NEWBURY u3a • ABSOLUTELY ZOOMING MARVELLOUS • ONE ACT PLAY READERS • PLAY READING 3 GROUPS

‘There’s a Hole in My Bucket’ by u3a member Kathryn Scott, brought to the airwaves!

A 35th-anniversary production, read by members from each play reading group

CAST LIST

Paul Shave **as Rupert Taylor-Darling (Auctioneer Manager)**
David Clarke **as Boris Bolitho (Valuer)**
Kathryn Scott **as Lisa Longbottom (Valuer)**
David Hossack **as Mr Henry Miggins (Smelly Farmer)**
Brenda Agutter **as Mrs Enid Miggins (His Wife)**
Sheila Yamalioglu **as Assistant (+ any narration)**

Part 1
Part 2
Part 3

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SET IN AN AUCTION HOUSE

How this play reading was brought to life ...



Play reading is an integrated activity held in a member's home for a small group. Members are each given a character part from a play which they then read out as and when their character occurs in the play. This is most easily showcased by way of recording our very own short play, 'There's a Hole in my Bucket', and so this is being broadcast especially for the Open Day today for you to hear (and hereafter will also be found on the Newbury u3a website).

It just so happened that a new u3a member, Kathryn Scott, who had actually written this play herself, joined one of Newbury u3a's three play reading groups very recently. Her background does include the work environment of an auction house, mentioned in the play. Kathryn has agreed that her play can be used and she has kindly "tweaked" it to fit in with the ethos of this year's Newbury u3a 35th Anniversary.

Of course, no-one is expected to be able to write a play! We normally obtain our plays through local library services.

Members taking part are from each of the three play reading groups, viz Actually Zooming Marvellous (from Covid days), One Act Readers and Play Reading 3.

We are grateful to David Clarke and Kennet Radio for recording and broadcasting this original play.