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Posted by [Sanbar](#) on Thu, 13 Nov 2008 23:01:23 GMT
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Let's put it this way I'd have no problem buying this kit for my son...if he was three years old

Don

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