

“As Doc, Bob Hess carries the comedic bulk of the show with a goofy charm and an obnoxious air of obliviousness that slowly sheds away as the show progresses. He also draws inspiration from some of the finest comic actors of our time, both on screen and onstage. Hess's lightning-fast pacing and overt lasciviousness reminded me as some of Mel Brooks's best work, and his physical comedy and tender moments of sincere emotion were reminiscent of the performances of Gene Wilder.”

*--Zac Thriffiley **Broadway World**, August 24, 2019*

“...Hess and Anderson do make for a heck of a comedy duo in that vein, with Hess as the cowardly wise guy to Anderson's endlessly competent straight (wo)man. It's a tribute to both actors that you feel the years of history rolling off them. Hess brings a self-deprecating charm to the role that's essential to keep the audience from despising the character who, on paper, isn't overly endowed with redeeming characteristics.”

*--Jill Sweeney **Theater Jones**, August 23, 2019*

“Bob Hess was incredibly believable in the role of Doc. Through facial expression, body language, and a wonderful sense of comic timing, Hess convincingly portrayed the arrogant and egotistical protagonist character who is tested throughout the story with friendship, loyalty, and romance. Hess brought great physicality to the role, and never faltered in his comic delivery. Mr. Hess has a fantastic stage voice. He easily took charge of the story and kept me on the edge of my seat wondering what ludicrous event or moment would be next. Fantastic job, Mr. Hess. Thank you for keeping the audience laughing.”

*--Genevieve Croft, **THE COLUMN ONLINE**, August 17, 2019*