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Leeds Care Resident Whisks Up Support for Cancer Charity

A resident from Cygnet Social Care's Kirkside Lodge in Leeds rose to the occasion by hosting a heartfelt bake sale to raise money for charity.

Located on Spen Lane in Kirkstall, [Kirkside Lodge](#) is a residential care service that supports adults with learning disabilities.

The Cygnet Social Care resident raised £261 for Macmillan Cancer Support, a charity that offers support and advice to those with cancer and their families.

He was inspired by the charity's mission to support everyone who is affected by cancer and decided to host a coffee morning in aid of the good cause.

As a regular attendee of [Kirkside's Bakery Project](#), the individual baked a variety of goods, including brownies, cupcakes, cookies and sausage rolls to sell.

"We are very proud of our resident's generosity and determination to create all the baked goods," explained Stacey Monsarrat, Bakery Assistant at the Cygnet Social Care service.

"He worked really hard to create a memorable day for all who attended. The day was a huge success as Macmillan Cancer Support relies on donations so this was a great cause."

The charity event also featured a tombola, with prizes donated by staff, to keep donations rolling in.

Both staff and residents were in attendance, as well as those from nearby Cygnet Social Care services, including Kirkside House, Oxley Woodhouse, Outwood, Thornfield House and Grange, and Supported Living in Huddersfield.

Stacey continued: "Charity fundraising is important for our residents at Kirkside Lodge as it helps bring communities together, supports the understanding of different good causes and spreads awareness."