BUOYRR
How’d Birdie Get To Where We’ve Gone?
Sunday July 8 through Saturday July 14

BuoyRR is an annual residency and retreat for women founded by Viva Soudan and Bailey Nolan. Women is defined as an identity beyond a gender binary including trans and female-identified people. This year’s program is hosted at The Peace Barn, a fifteen-acre spiritual sanctuary in Deep River, Connecticut.

Combatting the patriarchal standards of the art world, BuoyRR uses an unconventional application process and focuses on the shared experience of art making in order to rewrite the traditional concept of a residency. Applicants need no previous dance or performance experience, simply a body. Workshops focus on empowerment, inclusivity, and collaboration.

Structured as an intensive, residents develop choreography in various natural landscapes to create a site-specific dance film portrayed through a surrealist lens. Material will be built around the theme of impermanence, defined through group process.

This social experiment aims to unify artistic agency with collective consciousness.

To invite conversation, media, requests, or further inquiries, please contact info@buoyrr.org or visit www.buoyrr.org

BuoyRR was founded in 2015. It has been featured in publications including Paper Magazine, The Creators Project, MILK, Topical Cream, et al. Notable artists in residence and BuoyRR collaborators include Claire Christerson, Alexandra Marzella, India Salvor Menuez, Monica Mirabile, Nomi Ruiz, and Prue Stent.