

## Directions for RMS Sea Horse w/ Mini-Matrix

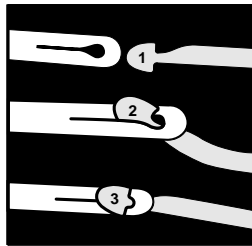
For other sizes use balloons sized to match framework.

### STEP 1:

Stretch open the Matrix to show the openings similar to the drawing at bottom right of this page. The Matrix will partially close when you let go.

### STEP 2:

Several of the openings marked in grey will require that you join tabs as shown to the immediate right in order to form the opening. These openings as well as the others marked in grey hold bubbles that are about 2/3 the size of the main openings shown in white.



### STEP 3:

Twist a string of bubbles in your long (Twistie) balloon. Matrix for # 160 balloons holds bubbles about 1 inch in diameter. The bubbles should be about 1 inch long for #160 balloon Matrix, 1.5 inches long for #260 balloon Matrix and about 2 inches long for # 350 balloon Matrix.

It is important to hold both ends of the balloon as you twist. It is important to always twist in the same direction.

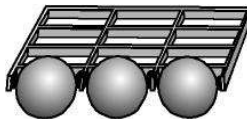
We recommend that you pinch and twist at least twice between bubbles. This gives you a longer connection between bubbles. This longer connection is valuable for inserting the bubbles properly into the Matrix and for turning corners as you load the bubbles.

### STEP 4:

Push the bubbles into the openings in the Matrix.

For most uses, the bubbles should be centered on the straps around the openings.

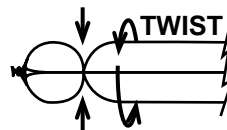
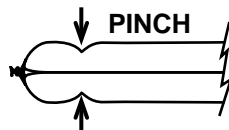
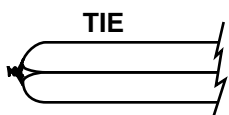
See the diagrams to the immediate right.



## ALTERNATE "DOUBLE BUBBLE" METHOD:

Partially inflate two long balloons. Tie the knoted ends together. Stretch the two balloons out parallel and touching each other along the long sides.

Pinch and twist both balloons at the same time into a string of "double bubbles" starting at the knoted end. The double bubbles should be about 1 inch long for #160 balloon Matrix, 1.5 inches long for #260 balloon Matrix and about 2 inches long for # 350 balloon Matrix.



We recommend you pinch and twist at least twice between bubbles.

Install balloons with one bubble above and one below the Matrix straps in each opening.

