



DEAR EVAN HANSEN

*participants wanted for virtual community
to be featured as part of video design*

We're building the video design for Cygnet's upcoming production of *Dear Evan Hansen*, and we want real voices, real faces, and real community members to help bring the show's "virtual community" to life on stage — the way it looks and feels when Evan goes viral online.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

1. Record yourself speaking the "virtual community" lines from "You Will Be Found." Say it the way you'd actually post it, text it, or say it out loud to a friend.
2. Record yourself speaking the "virtual community" lines from "You Will Be Found (Reprise)" — same idea, but for Act II. (Please note: due to the plot of the show, this content includes references to doxxing, self-harm, and other mature themes.)
3. Screen record yourself scrolling social media — Facebook, Instagram, or TikTok. Just scroll like you normally would, be it your personal profile, feed, stories, reels, etc.
4. Use this form to submit your materials: <https://forms.gle/cGCgDG4pFHZKsanz8>

 **Anyone who participates will be invited to attend a dress rehearsal for FREE and receive access to two discounted tickets for the production.**

ADDITIONAL DETAILS

- Adults and teens 12 or older are welcome to participate; please note that the show includes mature themes.
- Please fill out the media release on the next page to include with your submission. A parent or guardian's signature is required for anyone under the age of 16.
- Excerpts from the script are included at the end of this packet.
- If you're not familiar with the show, you can listen to "You Will Be Found" here: <https://youtu.be/mSfH2AuhXfw>
- Please record in vertical or portrait format; if you record a second take, horizontal versions are welcome!
- Imagine you are creating something to share on social media — and get creative by treating it like a GRWM video, a cooking vlog, or capturing yourself in a unique location, etc.
- You don't need to act or sing, and don't worry about sound quality. Just be yourself!
- **Please submit your materials as soon as possible and no later than Sunday, August 9.**

Every submission will become part of the show — your face, your voice, your moment will be up on stage in every single performance.

Because everyone deserves to be found.

If you have questions or encounter any challenges with these instructions, please email Blake McCarty at blake@blindspotcollective.org



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Video Release Form

I, _____ (please print your name) ("Releasor"), hereby grant Cygnet Theatre ("Releasee") the right and permission to publish, reproduce, or otherwise use my name, voice, and likeness as captured on audio and video recordings for the sole presentation of *Dear Evan Hansen*, scheduled for September – October of 2026.

I understand that my image may be edited, copied, exhibited, published, or distributed, and may or may not be used. I waive the right to inspect or approve the finished product wherein my likeness appears.

I understand that no compensation is due for this use of audio and video recordings. In lieu of compensation, I shall be invited to attend the final dress rehearsal of *Dear Evan Hansen* on September 8, 2026 at 7pm. Additionally, I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising or related to the use of my image or recording.

I understand and agree that the recorded materials will be the sole property of Releasee and will not be returned to me. I also understand that these materials may be used for any lawful purpose and in any manner, form, or format whatsoever now or hereinafter created, including, but not limited to, the Internet, advertisements, e-mails, social media, and television.

By signing this release, I acknowledge that I have completely read and fully understand the above release and agree to be bound thereby.

Releasor's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Print Name: _____

If I am legally under the age of 16, my undersigned parent or legal guardian hereby consents, jointly and severally, to the above and agrees to indemnify and hold Releasee harmless against any claim of mine or of my heirs, executors, or administrators, arising hereunder which may hereafter be asserted against Releasee.

Parent / Guardian's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Print Name: _____

VIRTUAL COMMUNITY / ACT I

Oh my god.
Everybody needs to see this.
I can't stop watching this video.
Seventeen years old.
Take five minutes
This will make your day.
Share it with the people you love.
Share.

The world needs to hear this.
A beautiful tribute.
Like.

I know someone who really needed to hear this today, so thank you Evan Hansen for doing what you're doing.

I never met you, Connor. But coming on here, reading everyone's posts... It's so easy to feel alone.

But Evan is exactly right. We're not alone. None of us.
We're not alone.

None of us.
None of us are alone.
Like.

Forward.
Especially now, with everything you hear in the news.

Like.
Share.
Love.

Forward.
Thank you, Evan Hansen, for giving us the space to remember Connor.

To be together.
To find each other.

Share.
Sending prayers from Michigan.
Vermont.

Tampa.
Sacramento.
Thank you Evan Hansen.

Share.
Thank you, Evan.
Watch until the end.

This video is everything right now.
Thank you, Evan.

All the feels.
This is about community.
The meaning of friendship.

Thank you.
Thanks to Evan.
Evan Hansen
Thank you, Evan Hansen.

***tip from the director: breathe
between each line and treat
the next line like a new post***

VIRTUAL COMMUNITY / ACT II

Have people seen this?

Connor Murphy's suicide note.

This is the actual, authentic...

Forward.

The whole world needs to see this.

Share it with everyone you know.

This is why the orchard is so important, guys.

I just gave fifty dollars for the orchard and I think everyone else should give as much as they can.

Like.

His parents present themselves...

He wrote his suicide note to Evan Hansen, because he knew his family didn't give a shit.

His parents, by the way, are insanely rich.

Forward.

Share.

Like.

Maybe they should have spent their money on helping their son instead of...

Please give.

Evan Hansen was the only one who was paying any attention.

Favorite.

Share.

Forward.

Like all my hope is pinned on Zoe.

Zoe's a stuck-up bitch...

I go to school with her, trust me.

Share.

Like.

Forward.

Larry Murphy is a corporate lawyer who only cares about...

Cynthia Murphy is one of these disgusting women...

A hundred and sixty more dollars and the orchard will be fully funded

Fuck the Murphys.

Make them feel what Connor felt.

I love you guys.

Oh my god, we are two hundred dollars *over* our goal.

Their house is at the end of the cul-de-sac with the red door.

Zoe's bedroom window is on the right.

The gate to the back is completely unlocked.

Zoe's cell phone number, if my sources are correct.

I gave twenty.

I'm not saying to do anything illegal.

All hours, day and night.

A thousand.

Ring the doorbell.

Keep calling until they answer.

***remember: while the
comments in the Act I are
kind, they turn cruel in Act II***