

**Sempertex**

# Jumbo Jubilee Centrepiece or Buffet Design

*Jubilee*

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## Product Required:

- 12 x Sempertex 5" Reflex Blue 20014167
- 12 x Sempertex 5" Reflex Crystal Red 20014505
- 3 or 4 x Sempertex 260 Reflex Crystal Red 20014507
- 1 x Anagram 34" Letter E Silver 3295401
- 1 x Anagram 34" Letter R Silver 3298101
- 1 x Anagram 16" Letter I Silver 3302811
- 1 x ADTR Pennant Banner 9913028
- 1 x ADTR Paper Sash 9913025
- 3 x Silver foil balloon weight 991365-18
- Balloon Bond CC10630 or another suitable adhesive.
- Stretchy balloon tape
- Scraps of 260 modelling balloons

**Estimated Labour time:** 30 minutes.

## Construction Method:

1. Make a cluster of 4 x 5" Reflex Crystal Red balloons inflated to 5". Wrap onto the collar of one of the weights.
2. Make a cluster of 4 x 5" Reflex Blue balloons inflated to 4" and secure to the cluster of red balloons using one of the necks to create a base.
3. Repeat steps 1 and 2 to create 2 more bases.
4. Inflate the large letter balloons with air and tape up the tails. Stick them together with balloon bond.
5. Tie scraps of 260 balloon tightly around the tabs at the bottom left of the "E" and bottom left of the "R".
6. Secure a third scrap of 260 to the bottom left corner of the right leg of the "R" balloon with stretch tape.
7. Attach the large letters to the bases with the 260 scraps.
8. Inflate the two 16" letters with air, tape up the tails, cut off the tabs and stick them together as in the image. Stick them to the large letters with balloon bond as shown.
9. Create "bubble chains" from the Reflex Crystal Red balloons. Inflate the balloons halfway, and twist 1" bubbles – aim for 20 bubbles per balloon. Fewer bubbles will need more balloons. Tie the chains end to end and wrap around the outside of the letters securing in place using the tabs on the foil balloons, and pieces of balloon bond where necessary. Please refer to the Amscan Decorator Hub for tutorials on how to create bubble chains.
10. Drape the paper sash around the design as shown.
11. Drape the pennant banner around the design, cutting off any excess to re-use elsewhere.

**A Step-by-step video showing the construction of this design can be found on the Decorator Hub at [amscan.co.uk](http://amscan.co.uk). Click the link on the home page and go to "How-to Videos"!**

**The choice of colours used here creates a "Vintage" look. A more traditional Red White and Blue look can be achieved using Sempertex Fashion colours, and items from the Amscan Red, White and Blue decoration range.**

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