



# Brilliant with Balloons

featuring  
**Sempertex® Balloons**

## LINK-O-LOON® CANOPY



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Cody's Red Balloon

*To keep assembly time to a minimum,  
gather the materials and read through  
the instructions before beginning.*

### LABOR

About 30 minutes (canopy only)

### MATERIALS

(For 6' x 6' Canopy)

- 122 5" Reflex Gold Sempertex latex balloons #51148
- 27 11" Reflex Blue Sempertex latex balloons #53143
- 27 11" Reflex Violet Sempertex latex balloons #53144
- 27 11" Reflex Key Lime Sempertex latex balloons #53142
- 96 12" LINK-O-LOON® Metallic Gold Sempertex latex balloons #54082

#### Framing (indoor)

- 4 Elegant Butterfly Columns  
(see instruction sheet)

#### Framing (outdoor)

Not recommended for outdoor use



### INSTRUCTIONS

**DESIGN NOTE:** Tie all LINK-O-LOON together tightly.

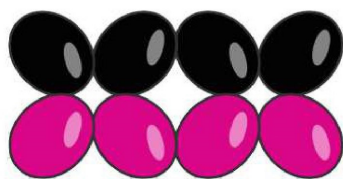
1. Inflate 16 12" Metallic Gold LINK-O-LOON to 10", tie them end-to-end to form two chains of eight balloons, and set aside.



2. Inflate 80 12" Metallic Gold LINK-O-LOON TO 10" and tie them end-to-end to form eight chains of 10 balloons.



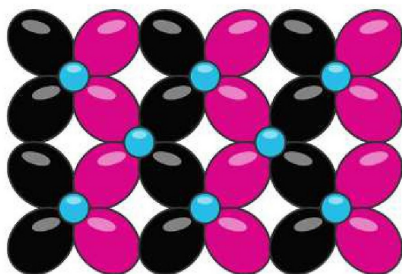
**3.** Tie two of the chains of 10 together, forming one long chain. Continue to connect these two chains by twisting them together every two balloons on each chain, forming an X-pattern. Tie the very ends of the chains together.



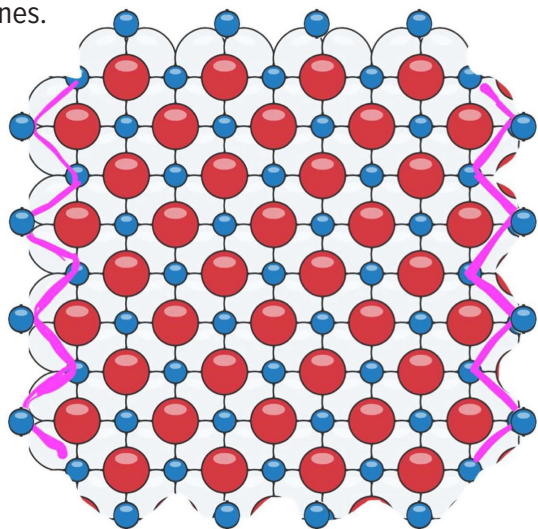
**4.** Repeat Step 3 for the remaining chains of 10. This will give you four sections.

**5.** Inflate 122 5" Reflex Gold balloons to 4.5" and tie into duplets. You will have 61 duplets.

**6.** Connect the 5" duplets to the duplet chains where the center of the X is formed by the LINK-O-LOON®. Once this is complete, connect all of the duplet chains together using the 5" duplets. This is accomplished by placing two duplet chains side-by-side and wrapping the 5" duplets around the points where they meet to connect them together.



**7.** Attach the remaining chains of eight LINK-O-LOON® to the sides of the design, starting the first balloon one down on the side of the canopy as shown in the illustration by the pink lines.

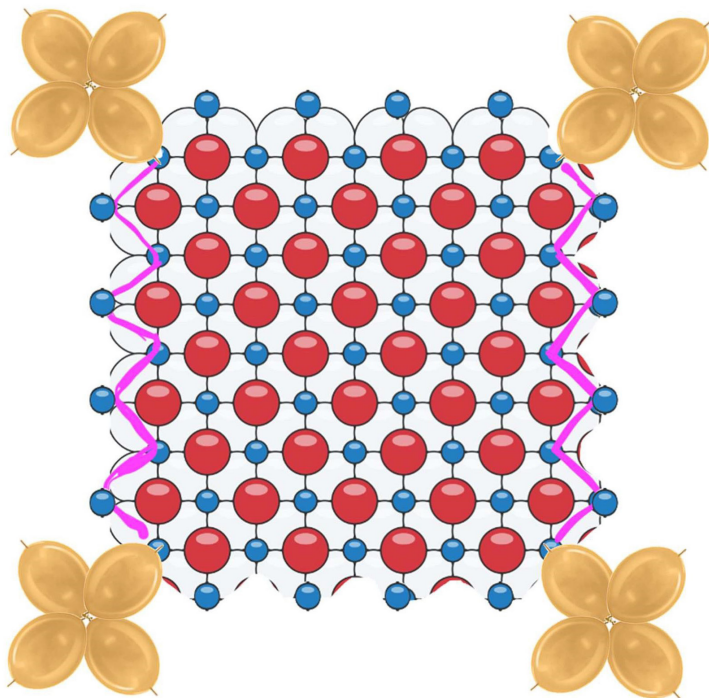


**8.** Attach 5" duplets to every connection point on the design, including the ends on each side. (Shown as blue balloons in illustration.)

**9.** Inflate the 11" Reflex Blue, Violet and Key Lime balloons to 10", and tie into duplets of the same color.

**10.** Place these duplets into the holes in the canopy. (Shown as red balloons in the illustration.)

**11.** Attach the corners of the canopy to each Elegant Butterfly Column by tying a Metallic Gold LINK-O-LOON® to the top quad of each Column.



**12.** Move the Columns closer together to get the LINK-O-LOON® Canopy to bow upward between the four Columns.

#### — PRO TIPS —

*Attach Cody's LINK-O-LOON® Canopy to four Elegant Butterfly Columns (separate instruction sheet) to create a beautiful cake table backdrop or dance floor treatment. For larger canopies or to get greater lift for the canopy, add helium-filled 36" Metallic Gold latex balloons as shown at right.*

