



**June – July 2020**

**What a strange few months we have all had! Some of us have remained at home whereas others have been in school and residence. Regardless of where we have been, we have all managed to keep in touch, which has been great. We are all looking forward to September, when hopefully things will be a little bit more 'normal', well the new normal anyway!**



**It is time to say a fond farewell to Bobbie Roberts, MBE, who is stepping down from her role as the Chair of Trustees at Doncaster Deaf Trust, but more importantly for us; as the Responsible Person for Dickson House and the North Flat. Bobbie was instrumental in the setting up of the home and has tirelessly worked hard to support the young people and the staff team who have worked or lived in Dickson house over the years. We would like to say a huge 'Thank you' for everything that Bobbie has done for us and please stay in touch, we would love you to visit.**

## **Welcome to Doncaster Deaf Trust Children's Homes Newsletter**

**School reopens on  
Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September  
so have a great holiday,  
stay safe and see you  
when you all return.**

**Love Kate and the team  
xxx**

**Don't forget, staff will be  
working throughout the  
holidays in Dickson House  
so if you need anything,  
just email us on  
[dicksonhouse@ddt-  
deaf.org.uk](mailto:dicksonhouse@ddt-deaf.org.uk) and we will get  
back to you as soon as we  
can.**



We have kept active this half term, we have looked after the gardens in Dickson house and have discovered a love of gardening! We have been on bike rides, had social distancing chats and used technology...



We have had so much fun keeping in touch with those that have stayed at home, our weekly 'resident meetings' and catch up sessions have been full of laughter and silly faces, it has been great fun!



We have also seen each other face to face, which has been great too....



**Fitness has been a focus, look at our moves!**



**We have three young people who are moving on this year, Callum, Regan and Jay, you will be sadly missed. You have come so far and we are all proud of you. Keep in touch and enjoy your future!**

