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## ALL THAT FALL BY SAMUEL BECKETT



## 'I suppose you wouldn't be in need of a small load of dung?'

We have hit the trifecta by being part of the La Mama Spring Season, The Fortieth Fringe Festival and also the Seniors Festival 2022.

Following the phenomenal success of 'Waiting for Godot '(1953), Beckett's 'All That Fall' was commissioned for radio in 1956, and delights in combining spoken word, music and sound effects.

This staged production is directed by Greenroom Award-winning director Melanie Beddie, with Foley sound using everyday objects designed by the much lauded Jane Bayly and performed by the ensemble.

'All That Fall' features Carole Patullo (recently seen in 'Hearth' and 'Broken River') and Tom Considine ('Mother Courage' and an acclaimed performance as Lucky in 'Waiting for Godot'), and introduces Dan O'Halloran, newcomer to the Melbourne stage, in a number of roles.

Set in a village south of Dublin, this poignant yet wickedly humorous radio play tells the story of an elderly woman who heads out to greet her husband at the station on his birthday. Beckett tells us that this couple are, despite the vagaries of life, "Happy though Married". Soon, events take a dark turn...

In contemporary Melbourne, where lockdowns have

Written by Samuel Beckett Directed by Melanie Beddie

**Performed by** Carole Patullo, Tom Considine, Jane Bayly, Dan O'Halloran and Melanie Beddie

LX design Bronwyn Pringle Sound design Jane Bayly S/M Kat Carrington Image John Cumming

SEASON	5 - 16 October 2022
TIMES	Wed, Fri 6.30pm
	Thu 8.30pm
	Sat 8th 4pm & 6.30pm
	Sut 15th 8.30pm
	Sun 9th 4pm & 6.30pm
VENUE	Sun 16th 4pm La Mama HQ, 205 Faraday St Carlton VIC 3053
LENGTH	Approx. 65 minutes
TICKETS	\$30 Adult   \$20 Concession
BOOKINGS	03 9347 6948
	www.lamama.com.au

brought focus to our local communities and to our own footsteps on well-worn paths, 'All That Fall' reminds us to listen carefully, look closely and celebrate that...

'It is a blessed thing to be alive in such weather and out of hospital' Link to short trailer (<u>click here</u>)

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