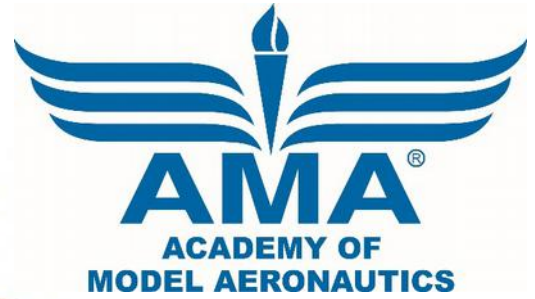




May 2019 Newsletter



Charter #2786

Member Profile: Steve Wilson

How did you get involved in Model Aviation?

Steve W. In 1957 my older brother and I ordered 2 Kits for control line planes from a magazine. We flew control line and some free-flight till 1967. At this time we both started with Radio Control. My brother got a Heathkit Radio, I bought a used Falcon 56 with a Bonner Digimite radio and a Supertiger 23. I have flown RC more or less full time since then.

How has model aviation impacted your life and/or career?

Steve W. I never found a way to work RC into my career. Although now drones are used extensively in my old field of Surveying.

What other hobbies do you have?

Steve W. Of course I love to cook. I also have been riding my bike quite a bit.

Who or what has influenced you the most in the hobby or life?

Steve W. Of course my older brother and I helped each other in our early years of the hobby. We both still like to fly when we get together.

What is your favorite aspect of model aviation?

Steve W. I like the diversity of the hobby. It seems that as time goes by the hobby keeps changing and growing. There is always something new. Usually with the technology involved with the hobby.



Steve Wilson shows off his Parrot Disco FPV flying wing and describes its advanced autopilot features



What do you do or did you do for work?

Steve W. I have been retired for five years. I was a Professional Land Surveyor. I worked mainly in the private sector, but my last 5 years were with UDOT in their right of way department.

If you go to the Salt Lake County Surveyors office you can find hundreds of my old survey plats that I recorded.

Recent Photos



Keith Hiatt tells us about his visit to Rexburg, ID, to see R.A. Bob Hoover's real P-51, and Keith's model of the plane.



Tony Naef assembling his Sensei that he won at the Christmas Party at the Cabin Fever Fun Fly



Keith Hiatt, returns with the wreckage of his Apprentice which met terra firma nose first at full throttle. Many plausible options were offered on how to repair the plane at the Cabin Fever Fun Fly



Rick Marshall picks up his very fast flying wing and returns to swap the battery pack at the Cabin Fever Fun Fly



Dick Osborn, showing his brand new Volantex RC Ranger EX with FPV, comments that reports say it flies well, but needs just a bit more down thrust for a better trim



James Baer readying his little Timber for a flight in the calm air at the Cabin Fever Fun Fly



Del Atkinson's Hawker Hurricane foamie that he picked up at an estate sale for \$20, nice airplane.



Dave Moore firing up his old pattern plane in bitter cold New Years Day (Freeze Fly)



Did you know?

Did you know the Ute RC association has a Facebook page? Search for Ute RC Association and join in!

Regular Club Meetings and Events

Participate in our regular club meetings, held on the second Thursday of the month (except for December), where you can show off your current projects, view presentations on many aspects of model aviation, & participate in the direction the club is headed. They are held at the Murray Heritage Senior Center (10 E 6150 South, One block West of State Street)

Meeting and Events Schedule:

May 9, 2019 – Club meeting 7pm

May 11, 2019 – Float Fly at Lincoln beach on Utah lake (9 AM)

June 13, 2019 – Club Meeting 7pm

June 15, 2019 - Float Fly #2 at Lincoln Beach on Utah Lake (9 AM)

July 13, 2019 – 7-11 Fun fly at the Club field (Time TBD)

August 10, 2019 – Balloon Bust Fun fly at Club field (Time TBD)

September ??, 2019 – Night Fly at the Club field (Evening Time)

October 12, 2019 Fun Fly at SLC Modelport (Time TBD)

Newsletter

What do you want to see in the newsletter? Interested in sharing some of your knowledge, tips and tricks? Want to brag about an awesome experience or build? Drop me an email at photobaer@gmail.com

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