

June Schiada

Family:

my husband, Patrick; two daughters, Shauna, 10, and Amber, 19 (away at college); also locally, my sister, Linda, and brother-in-law, Bruce



Hometown: born and raised in California but hail from Sanger now and forevermore!

Hobbies: not much time for hobbies now but I enjoy cooking, sewing dolls, playing with my daughter, going to lunch and shopping with my sister and reading mystery novels.

Business Name: PJ's Party Supply

Address: 205 Bolivar Street, Sanger, TX

Phone: 940-458-0081

My Title: owner/operator

Number of years in this line of work or in this career: 20 plus

Why I choose this career: The party industry was chosen for me, not vice versa. My father owned a party production company in the San Francisco Bay area and I started working for him in 1981. I fell in love with all the aspects of the trade and went on to start my own small catering and party decorating business. After relocating to Texas, I saw a need for a party retail operation at this end of Denton County and have achieved another dream by opening PJ's Party Supply.

What I like most about my job: How excited people (especially children) get when they come into the store. There is so much "eye candy" you can get an overdose! It is just plain fun to plan celebrations and I love helping people put it "all together." I above all enjoy finding new things to offer my customers.

What I find most rewarding about my job: "Smiles." When my customers find just what they are looking for and the outcome is a "Celebration of Life" - that is rewarding! When I can use my God-given talents to make people happy - that is rewarding! When I can be part of peoples lives in a positive way - that is rewarding!

My funniest on-the-job experience: When working with my father we had a large ballroom

release in downtown San Francisco to do. The crew and myself blew up in excess of 1500 helium balloons and safely housed them (or so we thought). As we ate lunch we noticed a huge balloon release going on. We all looked up in wonder, and then suddenly realized those were our balloons! A passerby accidentally pulled the tent open. We scrambled, frantically, to replace the hundreds of balloons lost but made it with a minute or two to spare!

My future plans and aspirations: I want to introduce balloon sculpture and party-coordinating services to what we can offer as the company grows. I enjoy the organizational talents required to plan parties from start to finish. I especially enjoy theme events.

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