

ENTERTAINMENT



Breathtaking spectacle

REVIEW

■ **Snow White On Ice, Pavilion Theatre, Bournemouth**

TV VIEWERS may be tuning in in their millions to watch celebrities and professional skaters compete in Skating on Ice but the Pavilion Theatre is the place to go this week for the most spectacular skating on the planet!

For a dozen or more years Bournemouth and Poole has been honoured to stage the most

wonderful ice theatre, featuring world-class and Olympic champion skaters from The Russian Ice Stars.

Wild Rose Productions have again pulled out a cracker with their first ever production of Snow White based on the original Grimm's storyline.

The company's long-standing highly innovative choreographer/artistic director Giuseppe Arena who has been invited to choreograph the opening ceremony at the 2006

Winter Olympics in Turin, has pushed the skaters and the possibilities of ice dance in ever new directions.

Ballet, gymnastics, themed dances from around the world and, not least, incredible circus acts, combined with skating leaps, lifts, twirls and sheer daredevilment all add up to a mesmerising, jaw-dropping show from start to finish.

Snow White runs until Saturday.

Hilary Porter