GM Training Center Coordinator Scott Holland recently attended the Regional GM ASEP Conference in Burbank, California. He had the opportunity to visit with local leaders and get information about the exciting new scholarship campaign. ASEP in partnership with ACDelco is celebrating 100 years by giving away 100 scholarships.

**New Curriculum:**

The faculty in the Automotive department here at Weber State University are creating new curriculum for the Bachelor Degree Programs. They are building three new courses:

- **Emissions**
  - Will Spriegle is leading the efforts to create an in-depth course that will cover current emission standards. This course will cover the new emissions standards and look at the unique technologies that the manufactures are utilizing to meet those standards.

- **Hybrid/Electric Vehicles**
  - John Kelly is creating course material to help students understand hybrid and electric vehicles. The course will focus on the different electric vehicle components and how those technologies are utilized by electric and hybrid vehicle designers.

- **Autonomous Vehicles and Vehicle Components**
  - Scott Hadzik, Blair Newbold, and Scott Holland are working as a team to create curriculum that covers autonomous vehicle systems. The course will focus on new and future safety systems that will help to eliminate human error while driving a vehicle.
Faculty and Staff Member of the Month: Josh Schofield

Josh Schofield is one of the owners of Bare bones Customs. He worked for 15 years in the Collision Industry, followed by 8 years as a technician. In 2013 he and Wade Schofield, started Bare Bones Customs, now located in West haven, UT.

He is currently teaching as an adjunct instructor for our summer elective course Painting and Refinishing 1.

He has a great love for his family and spends as much time as he can with them. He says he has two awesome kids and is excited about their new addition coming in August.

Student of the Month: Jake Hoffman

Jake is an ATEP student here at Weber State University. He just accepted a position at Advantage Technical Resourcing/Ford. He will start in January.

He is currently working as a technician at Westland Ford. He enjoys working on cars and riding his dirt bike in his free time.

He plans to pursue a BS degree dual majoring in Field Service Operations and Professional Sales while he is in Michigan working for Ford.

Innovations in the Industry:

Weber State Automotive Professor John Kelly and his son have created an automobile and truck vibration diagnosis application. It is available in the Apple app store now. Here is a little description from the app store:

The Noise, Vibration, and Harshness (NVH) App can help you or a service technician determine the source of a vibration on your vehicle. Equally important, the NVH app will also help you determine what is NOT causing the vibration on your vehicle.

Available in the Apple App store, Google Play app coming soon.
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