

VICKI COBB'S VIDEO PROJECT

I am creating a video project to be posted on my website: www.vickicobb.com and/or published as a DVD. It will be based on my new book, coauthored with Kathy Darling: *We Dare You! Hundreds of Fun Science Bets, Challenges, and Experiments You Can Do at Home*.

(There's a link to order the book on the page with the videos.)

These hundreds of science tricks will become a library of short videos with children (preferably fourth – sixth grade) doing them. Each video is about two minutes long and will be posted on my website as a kind of "You Tube" with a mission—to get kids into science. Teachers will be able to show them in classrooms. The clips will be both entertaining and informative and I invite your participation. Your child will learn some science and get a starring role! (A win-win!) You are welcome to use the exact language in the books as a script and digitally record your child (or children, friends are welcome) performing these science activities so that viewers will want to try them, too. Even if there is some duplication, different versions of the same trick will be entertaining. Also, I may combine your footage with other peoples' contributions but will still list your child as a star (first name only).

It is my intention to edit these video clips to optimize their educational and entertainment value. So I recommend that you do several takes and get separate pictures of the materials involved in the tricks and close-ups of the action. (I must have visual scenes to cut to.) I will also be doing the voice over but I welcome kids' comments and natural sound effects.

How to Send Video Footage Via the Web

Go to this website: <http://www.adrive.com/>

Open a free account which allows up to 50 GB of free storage.

Upload video documents.

Select the "Share" option

Click on the magnifying glass to the right of the file name to show a url where the file can be is downloaded.

Copy the url and email to me email@vickicobb.com so that I can download the video Or you can mail me your digital video tapes or DVDs to me at 302 Pondsides Drive, White Plains, NY 10607 along with the attached release form. If you have any questions, my email address is email@vickicobb.com.

VIDEO RELEASE FORM
Vicki Cobb Productions
302 Pondside Drive, White Plains, NY 10607

I (the undersigned) do hereby confirm the consent heretofore given you with respect to videotaping my child in connection with your recording of my son/daughter/ward on videotape, film, digital medium or otherwise for a program entitled:

WE DARE YOU! HUNDREDS OF FUN SCIENCE BETS, CHALLENGES,
AND EXPERIMENTS YOU CAN DO AT HOME

And I hereby grant to you, your successor, assigns and licenses the perpetual right to use, as you may desire, all motion pictures and sound track recordings which you may make of my child, and the right to use my child's name or likeness in or in connection with the exhibition or any other use of such video recording.

I understand and consent that there will be no monetary remuneration or compensation of any description and I agree to make no claim of any kind relative to this video taping, digital film, or recording.

Signature: _____

Name (print): _____

Name of Child: _____
(print)

Home Address: _____

email: _____

School Name _____

Titles of tricks _____
on your footage _____

Phone Number(s): _____

Date: _____