

View from the Pen

See your writing come to life



Write a fantastic
5-minute theatre piece
and see it performed
by professional
actors.



Write the story of the animals at the City Farm.

Your script could be 1 of 8 performed
in a wonderful weekend of theatre on 2 & 3 July.

Free writing workshops, led by Sheila Hannon, Creative Producer
at Show of Strength, will help you to develop your script.
No need to book. Join one or more of these session at the City Farm.

WORKSHOPS

10 am to 12 noon Sat 5 March 2016
2 pm to 4 pm Mon 14 March 2016
10 am to 12 noon Fri 18 March 2016
7 pm to 9 pm Wed 23 March 2016

PERFORMANCES

2 & 3 July Windmill Hill City Farm, Bedminster
11 September Redcatch Park, Knowle

View from the Pen is a partnership between Windmill Hill City Farm,
Show of Strength Theatre and Entertaining Local Knowle.
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Windmill Hill City Farm, Philip Street, Bedminster, BS3 4EA.

Open 7 days-a-week. Entry free.




In 2016 Windmill Hill City Farm celebrates its 40th birthday. It has teamed up with Show of Strength Theatre, celebrating their 30th birthday in the same year, and Entertaining Local Knowle to invite local people to create 5-minute stories from the point of view of the animals at the City Farm. View from the Pen celebrates the current and previous inhabitants who have lent the farm some character, stolen people's hearts and featured in their photos.

We want experienced and first-time writers to create new 5-minute monologues.

8 of the monologues will be performed by professional actors on 2 & 3 July at Windmill Hill City Farm and on 11th September at Redcatch Park Knowle (part of Art in the Park).

In Bedminster since 1986, Show Of Strength is a professional theatre company. Much of their work focuses on local stories including 'The Wills's Girls' at the Tobacco Factory and 'Walking the Chains' at Brunel's Passenger Shed. In 2009 Show Of Strength created 'Trading Local': theatre in high street shops, seen widely across the region.

For more information see www.windmillhilcityfarm.org.uk or www.showofstrength.org.uk or call 0117 9633252

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