

HITTING HOME



Futures Theatre Company will be performing an excerpt of their play **Hitting Home**

On **Tues 9 Dec 2008**
At **5.30pm-6.00pm**
(followed by a short Q&A session)

Venue: **Studio 101, Kingston College, Kingston Hall Rd, KT1 2AQ** (next to the Guildhall Complex).

FREE entry!! All are warmly invited to attend.

Hitting Home is adapted from Andrea Ashworth's autobiography 'Once in a House on Fire'. The performance explores Andrea and her sister's 1970's childhood and their differing responses to growing up in a violent home. **Hitting Home** aims to raise awareness and understanding around domestic violence.

Futures Theatre Company toured nationally with a full-length version of **Hitting Home** in summer 2008 to great acclaim and continues to deliver this shortened version throughout the year at conferences, within community settings and at schools, colleges and universities.

"I hate to think that there are families going through what we went through, but I'm grateful to know that my family's story might be able to make a difference

because of the exciting, crucial work of Futures Theatre....

Futures is a blast of the freshest, most life-saving air."

Andrea Ashworth, April 2008



"This was the most powerful and moving play for schools that I have ever seen. As teachers we can talk all we like about Domestic Violence but that got across the message in a way that is more successful than we could ever be." **Teacher 2008**

"They will take what they learned with them into their future relationships" **Teacher 2008**

"I found the play extremely moving and despite the fact that I have worked in the field of violence against women for nearly 25 years it still reduced me to tears...." **Audience member 2008**

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