



**THE LEGACY FUND** was set up by the AETF in 2019 in thanks for a generous anonymous donation.  
It was then added to by further donations made in honour of our former Treasurer, Roger Cunnington.  
The Fund will continue to grow by the allocation of all donations made annually under the *Friends of the AETF* scheme

The Legacy Fund is to be used towards running a Seminar or Workshop for opting grass root teams who did not win through to an AETF Semi-Final, thus enabling the AETF to extend its aims of encouraging and enhancing the grass roots development of amateur theatre.

#### **Possible Workshop / Seminars that you might consider -**

- **Performance** – Voice, Dialect, Stage Combat, Movement, Puppetry, acting techniques etc.
- **Backstage** – Lights, Sound, Stage Management.
- **Design** – Set, Props, how to make strong sets that will fit in a small van or cars, Stage Design.
- **Direction** – Techniques to use with actors, stage technique, exploring texts.
- **Other ideas** specific to your group and the festival circuit.

#### **Application Process**

1. Applications are invited from any opting group entering a Preliminary Round Festival of the AETF but not winning through to their Area Semi-Final
2. The Award is for £300, to run a Workshop or Seminar aimed at grass roots groups
3. There will be at most one Award per Area each year
4. Applications must be sent to the Area Committee at least a week in advance of their Semi-Final
5. The decision as to the Winner will be made by each Area Committee, with the aim to announce it at each Semi-Final
6. The Legacy Award winners will be announced at the English Final in June
7. An award winner will not be able to reapply within a three-year period
8. The running of the event is entirely at the discretion of the organiser
9. The workshop or seminar can either be free of charge to participants or a small charge can be levied to cover additional costs
10. Should an event not take place within 12 months of being awarded, the funds must be returned to the AETF
11. Following the event a Report (preferably with photographs) must be sent to the relevant Area Committee



**Application for an Award from  
THE LEGACY FUND**

<b>Company Name</b>	
<b>Festival Entered</b>	
<b>Contact Name</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Tel. No</b>	
<b>Email</b>	

**Brief Details of the Seminar/Workshop you intend to run:**

On behalf of the above company I confirm that:-

- This event will be in the form of a Seminar or Workshop
- A Report and photographs of the event will be sent to the Area Committee following the event
- Should the event not take place within 12 months the funds will be returned to the AETF.

Signed ..... Date .....

This form to be returned to the appropriate Area Committee before the Area Semi-Final.