



**DALKEY CASTLE &  
HERITAGE CENTRE**



**2-4 October 2026**

# ECH(O)ES

**Maeve Binchy Literary Festival**

**AT DALKEY CASTLE & HERITAGE CENTRE**

**Friday 2nd October 7.30pm, €34.95\***

## **Happiness Then...**

Elizabeth Moynihan's play exploring family, identity and belonging. *Directed by Liam Halligan, starring Sorcha Furlong and Rachel Dowling. Post-show discussion with Elizabeth Moynihan and Professor Ian Robertson.*

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 9.30am-5.30pm, Full Day €75\* Half Day €45\***

**Echoes of Maeve & Gordon ... an exciting day of conversations, interviews and readings featuring:**

John Boyne in conversation with Ryan Tubridy; Lorraine Kelly in conversation with Miriam O'Callaghan; and Dominic Dromgoole, Sarah Binchy, Dermot Bolger, Rory Carroll, Sinead Crowley, Martina Devlin, Caroline Erskine, Neil Hegarty, Faith Hogan, Professor Margaret Kelleher, Julia Kelly, Catriona Lally, Niall MacMonagle, Chris Morash, Vicki Notaro, Doireann Ní Ghríofa and John O'Donnell.

## **Sunday 4th October**

**11.00am Marvellously Maeve Guided Walk, €28.95\***

From Dalkey Castle. Numbers limited.

**3.00pm Maeve Binchy's A Flat in Ringsend, €34.95\* A**

Rehearsed Reading directed by Jim Culleton, Artistic Director of Fishamble: The New Play Company.

Followed by a discussion with Jim Culleton and Gillian Binchy.

## **Booking online**

**[www.echoes.ie](http://www.echoes.ie) [www.dalkeycastle.com](http://www.dalkeycastle.com)**

\*Booking fees apply



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