

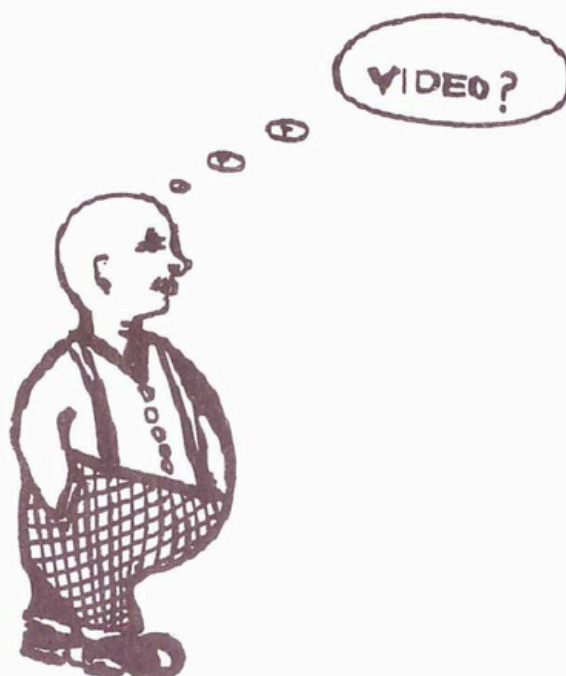


What Is It?

Oval Video is a new community TV centre started to make Video equipment and production facilities available to people in North Lambeth. Based at Oval House we now have a wide range of colour TV production equipment for you to use. We aim to teach local people to make Videotape TV programmes about local issues and events. If you're involved in a community campaign or event then you may find that a Video Tape could help you put your ideas across. We will be running workshops to teach production techniques and make local TV news programmes. The programmes we make will be shown throughout the area so if you've got something to say why not get in touch?

Some History

Oval Video will take over where the Two Borough Video Project left off. Under the Two Borough project, many different groups in the borough learnt how to use basic black and white Video recording equipment. Video tapes were made by children's groups, tenants associations and community centres about all sorts of local issues and events. We hope that all these groups will continue to use Oval Video.



Access..... ..

Oval Video will offer local groups and individuals the chance to borrow a range of colour Video equipment for recording, and also for playbacks of pre-recorded tapes. This equipment will be made available subject to the project's own production schedules and wherever possible Borrowers will be expected to pay a small hire charge towards the running cost of the project.

Equipment

Oval Video has both VHS and U-matic portable and mains V.C.Rs (Video Cassette Recorders) with a range of colour cameras both single and three tube. We have a number of colour monitors as well as facilities for mixing with a two-camera portable studio system.;

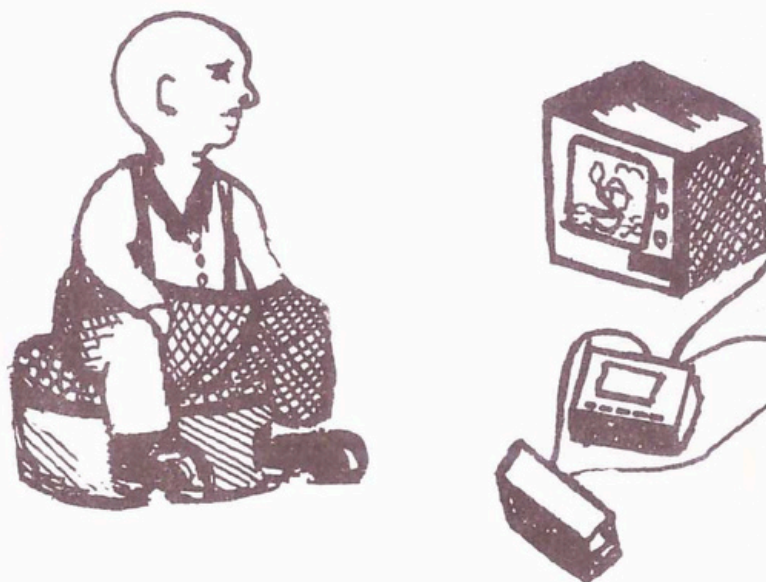
Workshops.....

Regular workshops in Video production techniques will be an important part of the new TV centre. We want to develop a locally based production team who will be able to work with us on making Video films. The workshops will be open to anyone in the N.Lambeth area, they will run for 8-week sessions with two sessions per week. Each session will be directed towards the production of a local news TV programme which will then be shown around the area. Oval Video will also run occasional training weekends on the use of VHS and U-matic video recording equipment. Workshop members will be asked to pay a course fee towards the running cost of the workshop.



Productions.....

Each year, Oval Video will also be making a number of video films of interest to local groups. If you've got an idea for a TV film based on something that's happened in your area then get in touch with the project coordinator and they'll see if they can help you make your programme.



Screenings.....

Look out for Oval Video production screenings in your local area. As we gradually build up a library of programmes we hope to develop more and more places to show them, if your pub, club, canteen, school, youth club, or community centre would like a Video tape shown contact Oval Video.

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