

Family Testimonials

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[Special Events, The Science Museum of Minnesota, 651-221-2545](#)

Brian's "Spooky Not Scarry" magic show was a great addition to the Science Museum of Minnesota's annual Halloween event Boo-ology! Both shows were filled with children and adults who looked engaged and amused. Brian arrived with his rolling case and took care of all his setup on his own in a quick and easy fashion. The kids loved it, we loved it, and Brian sure seems to love it! It was a great addition to Boo-ology.

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[Tracey Jenkinson, GEA Process Engineering Inc.](#)

Thank you for entertaining the kids AND the adults at our Employee Children's Party. Your Spooky Not Scarry Magic Show was just the thing to make our party a hit! Your combination of magic and comedy is perfect. Thank you again for a GREAT time!

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[Billy Soden Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose Community education wsoden@buffalo.k12.mn.us 763-682-8771](#)

Brian was entertaining, educational, and a real pro who knows how to engage his audience. Above all, he was FUN!

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[Jamie Cassidy jcassidy@beckercommunitycenter.com 763-261-5900](#)

Brian Richards performed for our first-ever Harvest Festival and provided the perfect family entertainment we were looking for. Brian had the 100+ kids in the crowd amazed, roaring with laughter and thoroughly intrigued by his spooky-not-scary show. Oh! the adults all loved it as well. We received several positive comments about Brian's show.

8-17-09 Brad Eller Recreation Supervisor City of Shakopee

The Brian Richards Magic and Wonder Show attracted, engaged and impressed both young and old as part of our Derby Days community festival. Not only did Brian do a superb job of executing his performance, but he was also easy to communicate with during the booking and promotional process.

7-5-11 John Wetrosky Pine River Summerfest

Brian Richards has performed his magic at our Pine River Summerfest for the past three years and each year has been a treat! Kids from knee-high to age 90 enjoy this great show each year and request to have Brian return the next year. It has been a pleasure to have Brian as a part of our festival! We would full endorse his act!

9-3-11 Jared Langhoff Lonsdale Chamber of Commerce

Brian did a great job at our Independence Day Celebration. He was a huge hit with the kids and adults. Brian was on time and very professional, I look forward to working with him again!

We hired Brian to do a magic show at our Town Festival- Derby Days. I wanted him to do a walking show throughout the 3 blocks of events. Well, he didn't get to walk much. Because of the large group of kids around him (I'd say at least 40 at all times), he ended up staying in 1 place the whole time. He just could not move because of the large crowd. I loved the group participation. He interacted with the kids wonderfully. Both adults, teens and young kids enjoyed Brian's performance very much. Thank you for helping make our Festival a fun and enjoyable place for families.

Sandy Doherty

Co-Chair Shakopee Derby Days Festival

Dear Brian,

Thank-you so much for entertainment and most importantly your education to the youth at our Safety Camp on June 17th!

The program was great and I hope we'll see you at next years event!

Thank-you!

Melynda Hayes First Light Health Systems

Liz Bursack, Program Supervisor
City of Lino Lakes

Brian,

I tried submitting my feedback comments on your web page, but it didn't seem to work properly, so I'm sending them this way instead. Thanks so much for another great performance.

"Brian's performance was outstanding. The kids (all 162 of them) really enjoyed his magic and wonderful sense of humor - they were mesmerized!
Brian has performed at the Lino Lakes Parks and Recreation Department's Summer Playground Program events for the past three summers and his magic continues to entertain the children. He always has new tricks and does an outstanding job at incorporating the latest interests of children (i.e. Harry Potter) in his show.
I would recommend Brian's show to anyone who works with elementary age children. He's funny, his shows are always age appropriate and he is a great person to work with. I will definitely use Brian Richards again."

Liz Bursack

Laurie Mordorski Maplewood Mall January 17, 2003

Brian-

Thank you for coming out to Maplewood Mall and doing your "Drugs Steal the Magic" show for our Kidgits members.

You did an excellent job of keeping the show at the appropriate level for our 3-8 year olds. They had a fun time and they learned a lot.

We'll be calling you in the future for other events that we have. Thanks again, Laurie Mordorski

"Your performance at our breakfast with Santa for North Memorial Employees Credit Union was wonderful. The show was fun for all ages and everyone enjoyed it tremendously. We certainly look forward to having you back.

Thanks again for helping to make our morning a success."

Lynn Nadeau

President/CEO

North Memorial Employees FCU

Amy Carroll-Olson" <aolson@mnsafetycouncil.org>

To: <brichar3@earthlink.net>

Subject: Re: Youth Safety Day

Hi Brian.

Thank you for your message and thank you for doing such a great job at Youth Safety Day! The kids absolutely loved you and your show! By the way, I had numerous advisors approach me as they were leaving our event to ask for your phone number, so hopefully you'll get some phone calls!

I was happy to hang out with Isaac while you were doing your performance, he is truly a sweet little guy! I could have taken him home with me! :) Thanks again for performing at our event and I will definitely keep you in mind for future events. Have a great day!

Take care,

Amy

Minnesota SAFE KIDS

Thomas Ferrara Rice Community Recreation Center

651-298-5819 October 29, 2002

Brian,

Sorry for the delay in sending the requested feedback, but I did want to make sure I got back to you. Although I was unable to actually watch much of the performance itself, I was impressed with your ability to hold the attention of a very diverse and very active group of youths with a short attention span. This made my job of planning and organizing the center's Halloween event/party much easier, yet still provided a quality experience for the children in attendance.

Heidi Joy Galaxy Kids Club 763-477-7555

December 31, 2003

The kids absolutely love having you come and do your performances. Thank you so much for coming on New Year's Eve, it helped to make our day that much more fun and enjoyable. I will be contacting you again for a spring evening performance for our family night. Thanks again for your great work.

THANKS!

Brian,

Wow! What a great performance last Saturday at our annual Shoreview Egg Hunt. You made what could have turned out to be a disastrous event with the heavy rain a HUGE success! Both the children and their parents were laughing, smiling and at the edge of their seats the entire show. I especially like how you encourage audience participation and invite the kids up with you. You are a great entertainer and I will continue to pass that on to all of my colleagues. I just had a phone call from a parent who was at your show and wanted your name and number for her son's birthday party. She was just as pleased as I was, I am sure you will be getting a phone call shortly. Thank you for an incredible performance and I hope we can work together in the future. Good Luck!

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The magic of Brian Richards is that he can accommodate any situation and entertain all ages with his talent and great audience rapport.

I highly recommend hiring Brian of 4 Ace Productions for your next special event, he will more than meet your expectations.

At the drop of magic hat Brian turned himself into a pirate for our Halloween theme at Wood Lake and was well received by all.

I have no hesitation whatsoever recommending this nice and very professional magician/entertainer.

Karen Shragg
Manager
Wood Lake Nature Center

From: "Angela King-Jones" <aking-jones@wish.org>
To: "Brian Richards" <brichar3@earthlink.net>
Subject: RE: FW: Free Tickets to Triple Espresso!!

Brian,

Many thanks to the Magic of Brian Richards for your wonderful performance at our Stories of Light kick-off event. You added the perfect "magic touch" to our evening and provided memorable entertainment for the adults and children in attendance! Any time we invite wish children to an event, it is great to have something special there for them to enjoy and your magic act was fantastic! Thank you, also, for the videos that you gave to each child. That was so kind of you and truly meant a lot. My hope is to plan more family events for Make-A-Wish in the future and we would be thrilled to have you be a part of those events, too. Your performance was captivating-- thanks for making our wish come true and making the event a night to remember!

Jennifer Krisko

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Brian Richards has performed at the Science Museum of Minnesota several times and always packs the room. He is engaging, entertaining and fun to watch for kids and adults. His creativity, energy and passion for magic make him the highlight of many of our events. We always receive a lot of great feedback from our visitors about Brian's shows asking us when he will be back.

Brian,

I received a lot of positive feedback regarding your performance. It fit so perfectly into our program. While I have not been involved in all the ceremonies, I think this one will go down as one of our favorites. If you ever need a reference, please do not hesitate to use my name.

Cathy Halverson, Office Manager
St. Croix County District Attorney's Office

"On December 14th the Willmar Eagles kids enjoyed the performance of Brian Richards Winter magic show. Brian kept the kids attention at all times with his surprises of his magic. He engaged the kids in his magic!! and the kids loved his show!! We would defiantly have him back!! very positive remarks from the parents who brought there children to a fun afternoon of Christmas"

-Pam Hanson, Wilmar Eagles 12-19-13

"The best part was hearing the kids giggle on and on throughout the show! Brian's show provided Alexandria with great family entertainment!" Lisa Bowden, Alexandria Community Ed, 10-31-13

"Brian has performed at our three libraries many times, and he will definitely return! He blends comedy and magic effectively while emphasizing the importance of reading. For the quality of this program, Brian is a tremendous value." Jennifer Cassman Blue Earth county Library System
jennifer.cassman@blueearthcountymn.gov 507-304-4020 8/7/13

"This show was great it really kept the kids, who ranged in age from 2 to 11 entertained and engaged." Wendy Schroeder wendy.schroeder@markerspride.com 7/12/13 St. Mark's School

"We booked Brian for our summer kick-off event in which our Summer theme was a MAGICAL SUMMER, so it was quite fitting to have him come perform. In booking the show Brian was professional, easy to work with and reliable. On the day of his performance we found him to be very engaging and his show to be very participatory which the kids enjoyed. Brian is funny, has good comedic timing and is very skilled at what he does. As a result the show had appeal for all ages, he had even our toughest critics (our middle schoolers) laughing, engaged and volunteering to participate by the end. It was a great show and we will definitely contact Brian for future events." -Sally Hanson, Fridley Schools Com Ed.
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"I thought he did a great job engaging the students and bringing the material down to their level. he was goofy and the students react well to that!" -anna Mueller, anna.mueller@markerspride.com St. Marks School

"I was unable to see Brian Richards perform, but was very impressed with his professionalism in setting up his performance!" Kari Gislason Renville Sugar Beet Days 320-226-0959 kariagislason@redred.com 6-22-13