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AMA Youth E-Newsletter



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2016 AMA Scholarship winner Caleb Gomez, awarded \$4500



AMA youth scholarships

Approximately \$40,000 in endowments and scholarships is available for distribution on the basis of AMA modeling activities, scholastic achievement, and citizenship. Apply now to receive money for college.

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Inspiring a new generation of inventors

Lemelson-MIT InvenTeams™ are comprised of high school students, educators, and mentors who each receive up to \$10,000 each to invent technological solutions to real-world problems of their own choosing. InvenTeam students rely on inquiry and hands-on problem solving as they integrate lessons from Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) to develop invention prototypes.

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Congratulations to Shaun Taylor, MultiGP Drone Racing Champion

This year's MultiGP Drone Racing Nats, presented by Team BlackSheep, were held during Labor Day weekend at the International Aeromodeling Center in Muncie, IN. This record-breaking event concluded the MultiGP Regional Series, which included more than 1,000 pilots in 50 chapters across 30 states and seven regions. Congratulations to Shaun 'Nyt fury' Taylor, who has earned the title of MultiGP Drone Racing Champion. MultiGP, an AMA Special Interest Group, is a premier drone racing league that hosts frequent competitive gatherings and casual events within its network of more than 375 MultiGP Chapters and 10,000 pilots worldwide.

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Camp AMA West accepting applications

Learn from the best December 7-11, 2016! Enjoy four days of flying at the beautiful William Bennett Radio Control Airfield in Las Vegas, Nevada, with with world-recognized pilots Nick Maxwell and Andrew Jesky.

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'Delivering Hope'

One AMA member's work may save lives on the other side of the planet! See the aircraft he helped design and its connection to medicine in a video at [ModelAviation.com](#). Digital edition subscribers are already enjoying this article and more in the September issue of *Model Aviation!*

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Student Design/Build/Fly competition

The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA), through the Applied Aerodynamics, Aircraft Design, Design Engineering, and Flight Test Technical Committees and the AIAA Foundation, invites all university students to participate in the Textron Aviation/Raytheon Missile Systems - Student Design/Build/Fly competition. The 2017 contest will provide a real-world aircraft design experience for engineering students by giving them the opportunity to validate their analytic studies. Student teams will design, fabricate, and demonstrate the flight capabilities of an unmanned, electric-powered, RC aircraft that can best meet the specified mission profile. The goal is a balanced design possessing good demonstrated flight-handling qualities and practical and affordable manufacturing requirements, while providing superior performance.

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AMA member Johnny Schaar

Check out this video from [GetFPV.com](#) featuring AMA member Johnny Schaar. In early 2015, Johnny saw an FPV drone video. It grabbed his attention and he never let go. He was instantly hooked, and the rest is history he practiced relentlessly, quit college, and began chasing the drone racing dream.

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UAS4STEM 2017 registration now open

Register now for the 2017 UAS4STEM challenge. This year 11 teams competed to become the national champion. Don't miss out on your chance to take home gold medals and \$2,500 for your team.

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