



MEATH COUNTY COUNCIL CULTURAL SERVICES FRANCIS LEDWIDGE AWARD

As a legacy to the Francis Ledwidge Centenary 1917 – 2017 commemorations,
Meath County Council Cultural Services are pleased to announce the
Francis Ledwidge Award 2018

DETAILS:

This award, named in honour of Francis Ledwidge aims to support writers in developing works of poetry

The awardee will be granted a week long residency at the prestigious Tyrone Guthrie Centre at Annaghmakerrig, County Monaghan, plus a €1,500.00 cash prize

Applicants should demonstrate how a creative residency and financial award would benefit their work

Applicants must demonstrate a commitment and achievement to the craft of poetry

APPLICATION PROCESS

To apply, please submit the following:

- **Detailed biography** - outlining literary achievements to date
- **Work Sample** - a maximum of 10 samples of writing work
- **Cover Letter** – signed and dated including applicants address, phone number and email
- **Work Proposal** – stating clearly what is hoped to be accomplished during the stay at Annamakerrig

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TERMS & CONDITIONS

The dates of the residency will be decided in consultation between the successful applicant and the Tyrone Guthrie Centre.

Meath County Council reserves the right not to award a Bursary, if it believes the interests of the Council, the Bursary and the applicants would be best served by this course of action.

Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

HARD COPIES ONLY will be accepted.
Electronically submitted or faxed entries are inadmissible.

It is a condition of this Award that the successful applicant agrees to co-operate with MCC Cultural Services in all matters relating to publicity regarding the award.

The MCC Francis Ledwidge Award must be given full accreditation on proposal outcomes.

This award is open to poets over 18 years of age living on the island of Ireland.

**Closing date for receipt of application is
Wednesday 28th November @ 12pm.**

Applications should be forwarded to:

**The Arts Office, Meath County Council, Buvinda House,
Dublin Road, Navan, Co Meath, C15Y291**