

Friends of Robinson
41 Parsonage Rd.
Starksboro, VT 05487

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Dear Starksboro Community,

We hope this letter finds you well. We are so thankful for the generous and helpful community of Starksboro. In that spirit, we would like to share with you a project we're excited about and ask for your support.

Friends of Robinson (FoR) is a non-profit community organization supporting the hopes and dreams of our students and teachers. In the past we have funded graduation, music scholarships, visiting artists, classroom field trips and more.

Currently, we are focusing our efforts on a much-needed **playground renovation**. Last spring we received a generous donation which allowed us to begin this project. We recruited Deina Olstad, landscape architect from Nordland Studios, to develop a playground design which will be implemented in stages as funds are available. Based upon a poll of students and families, there is enthusiastic interest in adventure-based play and natural elements which will be incorporated into the first phase of our plan.

We're really looking forward to making this project come alive for the children and community of Starksboro. Our goal is to raise at least \$30,000 to advance this multi-phase project. These funds will give us a foundation that will allow us to apply for matching grant opportunities.

Please donate with the enclosed envelope or online at

<https://www.friendsofrobinson.org/>

If you have any questions or would like to learn how you can be involved in this project, please contact us at info@friendsofrobinson.org. Thank you for your support in making this dream come true for the children and community of Starksboro.

With Gratitude,

Friends of Robinson



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Playground Design Workshop