

# **The day I played for Scotland**

**My dream has always been to play for Scotland. It would be a privilege to even watch a football match since I'm a military child I've never been to one.**

**After years of training, I was finally sat in the changing room waiting to play my first match and one by one the players left the changing room and walked out onto the massive pitch then came my turn. I was nervous so I took a deep breath and then I saw bright lights and vast crowds who were chanting, bagpipes were playing and we sung the national anthem.**

**Then it was time for kick off. This game was going to be competitive and five minutes before half time they started sprinting up the pitch passing the ball and our defenders were running at them but sadly they dodged them and took the shot, the keeper dived like there was no tomorrow and he missed it by a centimetre then, you could hear the crowd shouting goal!!!**

**After half time we came back ready and were determined to win so I decided to make a run skilling and passing the ball around we made it past the defenders. I ran up with the ball took a shot and got it perfectly in the top corner the crowd were cheering. We had won and after it finished we took a team photo with the trophy and that was the day I played for Scotland.**