

**“The Friends’ role is to foster the concept of the King’s School ‘family’, promote good communication between the School and parents and offer assistance whenever possible to the ultimate benefit of the boys.”**



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## **Friends of King's School**





“Being a member of the Friends of King’s School has allowed me to meet other parents at the school, have fellowship with them and make a difference for our boys and future boys who will come to this School. I am enormously proud of the part the Committee has played in both its “friendraising” and fundraising activities over the years. I would encourage you as a parent to get involved in this way, as I have had so much fun and been greatly rewarded by seeing the extra resources we have been able to provide for both the staff and the boys of this great School”.

Carey Frost, President.  
2004-2006



## Once your son commences his School life at King’s you automatically become a member of the **Friends**, and the **King’s School family**.

### Tradition

The Friends of King’s School was established in 1962 with the aim of assisting the School with donations and voluntary effort in whatever way was needed. In 1997, the Development Office was set up encompassing the three main support groups of the School: The Foundation, the Friends and the Old Boys Association. This restructuring allowed the Friends to concentrate on providing all kinds of practical and “on hands” support to School life whilst maintaining its financial support on a project-by-project basis.



Our Committee, together with many volunteers and loyal sponsors, is involved in a wide variety of social and fundraising activities. The dedication and selflessness shown by these parents emphasises the spirit which is central to life at the School. With the support of these volunteers, the Friends continues to be a vibrant organisation, which wholeheartedly promotes the aims and values of the School, and the quality education it provides.

### Teamwork

Through the events organised by the Friends you will have the opportunity to meet other parents and get to know the School and, in time, contribute to the activities that create our sense of ‘family’.

Every aspect of the School has benefitted in some way from the Friends’ activities. Annual events such as the staff BBQ, the parent cocktail parties and the King’s Family Day all serve to help “friendraise” amongst the community. Fundraising events are also organised when required for the upgrading and supplementing of donated equipment to the School.

Your support through attending functions arranged by the Friends, offering to help when requested, becoming a class representative, helping with flowers around the School or choosing to stand for the Committee, will ensure the aims of the organisation are met and the School is enriched.

