

## **Netball Success**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> year girls achieved a first at the Scottish Cup Netball Finals at Linwood when they became the first Edinburgh school team at any age group to win a Scottish Cup. On their way to the final they played against teams from Peebles, Clydebank, Paisley, East Kilbride, Dunfermline and Glenrothes.

Their final was against Peebles who they had already lost to in the regional stage of the competition. The final was an exciting nail-biting affair, we were 6 goals down going into the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter but the team slowly clawed their way back and in the dying seconds of the game we had a chance to win the game but unfortunately missed the net. The full time score was 27 all. We then had 2 periods of extra time with end to end play resulting in 31 -31, another draw. The game then went to sudden death, Craigmount won the toss, the ball went up the court to our shooter and as we all held our breath, Maddie Atkinson slotted in the Golden goal. What a game !!.

Congratulations to the team of Ellen Atkinson, Maddie Atkinson, Katherine Burnett, Joanna Coxon, Kirsty Gaul, Shona McDonald, Yvette Rosie, Sarah Roxburgh, Erin Thomson and Lizzie Welham.