



AUDIO HISTORY PROJECT - CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

Hello!

Eastern Angles Theatre Company are launching a brand-new project called **STREETS ALOUD!** and we would love you to get involved. Thanks to funding from Babergh & Mid-Suffolk District Councils we are working with The Bank Arts Centre to create an **atmospheric 30-minute audio experience inspired by the town of Eye**.

THE PROJECT

The **STREETS ALOUD!** recording will be made up of poems, lyrics and short stories written by people who live, work, or attend school in Eye. We hope this project will document personal histories and connect people to **your** town - with it's history told through **your** words. The stories will be read by actors and will sound beautiful thanks to our talented Sound Designer, Jack Baxter.

Once it's finished, the recording will be free to access. People can enjoy listening on their headphones either at home or (ideally!) whilst wandering around town soaking up the sights, smells and sounds that provided the inspiration.

HOW TO GET INVLOVED

If you wish to share your story, we would love to hear from you! This opportunity is open to all and we are looking for contributors of all ages.

We are looking for personal stories inspired by the town - its history, nature, people, shops, weather, transport, animals, homes...whatever fires your imagination! Things that bring you joy, fascinate you and move you. Or maybe you are facing a challenge that you want to highlight. Tell us what you care about.

We are looking for:

- Poems or Song Lyrics (4 40 lines long)
- Short Stories or Prose (100 500 words long)

To submit - please email your entries to Callum Berridge at callum@easternangles.co.uk Or, send hard copy entries to Abbie Schug at The Bank Arts Centre, 2 Castle Street, Eye, IP23 7AN

If you are an individual, please include your **name** and **contact details** with your submission. If you are a teacher submitting your pupils' work, please include your **name**, your class name, and your school contact details.

Deadline for submissions is Friday 1st March 2024.

Please note, we may not be able to use all submissions – it will depend on how many entries we receive. Hopefully lots! We will let you know if your words have been chosen by **Friday 22nd March 2024.**

Eastern Angles is an Arts Council England supported theatre company based in Ipswich. We have been touring theatre across East Anglia for over 40 years. For more information visit: www.easternangles.co.uk

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