

# The Word Recyclery

Pop-up Recycling Park  
for Troublesome Words



**Leave a troublesome word.  
Rediscover beauty.**

**Do you have a word that hurts, that has lost its shine,  
or is ready for a new life?**

A heavy word, a word that rubs the wrong way, that frightens you, makes you angry or sad?  
Simply leave it here. We will recycle it — with care, imagination, and a touch of poetry.

## **What happens to my word?**

The Word Recyclery is a temporary, artistic and participatory pop-up project. For two weeks, you can leave a troublesome word in the Recycling Park. After that, the park closes and the recycling team gets to work. On ....., you are invited to ..... to attend a poetic-musical performance in which all these words will have been transformed into beauty. Into a moment that touches and connects. With Stien Michiels (spoken word, vocals) and Renke Van Impe (cello, double bass). Even if you haven't submitted a word, you are very welcome.

## **How does it work?**

- You can submit your word here using this form or online (scan the QR code or go to [www.dewoordrecyclagerie.com](http://www.dewoordrecyclagerie.com))
- Fill in the Recycling Menu (on the back or online) and help decide how we will recycle your word.
- Leave your email address and you will automatically receive an invitation for the performance.



**Thank you for entrusting your word to the Word Recyclery.  
We give it a new life — in sound, in silence, in connection.**

Which word would you like to have recycled?

PLEASE WRITE IN BLOCK LETTERS

Would you like to tell us a bit more about it? You may, but you don't have to.

How would you like this word to be recycled? Tick your choices

### Choose a base tone

BASE



**Silence**

☐ Let the word dissolve into space and calm



**Sound**

☐ Let the word resonate in rhythm or sound



**Language**

☐ Give the word a new meaning or structure

### Choose a form

FILLING



**Poem**

☐ A poem, a whisper



**Narration**

☐ A short poetic reflection, an echo

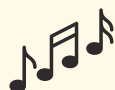


**Improvisation**

☐ Something that arises in the moment

### Choose a setting

BOOSTER



**With music**

☐ Carried by sound



**Without music**

☐ Pure and uncut

### Choose an emotional flavour

SAUCE



**Heartwarming**

☐



**Unsalted**

☐



**Sweet and sour**

☐



**Spicy**

☐



**Fresh and fruity**

☐



**Homemade**

☐



**Surprise me**

☐

### Choose your role during the performance

EXTRA

I enjoy being in the audience

☐ I'm coming to watch, listen, enjoy.  
I definitely don't want any stress,  
and please do NOT call me on stage!

I'd love to join in

☐ I'd love to be invited by name to join in  
during the performance. Surprise me!

My first name and last name

Please keep me informed (email)

Prefer to stay anonymous? No problem. Just make sure to include your name if you'd like to be part of the performance.