



The Puppet Lab  
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### **Supporting the Puppet Lab through Gift Aid**

For over twenty years, the Puppet Lab has been delighting children and adults with its beautifully crafted and imaginative productions. Last year, 35,500 people took part in a Puppet Lab event and we have a wonderful range of projects planned for 2009, encompassing touring children's theatre and innovative adult puppetry, as well as ambitious community arts projects. A huge highlight for this year is Big Man Walking!

Our touring productions bring top quality theatre to remote communities and areas of urban deprivation where children and families tend to have very limited access to the arts. For many in our young audiences, the Puppet Lab's visit is their first exposure to professional theatre, and a truly magical, memorable experience.

**Yet, despite our popularity and success, we do not receive any core funding and constantly need to look for new sources of support to keep our projects running.**

**By making a donation to the Puppet Lab, you can help us to keep on spreading the magic!**

Since the Puppet Lab is a registered charity, the value of your gift can be increased by 28% under the Gift Aid scheme. On your behalf, we simply claim back the tax from the Inland Revenue.

Therefore: -

A gift of £150 will actually be worth £192 to the Puppet Lab and would cover the cost of taking a show to a remote corner of the Highlands which other touring companies do not reach;

A gift of £300 would mean £384 for the Puppet Lab. This would enable us to put on a performance in a small school or community centre, which would not usually be able to cover the charges of a professional theatre company.

Cheques should be made payable to The Puppet Lab.



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## PUPPET LAB GIFT AID DECLARATION

### Details of Donor

Title.....Forename(s).....Surname.....

Address.....

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Postcode.....

### I want The Puppet Lab to treat

**\* The enclosed donation of £..... as a Gift Aid donation.**

**\* All donations that I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise as Gift Aid donations.**

(\*delete as appropriate)

Signature.....

Date.....

### Notes: -

1. For this declaration to be valid you must pay Income Tax or Capital Gains Tax at a rate of at least 28%.
2. **If you pay tax at the higher rate, you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.**
3. You can cancel this Declaration at any time by notifying the Puppet Lab.
4. If in the future your circumstance change and you no longer pay tax on you income and capital gains equal to the tax that the Puppet Lab claims, you can cancel your declaration.
5. Please notify the Puppet Lab if you change your address.