Looking for resources you can share with your club members?
Check out AMA Flight School!

National Model Aviation Day

August 12, 2017, marks the fifth annual National Model Aviation Day. Clubs are encouraged to celebrate the hobby they enjoy and to share it with the public. Is your club hosting an event and sharing its love for the hobby with the general public? We want to hear your stories and see your pictures! Use #ModelAviationDay in all your social media posts or email us at nmad@modelaircraft.org.

AMA staff celebrated National Model Aviation Day a week early, on August 5, by hosting Aviation Adventure Day in Muncie, Indiana. Hundreds of families joined us that day to build gliders, kites, and rockets. We had flight simulators and were able to offer hands-on flight experiences via buddy boxes. As in years past, we again partnered with the local EAA chapter, which provided EAA's Young Eagle Flights to kids between ages 8-17.

Check out some of our pictures on Facebook or Flickr.

AMA's Turbine Program

At the recent July Executive Council (EC) meeting, AMA's Safety Committee asked the EC to approve some revisions to the current turbine program.

Club Bylaws
Organizational bylaws usually deal with such items as name, purpose, membership dues, officers and their duties, executive committee, safety matters, meeting place and time, order of business, and how to amend the bylaws. If your club has an issue unique to your area, this issue should be addressed within the bylaws.

Finding the Right Safety Coordinator

You know your club members better than we do, so you could already have a perfect person in mind, but just in case you are on the fence, here are some suggested skills that you might want to consider in finding the best person for the job.

AMA and Federal Regulations

Since early on, AMA has had to work with several federal departments, including the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), and develop guidelines for AMA members.