

**FRIENDS OF LADY JOANNA THORNHILL (ENDOWED) PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
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## IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED!

Dear Parents

The Friends Association, along with the support of parents and staff work hard to both raise funds and contribute to the community spirit at Lady J.

Over the past year over £9,500 has been raised by the Friends, which has purchased, amongst other things:

14 Ipads	Used by all year groups
4 Wireless Microphones	Used by all year groups
New Pond Liner	Has allowed the pond to continue to be used as an educational resource
12 Blue Bots	Used to aid the new ICT curriculum
6 Bee Bots	Used to aid the new ICT curriculum

Without the Friends Association, there would be:

NO Discos  
NO Christmas Fair  
NO Hamper Raffle  
NO Pick A Present  
No Movie Nights  
NO Cake Sales  
NO Summer Fairs

As part of our Charitable Status, we are required by law to have various positions accounted for; one of these is the post of Treasurer. Holders of these posts can only do so for a maximum of 3 years. Jo Brackley, the current Treasurer, will have completed her 3 year tenure in October. Therefore, we need to be in a position to appoint a new Treasurer at the AGM in October in order to be able to continue to function.

If you want to get involved with fund raising for your children this is a great opportunity for you. Do you like counting money? Have a head for numbers? Then you could be who we are looking for, being treasurer is a crucial part of the friends. Keeping the books usually takes less than an hour a week, slightly more when an event is happening. Everything is laid out and easy to follow. This position could be done as a job share, so if you know a friend who would help so much the better. If you wish to find out more details, without any commitment at this time Jo's e-mail is [joannaibrackley@gmail.com](mailto:joannaibrackley@gmail.com) or you can find her in the playground. She will be more than happy to discuss the role with you.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and consider getting involved.

**The Friends of Lady Joanna Thornhill**