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The past few months have been an exciting time for the Highland Institute of Sport whose athletes have enjoyed some great results.

Calum Stewart

Golf

Calum Stewart, who is 15, lives in Brora and has been playing golf since he was 9, has been with the Highland Institute of Sport for one year now. Although Calum has had an up and down season he is ending this season on a high by going to Brazil to compete in the Faldo Series Grand Final. He started this campaign back in May of this year when he won the Faldo Series Scottish Qualifier at The Carrick in Dunbartonshire and then went on to win the Regional Final at The Roxburghe in August. The two leading players in each age category will travel to the Costa do Sauipe Resort in Northern Brazil on 25-31 October and join talented golfers from Faldo Series tournaments from over 15 countries worldwide.



Mark Sinclair

Cycling

After 7 rounds of the Scottish XC Youth Series, Mark Sinclair, 16, from Culbokie came out on top to win the event. He had one 1st, four 2nd, a 3rd and one race where he didn't compete.



Ben Kilner

Snowboarding

Ben Kilner's target is to be selected for the 2010 Winter Olympics to represent GB at the Halfpipe Category.



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He has several criteria laid down by the IOC that he must reach before being selected, one of which was to be in top 30 at a World Cup Event and to score more than 100 FIS points. Ben has just returned from The World Cup Event in Cardrona, New Zealand finishing 15th and gaining 160 FIS points

Alan Clyne
Squash

Alan who is currently Scotland's number 1 and ranked 142 in the world, recently took part in his first Professional Squash Tournament in Charleston USA. Alan was seeded no. 6 for the tournament and romped through the early rounds but saved his best for last, beating the no. 1 seed Englishman John Hartford who is ranked 61 in the world.



Andrew Young & Andrew Musgrave
XC Skiing

Andrew Young recently became the Scottish Rollerski Champion closely followed by Andrew Musgrave. The 2 British World Cup XC skiers destroyed the rest of field, with 3rd place being 3 minutes adrift & beating the course record by over 2 minutes.

The 2 Andrews are both from the Huntly Nordic Ski Club and have recently been inducted in to the Highland Institute of Sport.



Gavin Clark
Judo

Gavin Clark who has been injured for much of the year has made a fantastic return with a 3rd place at the Heart of England Competition and 2nd place at the Scottish Championships in the U73kg category.



Well done to all of the athletes in what has been a very busy and rewarding couple of months.

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