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Glider Instruction

The Ray Foundation of Naples, Florida funded the purchase of our Pipistrel Motor Glider. This first-class glider, made in Europe and equipped with a ballistic parachute, is ideal for glider instruction and flies under its own power, so that tow planes and catapults are unnecessary. **HAWK** is unique among youth aviation programs to have one of these.

FAA Regulations allow students to obtain a glider license at age 16.

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Aircraft Construction & Maintenance Instruction



Adult Members conduct weekly build sessions at the Mack Mesa Airport to help Junior Members learn all that these craftsmen can teach. Youth who participate may use program hours as credits against future aircraft rental for flight instruction.

Adults with construction or maintenance experience or skills are encouraged to visit a Saturday build session and consider becoming a mentor.

HAWK Aviators is a Colorado non-profit corporation certified by IRS as a Section 501(c)3 educational charity. Donations of cash, parts, supplies and flyable and non-flyable aircraft are fully tax deductible and very much appreciated. Memberships are available for \$35 per year for adults and \$10 for youth ages 14 and up. We secure scholarships to cover flight training costs for some students.



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www.hawkaviators.org to donate,
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Flight Instruction



HAWK Aviators operates a donated Piper Cherokee 140 which we restored with the help of West Star Aviation to be our flight trainer. Youth who meet our qualifications for flight privileges may use this aircraft to pursue FAA certificates at below market hourly rates. **HAWK** also helps locate flight instructors and conducts twice-monthly ground school classes. Youth who assist with the maintenance of this aircraft receive credit against rental costs.



Ballooning is the oldest form of manned flight, starting in 1783, and is still today a favorite activity for kids and families. **HAWK** has 2 licensed hot air balloon pilots and 2 balloons. This Lighter Than Air (LTA) category teaches weather essentials, community, teamwork and Crew Resource Management. We often take the balloons to events like Air Venture in Oshkosh, WI.