

### **CMTS Long Service Award Guidelines.**

- The Awards will be from NODA.
- These Awards are nationally recognised as long service to ‘Amateur Theatre’.
- They are awarded for 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 55, 60, 65 and 70 years service.
- As of the 1<sup>st</sup> August 2011, you MUST have continuous service. If you do not renew your Membership one year, your service will restart from the year you do decide to rejoin.
- ‘Friend’ and ‘Patron’ Membership is not included.
- There is also a ‘Commendation’ and ‘Youth’ Award. These may or may not be awarded each year, at the Management Committee’s discretion.
- Your service is measured from when you reach the age of 11 years old. Service from the ages of 7 to 11 is not included, but is eligible for the ‘Youth’ Award.
- The Society will purchase the Awards from NODA for any Member who has had continuous Membership.
- These Awards will be purchased by the Fundraising Committee.
- The Awards, where possible, will be presented at the CMTS AGM.
- This is seen as a benefit for the Members and the Management Committee reserve the right to remove this benefit at any time without notice.