership for Life is a programme for S4 students during study leave to enable them to get a head start on the leadership qualifications that all students are expected to get before they leave Earlston High School. This meant that our first day at Bowhill was filled with team building activities encouraging students to get to know each other and to work and communicate well. However it may be that the adventure play park was the bit the students remembered the most! Students will complete other activities such as personal development, first aid and fire safety.



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#### **Education Scotland Visit – National Improvement Hub**

Our Earlston cluster schools were delighted to welcome delegates from Education Scotland who were visiting our Numeracy Intervention programme to include in their National Improvement Hub. Students and staff were interviewed as part of the visit. Pupils spoke about their learning and shared the personal impact from this initiative, which has already won awards at national level. Pictured during their interview are Numeracy Support Assistant, Sandra Craig and Mya (S3) at Earlston High School.

