

'Cool' cooking experience -196°

With its -196° Experience, IceLink shows how to do cool cooking, not just cold cooking. A cool breeze shot across the room when the liquid nitrogen was poured onto the barbecue plate. The freeze-dried tomato mousse with Parma ham and artichoke mousse with Tasmanian pepper were just as pleasing to the palette as the sight of the cook enjoying his 'dragon experience'. Spectators were enthralled by the host's 'dragon's breath' after he placed a piece of the frozen mousse in his mouth and breathed it out of his nose as if through a dragon's nostrils. It's just a shame that rapper Taboo from the hip-hop outfit Black Eyed Peas, one of IceLink's advertising icons, had to pull out of the evening event which was held in a Basel nightclub. All the same, there was plenty for visitors to see from bling-bling to diamond rims worth 250,000 euros and the 55 mm wide Six-Time-Zone watch. IceLink reflects the trend towards ever larger watches – for women too. All manner of gemstone decorations create exclusivity and luxury. IceLink, represented at BASELWORLD for the first time this year, has secured a place for itself here with well-known names from the West Coast and striking large-scale designs. (tss) ■



Not a dragon heart but a dragon's breath was seen at the IceLink-booth