Press Release

PENTAMETERS THEATRE

presents

Mirror Mirror by Robert Calvert

Nostalgia for the future

a futuristic fantasy, set in 2030, by the renowned writer, poet, musician & lead singer with Hawkwind **Robert Calvert** (9th April 1944-14th August 1988)

"a precise potency" Time Out ****

"Well worth seeing, a unique piece of science fiction visionary theatre" "funny and touching" Fringe Review****

Mirror Mirror was written in 1979 by Robert Calvert, inspired by his friend, Helen Mirren. It portrays Eleanor Bryant (**Eva Gray**), her psychechromic dress which responds to her feelings and moods, a multiperspectival mirror which reflects her image as others see her, and her encounter with a Mirror Technician from Reflexotronics (**Christian Devellerez**).

Directed and produced by **Léonie Scott-Matthews** who first presented **Robert Calvert** at Pentameters in 1969 reading from his play 'The Box'. He subsequently read his poetry there and **Léonie Scott-Matthews** commissioned him to write the successful play 'Stars That Play with Laughing Sam's Dice' which has had several productions at Pentameters and elsewhere over the years.

Mirror Mirror will be a multimedia event, featuring poetry, film, specially commissioned music and set designs.

Set Design/Costumes by Alice Old and Oliver Archimedes Sound Design by Godfrey Old Lighting by Oliver Cooper Assistant Director/Stage Manager Deneige Barr Special Thanks to Chris Purdon, Jill Calvert and Rob Groves

PRESS NIGHT 21st July 7.30 for 8pm

19th July-14th August 2011 Tuesday-Saturday 8pm, Sunday 5pm Tickets £12, £10 concessions Box Office/Press 020 7435 3648

Pentameters Theatre (above The Horseshoe pub) 28 Heath Street, Hampstead, NW3 6TE

One minute from Hampstead tube station, entrance in Oriel Place www.pentameters.co.uk