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## **STUDENTS HELP TO FIGHT CANCER WITH BRAVE THE SHAVE EVENT**

Six International School of Luxembourg grade 12 students had their hair completely shaved off by enthusiastic fellow students, to raise money for Macmillian Cancer Support in the UK, and Kick Cancer into Touch in Luxembourg.

Student, Fergus Ramage, organised the lunchtime 'Brave the Shave' event and the atmosphere was electric with students and teachers cheering in support, making donations, and watching in amazement as the razors were powered up and quickly put into action!

After having his hair shaved off Fergus said, "I set up the event to give something back to cancer support as they supported my family through some hard times with both of my Grandfathers, so I wanted to raise awareness. I had fun with the other students and would like to thank everyone who sponsored us and helped to make the event a great success."

Upper School Assistant Principal Ms Sarah Harger was there cheering the students on and added, "As part of the International Baccalaureate, alongside academic activities, every student must complete CAS which has three essential elements - Creativity, Activity, and Service. Fergus demonstrated this so well, taking the initiative, and persevering and collaborating with fellow students. I want to congratulate him on a job well done!"

So far the students have raised over €750 via a collection box at the school and through an online page. If you would like to make an online donation you can by visiting:  
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/fergus-ramage>

### **Background:**

- Photos are available here: <https://photos.app.goo.gl/3bvFupjuMuDNmrME3>

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