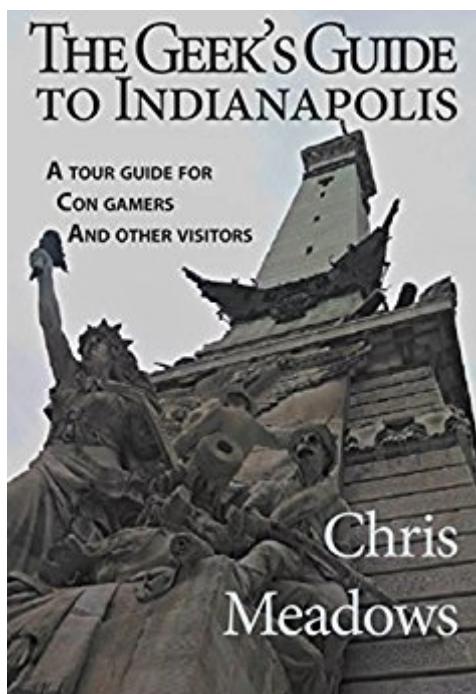


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# The Geek's Guide To Indianapolis: A Tour Guide For Con Gamers And Other Visitors



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Indianapolis is the home to one of the world's most popular gaming conventions, the Indianapolis 500, the NCAA finals, and many other events that attract visitors from all over. But what do those visitors really know about Indianapolis? How much time do they have to learn the best places to eat or visit while they're here? Written by a long-time Indianapolis gaming convention visitor turned Indianapolis native, The Geek's Guide to Indianapolis aims to clear some of that up for those visitors. This book is full of advice on what to bring and where the best places are to visit when you have the time. It includes lists and links for all the best tourist attractions, restaurants, and stores, including useful hyperlinks for those who read it on their mobile devices. Much of the guide is aimed specifically at convention attendees, but visitors there for other events will find it useful as well. The Geek's Guide to Indianapolis will help you get the most out of Indianapolis, especially if you're there for that gaming convention. I am respecting you, the reader, enough to provide this book DRM-free, so it can easily be converted to different formats for use on any e-reader platform you own. Please respect me enough to limit any sharing to one-to-one, and not upload it to pirate sites.

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Wow! This book has tons of information for the Con Gamer, but it's impressive as a guide to Indianapolis for anyone visiting the area. I'm from SE Indianapolis and enjoyed reading about my old haunts, plus many places I knew nothing about. I would recommend this book for tourists and gamers alike.

Has a lot of good information for those visiting for conventions. Well put together and very easy to read. I would recommend this to anyone wanting to know more about the indy area.

A must have for Indy tourists!

I bought this book because I wanted to get the most out of my trip to Indianapolis to attend GenCon, and I'm one of those people that like to research my trip before I go. I am glad that I bought it. Even though I'm an experienced Con-goer, and am traveling with people who have gone to this convention multiple times, there was still a ton of excellent information and suggestions in this book that no one else has mentioned. I found the sections on what to pack (for the con) and places to eat, especially useful. It prompted several new purchases, such as hand sanitizer, rubber-tipped stylus and a folding stool (which I always think "I need to get one of those!" when I'm in-line at a con, but always forget to buy right after the con). The writing is excellent, and you can tell that the author is passionate about both this convention, and the city it's in. It felt like I was reading recommendations written by a friend. Thanks for the great book!

This is a very well done travel guide to people visiting Indianapolis during Gen Con and other events. Meadows's experience as a local is invaluable here. I'm preparing to attend my first Gen Con, and I've been looking up information on the city for about six months. This book offered a lot of information (like on navigating the city using electric cars and bicycles, where parking is at certain businesses, etc) that I had never seen before. The tone of the book is conversational, and it's well-edited, making it an easy read. I grabbed the book as a freebie through , but I'd definitely say this one is worth buying, especially if you're traveling to Indianapolis for the first time (like me) and want a sense of the actual city, not just the convention center.

This has a ton of great information for Gencon goers. This is my first time going to gencon, so getting info on a lot of the details (including neat things like links to indianapolis crime and national

gas price heat-maps, which I wouldn't have thought to look at) has been really nice for prepping my trip. The book is quite thorough and discusses possibilities for all cases (i.e., staying downtown or outside of town vs. airbnb vs. camping, or driving vs. flying in, etc) so lots of the sections may not be appropriate for you if you already have plans; but that's fine, because it means there is a good chance that the author has already thought about your situation.

This is THE comprehensive guide to Gen Con and things to do in Indianapolis. This covers everything from every kind of transportation available and how to access it to what to do while you are there, where to stay, how to approach celebrities and even how to deal with post convention depression! I don't think there's anything the author didn't think of. It is well written and well organized. A very nicely done reference book for any event in Indianapolis but especially Gen Con.

Very handy reference guide for us geeks visiting Indy for four days of gaming. It is easy to read and well organized. There are sections on preparation, getting there, what to do there, especially outside of the convention, even how to handle the eventual emotional down after the event. There is advice on housing and travel to help you plan effectively. There are chapters on getting around the city, local eateries (and a section on local liquor laws), local stores (groceries, pharmacies, even hardware), as well as services like UPS/FedEx/USPS. All in all, it will be a 'five star go to' reference for my time in Indianapolis.

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