About the zine

General Information · https://the-haven.co/docs/community-zine/

Coming To Our Senses is our community zine.

Issues explore a topic set in motion by a “Phrase Maze” conversation and feature member contributions.

New issues are published approximately every two months. The written version is released as a 16-page PDF (mini-zine format), and an audio/video version is also created with music, field recordings, and narration.

The Workflow

Phrase Maze - we meet to explore a prompt together (e.g. "It's the thought that counts"). We look at it from different angles, perspectives, and potential meanings

Development - members are invited to consider contributing to the zine under the banner of the phrase we explored (a replay of the Phrase Maze is available during this time)

Submissions - I get everything in approximately two weeks before the release date

Production - I pull everything together and arrange it all in the digital zine before narrating it and composing music for the video version

Watch Party - we get together to watch the video (30-40 minutes) on Zoom

Each issue is publicly available until the next one is released, at which time it goes into The Library and is only accessible for members.

Physical Prints

I would love to do more physical prints of the zine in future. Let me know if this is something that appeals to you.

The Latest Issue

You can read and watch the latest issue here.

Contribute to a Future Issue

If you would like to get involved, get in touch with me (Andy) through the form below. Even if you aren't sure what you want to do, I love helping people brainstorm ideas that they are excited about exploring with no pressure to use anything you're not happy with at the end.