

Diamond Valley Singers present

# A FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON THE WAY TO THE FORUM

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# Synopsis

In a desperate attempt to win his freedom, the slave, Pseudolus, attempts to help his young master, Hero, earn the love of a courtesan, Philia.

Meanwhile, Pseudolus has to outsmart Hero's parents, the slave-master, Lycus, and Miles Gloriosus, the "large" man that has already paid for Philia. Also, an old man Erronius is desperately searching for his lost children stolen in infancy.

Director	Lynne Counsel
Musical Director	Graham Ford
Pianist	Gerard Banner

# Cast

Prologus/Pseudolus, slave to Hero	Tom Louws
Senex , an old man	Gary Short
Domina, his wife	Eleesha Higbed 16,18 & 24 Sandra Louws 17, 23 & 25
Hero, his son	Lindsay Pritchard
Hysterium, slave to Senex and Domina	Daniel Broadstock
Erronius, another old man	Noel Rawson
Miles Gloriosus, a warrior	John Leahy
Marcus Lycus, a buyer an seller or slaves	Adrian de Leonardis

Courtesans from the House of Lycus

Tintinabula	Meg Molan-Cox
Vibrata	Juliet Elizabeth
Panacea	Anne Sharkey
Gymnasia	Sandra Louws/Eleesha Higbed
The Geminae	Jeanette Flint & Angela Hennel
Proteans	Adam Louws, Trevor D'Ambrosio, Alan Flint

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Broadford Amateur Theatrical Society (BATS) for their generous loan of sets and costumes.

# Musical Numbers

## Act 1

Comedy Tonight

Prologus, Proteans and  
Company

Love, I Hear

Hero

Free

Pseudolus and Hero

The House of Marcus Lycus

Lycus and Pseudolus

Lovely

Philia and Hero

Pretty Little Picture

Pseudolus, Philia and Hero

Everybody Ought to Have a Maid

Senex, Pseudolus, Hysterium and  
Lycus

I'm Calm

Hysterium

Impossible

Senex and Hero

Bring Me My Bride

Miles Gloriosus, Pseudolus,  
Courtesans and Proteans

## Act 2

That Dirty Old Man

Domina

That'll Show Him

Philia

Lovely (Reprise)

Pseudolus and Hysterium

Funeral Sequence

Miles Gloriosus, Courtesans  
and Proteans

Comedy Tonight (Reprise)

Company

Front of House

Philip Connell with Shirley, Fiona,  
Loris, Gail, Mavis, Barbara,  
Adrienne, Leonie, Tony and Jeanette

Costumes

BATS and cast

Sets

Noel Rawson, Tom Louws,  
Lynne Counsel, anyone else??? and cast

Lighting

Ian Craig

Tickets

Angela Hennel

