



Margaret House
residential & dementia care home

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Newsletter



May 2021



We are very pleased to have a new phone system for Margaret House, with more phones specifically for relative/resident calls.

With best wishes

Gail & Thomas Kelly

Charity Draw

Another name was picked out the box and this



month we are delighted to support Tom's Trust, a local charity that helps children and their families that have been affected by brain tumours.

Birthday celebrations in the sunshine

We celebrated two birthday's this month with special teas and of course, birthday cake!



The badges made sure that nobody missed out on knowing it was their special day!



Margaret House are Finalists in Alzheimer's Society's National Awards

Dementia Hero Awards 2021

Dementia Hero Awards 2021 Finalists

Dementia Hero Award for Innovation

DEEDS – Dementia Engaged and Empowered Derry & Strabane

Dementia NI

Margaret House and TDW Radio



**Dementia Hero
Award for
Innovation**

We are absolutely delighted to have been picked from more than 450 nominations from across the UK as finalists in these awards for the 'Margaret House Family Favourites' radio shows that we produced with TDW radio. The judges said that they were 'blown away by the care and compassion, innovation and dedication shown in supporting people affected by dementia in the pandemic.' There will be a virtual Awards ceremony on Thurs 20 May at 7pm (during Dementia Action Week) which will be hosted by Richard Madeley. We will be making an evening of it and If you would like to join us watching from home you can register at:

[Dementia Hero Awards 2021 | Alzheimer's Society](https://www.alzheimersociety.org.uk/dementia-hero-awards-2021)



We couldn't wait for Molly's home-made hot cross buns to come out of the oven and all enjoyed them as well as the wonderful Easter Cake she made.



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We had fun picking out our runners and riders for the Grand National

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colourful felt
flowers to help
decorate Barley
church with a
flower tower in
the summer as
a celebration of
the national
vaccines



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We enjoyed sharing doing a jigsaw with an awful lot of pieces as well as the different picture games on the magic table.

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We have made the most
of being outside in the
Spring sunshine

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As well as enjoying
time indoors,
dancing, drawing,
reminiscing ...

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Before getting back outside to make the most of the beautiful weather!!



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