



## Volpone



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## Theatre (comedy)

 Venue  
152

Paradise in Augustines – Sanctuary

18:35

Aug 26

2 hours 20 minutes

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Group: Arbery Productions

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Daniela

14 days ago

I really enjoyed this performance and so did most of the audience when I was there judging by folk's reactions. It's long – but it didn't feel too long to me – the cast were having a ball, with the two leads being particularly strong (maybe that's not enough for some folk, but it was for the 6 of us) and the 2 hours flew by. Go and see it – there should even be some flyers around which will give you 2 for 1.

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Jon Wainwright

17 days ago

A strong lead carries the title role, and this production, although weak in parts, makes a decent fist of this classic play. Its running time is unusual for a fringe show (a couple in front of us at the box office, rather than thinking of it as good value, bailed out upon learning it was over 2 hours long). There is an interval (again unusual), and it was good enough for us to stick around.

Volpone's servant Mosca is one of theatre's great parts, and the actor (female) playing her has good comic timing, pulling the strings of all the greedy hangers-on (and, as it turns out, those of her own master). Unfortunately, she didn't always have the projection needed for this largeish venue.

It may not be the highest praise, but there are plenty of sub-hour fringe shows that feel longer than this, and that are far less worthwhile spending time and money on.

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