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# RELIVE THE ADVENTURE: THE GOONIES IN BRICK FORM

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“Hey you guys!” If you grew up with the iconic 1985 film, this set has nostalgia written all over it. The Goonies set brings the treasure hunt, caves, booby-traps, and pirate ship of the story into spectacular LEGO form. With nearly 2,912 pieces and 12 exclusive minifigures—Mikey, Chunk, Data, Stef, Andy, Brand, the Fratellis, Sloth, One-Eyed Willy and more—this is a build for the true fans of the adventure.

The model cleverly flips between scenes: on one side you’ll find the underground caverns and treasure room; turn it around and you’re staring at the ruins of the pirate ship Inferno. Hidden features like a secret



fireplace entrance to the cave, a skeleton organ trapdoor, and even a slide to an octopus (based on a deleted film scene) make this more than just display—it’s immersive fun.

It’s not only a nod to 1980s pop culture—it also shows how LEGO can turn storytelling into bricks. For our ChattBricks community, this set can spark ideas for thematic builds or show-and-tell sessions at our next meet-up. Whether you’re inspired by caves, pirate ships, or recreating your own treasure map in LEGO, this model shows the power of imagination in full display.

## CLASSIC LEGO FACT: DID YOU KNOW?

The name LEGO comes from the Danish phrase “leg godt,” which means “play well.” The company later discovered that in Latin, “lego” also means “I put together.” A perfect coincidence for the bricks we build with today!



## WELCOME MESSAGE

Welcome to this month’s ChattBricks Newsletter! We’re excited to bring builders together from across the TAG Corner as we share updates, celebrate creativity, and look ahead to another great month of LEGO fun. Whether you’re a new member or a longtime fan, we’re glad you’re here—let’s keep building together!

## MINIFIG SPOTLIGHT:

This month we’re featuring the classic Explorer Minifigure—complete with backpack, map, and trusty compass. Known for adventure and curiosity, this minifig reminds us to keep discovering new builds and stories. Whether trekking jungles or LEGO tables, the Explorer brings amazing creativity!

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## MONTHLY MEETINGS AT SCENIC CITY BRICKS

ChattBricks gathers every month at Scenic City Bricks in Soddy-Daisy, TN for a fun and relaxed evening of LEGO building, sharing, and connecting with fellow fans across the TAG Corner. Whether you bring a MOC, a favorite set, or just your creativity, these meet-ups are the perfect place to trade ideas, showcase builds, and make new friends in the LEGO community.

Meetings are held Sundays from 6–8 PM EST, and all ages and experience levels are welcome.

### Upcoming Meeting Dates:

#### 2025

- November 16, 2025
- December 14, 2025

#### 2026

- January 11, 2026
- February 15, 2026
- March 15, 2026
- April 19, 2026
- May 17, 2026
- June 14, 2026
- July 19, 2026
- August 16, 2026
- September 13, 2026
- October 18, 2026
- November 15, 2026
- December 13, 2026

Join us monthly as we continue building tracks, one brick at a time!

## OUR CLUB LOGO

The ChattBricks logo celebrates the spirit of LEGO and Chattanooga's rich rail history. Featuring the classic 1976 Thatcher Perkins Locomotive, it symbolizes imagination, adventure, and the TAG Corner's iconic "Choo Choo" heritage. Its bright colors and timeless design reflect the creativity and community at the heart of our club—reminding us that every build starts with a single brick and a shared passion for fun.



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If you'd like to get involved with ChattBricks, have questions, or want to stay connected with our events, we'd love to hear from you! Visit our website at [www.ChattBricks.com](http://www.ChattBricks.com) for meeting details, updates, and club news. You can also reach us anytime at [choochoo@chattbricks.com](mailto:choochoo@chattbricks.com). Whether you're a builder, collector, parent, or new fan, we're here to help you join the fun across the TAG Corner!