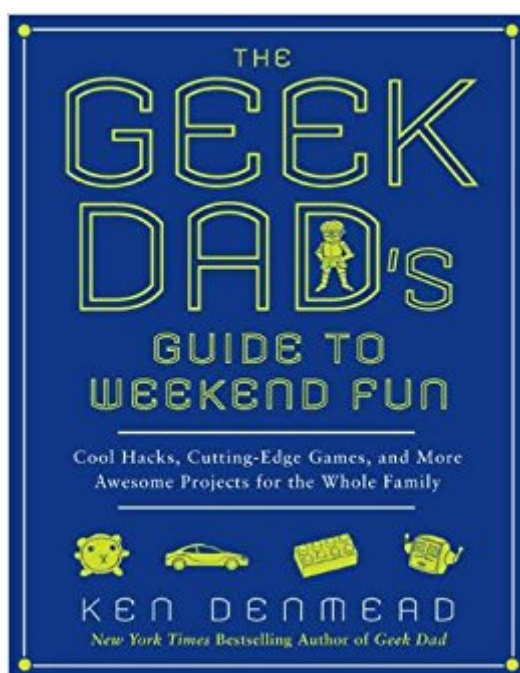


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# The Geek Dad's Guide To Weekend Fun: Cool Hacks, Cutting-Edge Games, And More Awesome Projects For The Whole Family



## Synopsis

The wildly popular DIY dad follows up his instant New York Times bestseller with a fresh batch of geeky weekend science projects for the whole family to enjoy. Ken Denmead struck a chord with parents and kids across America with his GeekDad blog on Wired.com, which receives more than one million page views per month. His debut book, *Geek Dad*, was on bestseller lists and in its seventh printing just two months after hitting store shelves. With *The Geek Dad's Guide to Weekend Fun*, he keeps the nerdtastic novelties coming, with projects that teach readers how to: • Build homemade robots from scratch • Write and direct simple stop-motion movies • Hack into mechanical toys to add cool electronic twists, and more. United by the premise that to really understand science and how something works you must design and build it yourself or remake it better, *Geek Parents* everywhere will celebrate this latest installment of weekend workshop wonders. [Watch a Video](#)

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## Customer Reviews

"This book is packed with delightfully fun projects for a rainy day or romping in the sun. The ratio of building and playing is just right." -Chris Anderson, Editor in Chief, *Wired*

Ken Denmead is the editor of *GeekDad*, a blog on *Wired* magazine's Web site. A professional civil engineer, he lives near San Francisco with his wife and their two sons, who are both geeks in training. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

I got these books for my husband for Christmas and he absolutely loved them! There are so many fun projects and even though he won't be able to do them quite yet with our son (he's 2 months), my husband will be doing some of them to test them out. The funny thing is all of his friends are more than ready and willing to also do the experiments and other fun nerdy things. The only downside I could possibly think of are the potential messes i'll have to clean up, oh well, I did it to myself for getting these super fun books for my boys (ok, and me, I can't wait to geek out with them)!!

Intended for elementary aged children.

Fantastic book with a lot of activities!!! Only thing I wish it had, would be projects for slightly younger children. My son is only 5 and most these projects are for 10 and up.

Continue of Super paper book for dads!

For Dad's who REALLY love to invest in their Children.... Great choice for Christmas - my son and sons-in-law really were happy with the set of these "Geek Dads" books!

Cool, thought provoking ideas.

I got this as a present for my uncle and his kids... I hope they use it and have a lot of family fun with it in addition to learning useful things.

my husband hasn't read it yet but i want him to start trying some of the cool ideas I've read in there to do with our sons. He will have a lot of fun and so will they I know it was a good book to buy for Christmas to give him a little help with ideas.

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