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## MESSAGE FROM CHIEF (CONTINUATION)

At Aamro Aviation, we believe that every safe flight begins well before the engine starts. Thorough preflight planning and a complete aircraft walk-around aren't just required steps — they are essential habits that separate disciplined aviators from the rest. Reviewing weather, NOTAMs, weight and balance, fuel planning, and alternate routes builds situational awareness and confidence. It also prepares you to make smart decisions when things don't go exactly as planned — and in aviation, that's often the case. These moments of preparation aren't just paperwork; they are the first line of defense in ensuring a safe, smooth flight.

Equally important is the physical inspection of your aircraft. The preflight walk-around is your opportunity to become familiar with the condition of the machine you're trusting with your life. Look beyond the checklist — check for fuel quality, signs of wear, missing fasteners, and anything that seems out of place. Don't be lazy! Get on the ground and look at the belly for signs of oil leaks, gas leaks, popped rivets etc. Never assume someone else "already looked at it." Whether you're a student on your first solo or a CFI flying a back-to-back schedule, treat every aircraft with the respect it deserves. At Aamro, we train with modern aircraft equipped with Garmin G1000 avionics, but even the most advanced systems can't replace a watchful eye and a careful mindset on the ground.

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In the fast pace of flight school life, it's easy to rush. But professionalism is built in the moments we slow down and do things right — every time

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Let your preflight routine reflect the high standards we hold at Aamro Aviation: safety, preparation, and pride in our craft. Blue Skies!

## SUCCESS STORIES: CELEBRATING OUR LATEST ACHIEVEMENTS

At Aamro Aviation, we celebrate the remarkable achievements of our students who successfully cleared their checkrides this month.

## **COMMERCIAL MULTI-ENGINE**



Congratulations to Ray on achieving his Commercial Multi-Engine checkride!



Congratulations to Brian on earning his Commercial Multi-Engine checkride!



Congratulations to John Milstead on earning his Commercial Multi-Engine checkride!

## **COMMERCIAL PILOT**



Congratulations to Aamro's own Coral on passing her Commercial checkride!



Congratulations to Noah Polter on passing his Commercial Single-Engine checkride!

## **PRIVATE PILOT**



Congratulations to Robert on earning his Private Pilot checkride!



Congratulations to Gregory Nichols on passing his Private Pilot checkride!



Congratulations to Charles Mastrarrigo on achieving his Private Pilot checkride!



Congratulations to Bryan Philbert on passing his Private Pilot checkride!



Congratulations to Sam Schmidtke on passing his Private Pilot checkride!



Congratulations to Marli Wilhoit on passing his Private Pilot checkride!

## **CERTIFIED FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR INSTRUMENT**



Congratulations to Aamro's very own Jeffrey Hernandez on becoming a Certified Flight Instructor Instrument (CFII)!

## **FIRST SOLO ACHIEVEMENT**



Congratulations to Cody Pointer on completing his first solo flight!



Congratulations to Jack Rice on his first solo achievement!

### **TESTIMONIALS**

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"Ive trained with Aamro for almost a year now, and its been nothing short of extremely professional. From the front desk and management, to the quality instructors, ive never had any issues. The testing center is also a great spot, 10/10 Great school."

-- Landon Sytsema

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"Completed my Private and Instrument ratings at this school. Perfect location for scenic south Florida flying. Airfield offers a wide variety of instrument approaches for practice, as well as being nearby to a wide open, low traffic area for maneuvering. Staff are friendly and helpful, and pricing is affordable for the area. Wouldn't want to do my training anywhere else!"

-- Ben Smith

#### **CREW CORNER**



When I walk into Aamro Aviation each morning, I'm reminded that I'm exactly where I'm meant to be. Whether I'm at the front desk helping dispatch students and instructors, or in the cockpit climbing through the clouds, I'm living a dream I've held since I was a kid. This place isn't just where I work and train, it's like my second home.

Flying runs deep in my family. Both of my parents are pilots, my grandparents flew. My boyfriend is a pilot, too. You could say aviation is in my blood. I grew up surrounded by stories about flight and the magic of being in the sky. But it was my dad who really lit the spark for me. Some of my best memories are of flying with him, learning what it meant to truly be a pilot. Since his passing, that connection has only grown stronger. Every time I take off, I feel like he's right there with me, guiding me, encouraging me, and reminding me why I fell in love with flying in the first place.

My journey through flight training at Aamro has taken me all the way from my very first lesson to earning my Commercial Pilot certificate.

## **About the Author**

Coral Quillin serves as Executive Secretary at Aamro Aviation and is currently completing her flight training at the same facility. Coming from a family of pilots, Coral has had a passion for aviation since childhood and is excited to pursue her flying dreams.

Balancing work and training wasn't always easy, but it was worth every early morning and long day. Working the front desk gave me a behind-the-scenes look at the heart of the operation. I got to learn not just from textbooks and flight hours, but from listening, observing, and being part of a team that truly loves what they do.

Everyone at Aamro has become like family to me. The instructors, dispatchers, mechanics, and students all bring something special to the table. Whether I needed extra help with a maneuver or encouragement before a checkride, someone was always there to support me. The sense of community here is strong, and it's one of the biggest reasons I've been able to succeed.

Aamro Aviation isn't just a flight school, it's an amazing environment where passion and professionalism come together. The training is top-tier, and the people are what make it truly exceptional. Thanks to Aamro, I've not only become a Commercial Pilot, but I've also gained lifelong friends and unforgettable memories.

Flying is my passion. It's my connection to my past, my family, and my future. And I couldn't have asked for a better place to chase that dream than right here at Aamro Aviation.

#### **COURSE SPOTLIGHT**

#### FEATURED COURSE: INSTRUMENT RATING

# Master the Art of Flying by Instruments - Elevate Your Piloting Skills

The Instrument Rating (IR) enables you to fly safely in challenging weather conditions when visual references are unavailable. This intensive program develops precision flying skills essential for instrument flight rules (IFR) operations, where pilots navigate solely by cockpit instruments.

This rating is required for professional pilot employment and serves as a prerequisite for the Airline Transport Pilot License. Training utilizes modern aircraft equipped with advanced Garmin G1000 NXi glass cockpit systems.

## **Program Highlights**

- Duration: 4-6 weeks
- Ground Training: 30 hours of instruction
- Flight Training: 50 hours

## **Eligibility**

- Minimum age: 17 years
- Hold a valid Private Pilot License
- Medical certificate from an Aviation Medical Examiner
- Pass a computerized aeronautical knowledge test
- English language proficiency

## What You'll Learn

Master instrument approach procedures, precision navigation, holding patterns, IFR flight planning, weather interpretation, and air traffic control communications. Develop proficiency in emergency procedures specific to instrument flight conditions.

The Instrument Rating dramatically expands your flying capabilities, allowing flight operations regardless of weather conditions and opening doors to commercial aviation careers.

#### PARTNERSHIP SPOTLIGHT

# Aamro Aviation & Stratus Financial: Making Flight Training Accessible



Our ongoing partnership with Stratus Financial continues to provide our students with specialized aviation financing solutions. Founded by pilots for pilots, Stratus Financial understands the unique needs of aspiring aviators.

## **Key Benefits for Aamro Students:**

- Competitive rates from zero hours to commercial pilot certification
- Evaluation beyond traditional credit scores
- Fast approval process with funding within three business days
- No prepayment penalties
- Direct payment to Aamro Aviation

Stratus Financial looks at each student as a future aviator, providing not just funding but also mentorship and industry connections to support your aviation career.

Ready to learn more? Contact our front desk for details on how Stratus Financial can help fund your flight training journey.

### **CELEBRATING OUR JULY BIRTHDAY CREW**







**Casey Geist** 

**Coral Quillin** 

**Zachary Mason** 

## **AVIATION QUIZ**

## From cockpit to clouds - let's see if you're ready to take flight!

#### 1. What's the "Four Forces of Flight" that every pilot needs to know?

- a) Up, Down, Left, Right
- b) Lift, Weight, Thrust, Drag
- c) Fast, Slow, High, Low
- d) Wind, Rain, Snow, Sun

#### 2. You're approaching to land - what does ATC mean by "cleared to land"?

- a) You can taxi to the runway
- b) You're approved to touch down on the runway
- c) You can start your engine
- d) Time to call your mom

#### 3. What happens if you pull back on the yoke/stick?

- a) The plane goes faster
- b) The plane turns left
- c) The nose goes up
- d) The landing gear comes down

#### 4. What does a red and white segmented circle at an airport indicate?

- a) To impress passengers
- b) It's required by law
- c) To check the plane is safe to fly d) All of the above

#### 5. What's a "touch-and-go" landing?

- a) A really gentle landing
- b) Landing then immediately taking off again
- c) Landing with one wheel
- d) A landing where you high-five the ground Crew



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Keep an eye out for seasonal items, limited edition releases, and special promotional bundles. The sky's the limit!

# CHECK OUT OUR AWESOME SELECTION!

We've got tons of cool stuff available right now:

- Hats: Keep the sun out of your eyes in style
- Hoodies: Stay cozy during those early morning flights
- T-shirts: Perfect for casual days or under your flight jacket
- Cups: Because your coffee should fly first class too And so much more!





#### **AVIATION QUIZ: Answers**

1. b 2. b 3. c 4. d 5. b

#### **HOW DID YOU DO?**

- 0-2 correct: Keep learning!

- 3-4 correct: Well done!

- 5 correct: Expert level!



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The Aamro Aviation Team

