

the Lions part

I will roar that I will do any mans heart good to heare me.

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The City Wives' Confederacy

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9 December 2008 – 18 January 2009

Tues – Sat 7.30pm, Sun 4pm

(no perfs 24 - 29, 31 Dec; 1 - 4 Jan)

the Lions part in association with Fresh Glory Productions

Mixing an elegant comedy of manners with a feisty touch of farce, this is a world of want and desire where the men are all rogues and the women are no better than they ought to be.

A biting critique of marriage, money, make-up and missing diamonds in the outrageous soap-opera world of Restoration London.

City brokers Gripe and Moneytrap lust after each other's wives. Their bored trophy wives lust after more money.

A bogus gold-digging colonel has his eye on Gripe's daughter. The servants have their eye on the main chance.

Some things just never change...

the Lions part has been producing theatre together since 1995. The company works on a wide variety of theatre in many settings from the street markets of Bankside and rural village halls to royal palaces and large theatres.

"an exceptionally talented and innovative company pushing the boundaries of dramatic invention" - Christopher Fry

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if you've seen enough pantos to last you a lifetime...

if you're a regular theatre-goer who loves classic drama...

or if you really prefer Footballers' Wives...

...this is the Christmas Show for you!

TICKETS: £12, £10 concs

(concessions: OAPs, UB40, reg disabled, students; proof is required)

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