Joshua Foti

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SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Skills
 - Web Development: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Node.js, React, Express, Rest APIs
 - o Database Management: MongoDB, SQL
 - o **Version Control:** Git, GitHub
 - o **Testing & Debugging**: Vitest, Jest, Supertest, Postman
 - o **Deployment**: Netlify, Fly.io, Glitch
 - **Customer Engagement**: Strong interpersonal and communication skills
 - **Event Management**: Team collaboration, adaptability, attention to detail
- Interests: hockey; weightlifting; traveling; film;

WORK EXPERIENCE

Wish Upon a Party 2019 – 2024

Event Coordinator and Costumed Character Entertainer

Panama City, FL

- Wish Upon A Party provides costumed character entertainment for children's birthday parties, conventions, and corporate events, including activities such as face painting and airbrushing. (www.wishuponapartyllc.com)
- As an Event Coordinator and Costumed Character Entertainer, I played a key role in delivering exceptional event experiences through customer engagement, team collaboration, adaptability, and attention to detail.
 - Customer Interaction & Engagement: Successfully entertained guests at hundreds of events, demonstrating strong interpersonal and communication skills. Managed and engaged large groups, ensuring an enjoyable experience for all attendees.
 - **Team Collaboration**: Coordinated with other team members during large events, such as managing multiple characters and painters at a corporate event, ensuring smooth interactions with guests. Showcased teamwork, reliability, and the ability to support colleagues under pressure.
 - Problem-Solving & Adaptability: Quickly resolved unexpected issues during events, such as when character costumes malfunctioned at a birthday party, by improvising and keeping the parents and children entertained while a replacement was arranged, demonstrating quick thinking and flexibility
 - Attention to Detail: Managed lines, assisted guests in selecting face painting and airbrush designs, handled payments, and supported artists with executing their designs. Ensured smooth operations and high customer satisfaction, demonstrating precision and organization, helping the company maintain a 5-star rating on Yelp and Facebook.

EDUCATION

Chattahoochee Technical College

Marietta, GA

Studied Computer Programming

- 4.0 GPA
- National Society of Leadership and Success.

2017-2019