

RBS 6 Nations Kick 4 A Ticket



On Friday 6th February 4 students from Walsall Academy were given their 5 seconds of fame featuring on Central news as well as a press release in the Express and Star when they were invited to the RBS 6 Nations Kick 4 a ticket event held at the Bull Ring in Birmingham.

With the 6 Nations tournament just around the corner, it was an opportunity to have some fun kicking using state of the art equipment whilst meeting with Leicester Tigers and World Cup winning England flanker Lewis Moody.

Brad Russell (Year 12), Stevie Jasper Downes (Year 12), Lisa Garratt (Year 10) and Mark Harrison (Year 9) were all keen to talk to one of their rugby heroes and get some top tips on how to make it in the sport at the highest level.

With all the students playing either club or county rugby it was an opportunity to showcase their talent and represent school rugby for both boys and girls at the Academy.

With Mark Harrison already part of the Leicester Tigers Academy setup it may not be long before he brushes shoulders with the likes of Lewis in a playing capacity.

It was an excellent morning for all involved and the event organisers and Lewis himself were very impressed with the way in which the students conducted themselves and stated that they were 'Great Ambassadors for Rugby and the Academy'.

