

# Making Noise For a Greener Poplar

*Turning rubbish into rhythm and sound into community action.*

The Men's Cabin in Poplar and the artist-facilitator Margarita Novikova are on a six-month creative journey to make music from discarded materials. Together, we're mapping litter in the area, collecting everyday waste, and transforming it into upcycled "junk instruments." These sounds and stories will come together in a participatory performance where everyone becomes a spectACTOR — no audience, just creators.

*We aim to bring the Poplar community together to rethink recycling and celebrate creativity through reuse.*

The project's dialogue with Poplar's very own Museum of London Docklands reflects our shared interest in transforming found and forgotten objects into stories of people and place. We're excited to explore how this creative approach could contribute to the museum's community engagement work in the future.



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