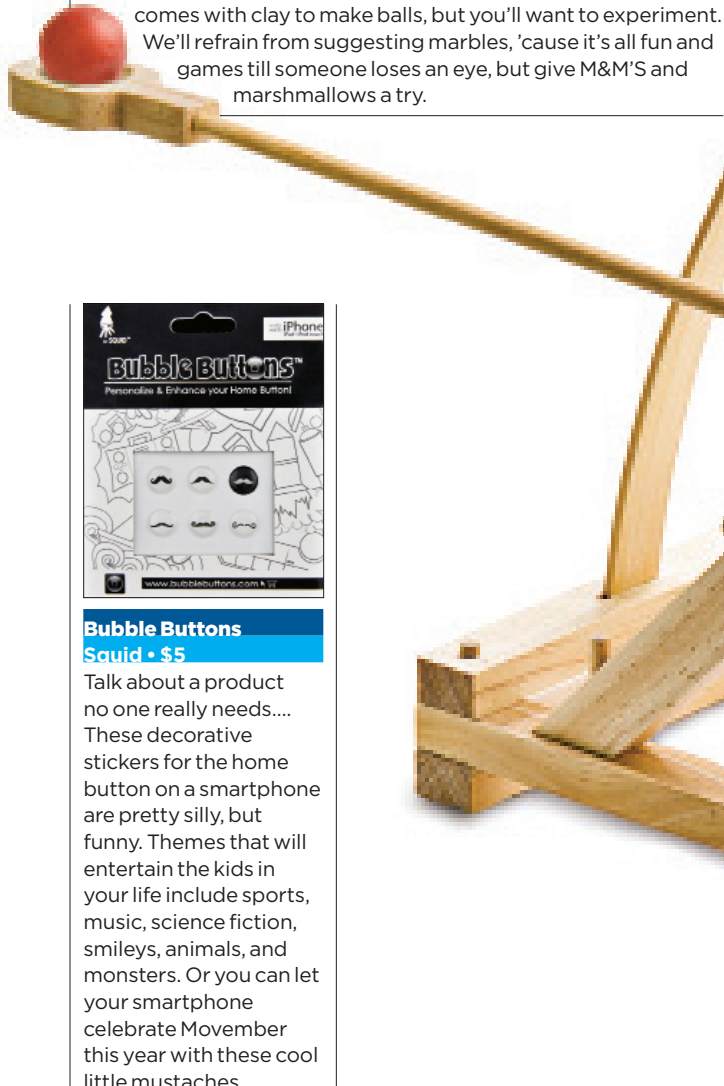


EDITOR'S PICKS

Da Vinci's Catapult

Marbles: The Brain Store • \$25

This is one of the most fun contraptions we've seen lately. It really is based on Leonardo da Vinci's fifteenth-century design, it's easy to assemble, and you can send all kinds of stuff into the air. It comes with clay to make balls, but you'll want to experiment. We'll refrain from suggesting marbles, 'cause it's all fun and games till someone loses an eye, but give M&M'S and marshmallows a try.



Bubble Buttons

Squid • \$5

Talk about a product no one really needs.... These decorative stickers for the home button on a smartphone are pretty silly, but funny. Themes that will entertain the kids in your life include sports, music, science fiction, smileys, animals, and monsters. Or you can let your smartphone celebrate Movember this year with these cool little mustaches.

Beezebabe

Gentlemen Comics • \$10

This is one of 13 adult-oriented comics that are available at the Gentlemen Comics website, the first wave of the company's new series. (Prices for the different lines range from \$2 to \$10; installments are posted once a month.) They're not the best-drawn comics we've ever seen—RIP, *Penthouse Comix*—but they have storylines that will intrigue, and lots of down and dirty sex. It's not a bad way to kill a little time online.

