Risk Assessment Nick Twist, Magician

Activity:	Strolling/static balloon twisting	Date:	5/1/25 Review date: Jan 2026		
Assessor:	Nick Chapman	Ref:	Perf02		

			Likelihood		Severity		Risk				
Significant Hazards	People affected	L	М	Н	L	М	Н	L	М	Н	Control measure(s)
Slips, trips, falls	All present	X				X			X		Appropriate safe working distance from the audience. When finishing a performance at a table or area, Nick must not step back without first checking for waiting staff or guests. Failure to do so could cause collision. Performer will assess the work area for trip / slip / fall hazards at each performance and ensure the working area is safe.
Popped balloons – Can be an environmental hazard (wildlife danger) or slip hazard.		Х			X			х			Always pick up any popped balloons as working. Upon finishing, check the area for any balloon material and clear.
Injury incurred when transporting equipment from vehicle to performance space	All present	Х			Х			X			Care taken when carrying heavy equipment. Be aware of objects and people around when transporting equipment.
Choking on balloons	Guests	Х				Х			Х		When handing out balloons, do not allow those under three years of age to receive one – choking hazard.

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							If LED lights are being used inside the balloons, warn recipient not to put them into their mouths (battery swallowing leads to death). Hand only to responsible children or adults only.
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