



**Open Meeting**  
**11am – 1pm**  
**March 17<sup>th</sup> 2026**  
**ONLINE**



Dear colleagues and friends,

When we shared the decision to close the Mulberry Bush Third Space (previously the PETT Barns centre), including the PETT Archives and Special Collections, we knew that it would have a significant and complex impact on the community that the archives and site are meaningful to. We think the time is now right to invite people to come together and process that impact. We know that there are strong feelings about, and different understandings of, the journey we have taken to this point. We want to make sure there has been a chance to explore thoughts and feelings together.

APPCIOS (The Association for Psychodynamic Practice and Counselling in Organisational Settings) have kindly offered to host and facilitate a community meeting. APPCIOS is part of the community of organisation which has included both PETT and Mulberry Bush. APPCIOS shares some key personnel with PETT, but as an organisation has had little direct contact with the archives. We welcome and are grateful for their involvement.

The meeting will be online, 11:00 – 13:00 on March 17<sup>th</sup>. Please email [mstaines@mulberrybush.org.uk](mailto:mstaines@mulberrybush.org.uk) & [ksmith@mulberrybush.org.uk](mailto:ksmith@mulberrybush.org.uk) if you or your organisation would like to attend. We will pass details on to APPCIOS, who will confirm details of the meeting, and send out a link to join online.

Please pass this invitation to others; we need your help to ensure it reaches everyone it needs to.

Warm Regards,

Mike Staines (Mulberry Bush) in collaboration with Phil Faulkner (APPCIOS)