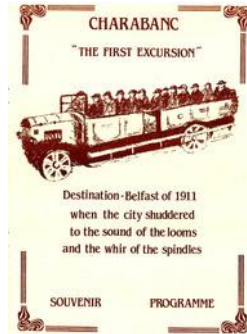


**Lay Up Your Ends¹ at 40:
A Celebration of Charabanc Theatre Company and
Women's² Theatre in Northern Ireland**



A Symposium

**Brian Friel Theatre, Queen's University Belfast
Friday 27th October 2023, 9.30am-7pm**

- 9.30-10.00 *Registration*
- 10.00-11.30 Welcome & Panel 1: Charabanc Theatre Company**
Speakers: Dr Charlotte Headrick and Dr Ciara Murphy
- 11.30-12.00 *Coffee break*
- 12.00-13.00 Rehearsed Reading of a new play by Brenda Winter Palmer,**
At Home with Typhoid Mary
- 13.00-14.00 *Lunch*
- 14.00-15.15 Panel 2: Gender & Contemporary Theatre in NI**
Speakers: Dr Alex Coupe and Ross Anderson-Doherty
- 15.15-15.30 *Comfort break*
- 15.30-16.45 Artist Panel Chaired by Margaret Cronin**
Speakers: Finn Kennedy, Zoe Seaton, Alice Malseed, Gina Donnelly
- 16.45-17.00 *Comfort break*
- 17.00-18.30 Performance Lecture & Q&A: 'Watch Our lips, We're Speaking:
Charabanc's First Production, Lay Up Your Ends'**
Carol Moore, with Marie Jones & Brenda Winter
Chair: Dr Charlotte Headrick

¹ The text of *Lay Up Your Ends* was authored by Martin Lynch, Marie Jones & the Company.

² We understand the term 'woman' as an inclusive one to describe any female-identifying persons; our event seeks to mark the work of queer and gender non-conforming persons as well as those identifying as women.