

agenda production International presents
Russian Circus on Ice

The first ice circus in the world presents its latest spectacle for the whole family



The Snow Queen

The new ice show production for the great European tour
in season 2016-2017 in more than 60 cities in Europe
including Germany, Switzerland and Austria
and The Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden, Norway and Finland.

Information + Tickets: www.russian-circus-on-ice.com

The **Russian Circus on Ice** takes the audience on a magical journey into a magical fairy tale world with an impressively staged new ice show, a symbiosis of ice dance and breathtaking circus artistry.

A classic tale of friendship, love, and bravery, **The Snow Queen** is now beautifully retold in a new on ice adaptation and production by the **Russian Circus on Ice**. Kai and Gerda are childhood best friends, but when Kai falls under the spell of the wicked Snow Queen, Gerda sets out on magical adventure to rescue him from her evil enchantment. Full of mystery and fantasy, this delightful new ice show production is a holiday must-see for the entire family.

Artistry, Glamour and the greatest technical perfection on skates! With grace, beauty and elegance, with incredible lightness and the greatest technical precision, the audience is carried off into a fairy-tale world.

New, innovative, superb production, new imaginative, spectacular choreographies, over 300 new splendid costumes, intoxicating music and breathtaking acrobatics. The energetically elegant ice ballet combined with a magnificent, traditional Russian circus programme creates a truly magical spectacle for the whole family.

Based on Hans Christian Andersen's beloved winter tale about a boy who is lost in the cold, and the girl who won't give up until she finds him: H.C. Anderson's tale **The Snow Queen**, first published on 21 December 1844, is recommended for children eight and up ... and adults 99+

The story of The Snow Queen is one of Andersen's longest and most highly acclaimed stories, and Danish writer Hans Christian Andersen is probably the world's most celebrated teller of fairy-tales, perhaps even more famous than Charles Perrault or the Brothers Grimm.

Now the new production **The Snow Queen** leads the spectator into the magical world where the Good and the Beautiful reign, where all dreams can be fulfilled and where you also would like to go back to again and again as an adult: The Snow Queen is the rare and most spectacular ice show production for the entire family:

The Snow Queen's sprites are creating a magic mirror out of ice, but when it is unveiled she sees not her own reflection but that of two friends, Kay and Gerda, in love in a summer landscape rather than the Snow Queen's permafrost. The Snow Queen appears before the boy Kay who is mesmerised by her beauty. An icicle pierces his heart and eye and he collapses. Becoming lost to his friends, Kay is captured by the Snow Queen and her followers and disappears into the frozen night sky. Not knowing what has happened to him, Gerda has a dream about roses that tells her Kay is still alive. Eventually Gerda goes in search of Kay with a friendly reindeer as companion and arrives at the Snow Queen's palace where Kay is frozen behind the Snow Queen's mirror. If he can solve the puzzle he will be freed. Gerda's actions ultimately unfreeze the mirror and Kay is liberated.

Join the **Russian Circus on Ice** new ice show production in their beautiful re-telling of Hans Christian Andersen's classic fairytale **The Snow Queen**: This spectacular production follows the story of Gerda and her quest to find her friend Kay, whom the Snow Queen has placed under an evil spell. Gerda's fantastic adventure takes her on a journey across the frozen north where she encounters a band of gypsy's, enchanted reindeer and a mysterious and reclusive Lapland woman. Gerda is told by the mysterious woman to continue travelling north, where she will find Kay and the Snow Queen's Palace of Ice. Only Gerda's love for Kay can release him from the spell and break the Snow Queen's curse of eternal winter.

The **Russian Circus on Ice** renowned company of international ice stars and dancers, circus artists and artists on ice, beautiful costumes and glittering ice stage sets combine to create a magnificent spectacle, all set to a glorious and magical score.

For 50 years the **Russian Circus on Ice**, the first ice circus in the world has entranced the public with artistry and glamour on skates, thrilling acrobatics, jugglers, tightrope walkers, figure skaters and clowns in a sparkling ice arena to bursts of applause.

"Sensational" (SZ),

"Brilliant" (Welt am Sonntag),

"Top performances of circus arts" (Der Tagesspiegel),

"Multi-faceted spectacle" (Main Post),

"Intoxicating presentation" (Morgenpost)

"The most spectacular and most beautiful show in the world" (SZ)

"Light effects, enchanting costumes and gentle movements on the ice transform the arena into a fairy-tale landscape" (WAZ)

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We thank the media for these extremely positive reviews. This year also we will continue the tradition by superbly combining Russian skating and circus skills with an excellently staged show programme.

Wherever the **Russian Circus on Ice** is a guest, the audience is thrilled as every person all over the world understands the language of this art. Words cannot express what you see, hear and feel in this show!

Wherever the **Russian Circus on Ice** appears, the audience is always left fascinated. Let yourself be taken away by this authentic, magical and spectacular show!

You just have to have seen it!

A fascinating ice circus show for young and old.

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