

REFUGEE MONTH
PAINTING LIFELINES

A one-day, creative workshop

ZION ARTS CENTRE

Thursday 23rd June 2011 from 9.30 – 4.30pm

A free event

'Painting Lifelines', will be participant led, practical, one-day workshops, offering source material from Ensemble's upcoming show 'Souvenir d'Anne Frank', as a touchstone for participants' own creative responses. Richard Aylwin (visual artist) and Elizabeth Mansfield (writer and performer) from Ensemble's creative team will deliver the workshops, and our collaborative process will include advocacy and mentoring work from Adam Kirkby, North West Regional Coordinator of the Anne Frank Trust UK.



Responding to the source material, through song, story and music, participants will create a collective 'visual score'. A map of shared experience, painted together on a giant canvas, evoking new arrangements of ideas, words, images and sounds, in an intuitive process that everyone can enjoy. The work created – visual scores, poems, stories - will be theirs to share and own.

Participants' work, chosen by themselves and with their agreement, would become part of the 'Souvenir d'Anne Frank' Exhibition, which will be on show at the Zion Arts Centre, during Ensemble's three week residency there in January/February 2012. Participants will be guests of honour at the first performance of 'SOUVENIR D'ANNE FRANK', at the Zion Arts Centre, on Saturday 21st January 2012.

Please contact Saskia@zionarts.com or call her on 0161 232 6097 to book a place. Help with transport costs will be provided.

SOUVENIR D'ANNE FRANK is an **Ensemble** Production

Partnered by the Anne Frank Trust UK, Zion Arts Centre, Manchester, and York Theatre Royal, 'SOUVENIR D'ANNE FRANK' is also supported by the National Lottery through Arts Council England, Spelthorne Borough Council and the Anne Frank Fonds.
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