

## Hangar Talk Saturdays (KVNY) Avoiding Pilot Error (Part 1)

**Why do experienced pilots still make preventable mistakes?** Many aviation incidents begin with small errors in judgment, planning, communication, or aircraft control that quietly build into larger problems. This seminar explores practical strategies pilots can use to recognize and avoid common mistakes before they become serious safety events.

Using videos 1 and 2 from the acclaimed aviation safety series *17 Ways to Avoid Falling Out of the Sky*, attendees will examine real-world scenarios involving pilot decision making, situational awareness, procedural discipline, and risk management. Discussion will focus on recognizing error chains, improving safety habits, and strengthening aeronautical decision making in day-to-day flying.

This is Part 1 of a two-part seminar series, with additional topics continuing during the following weekend's session.

### Event Details

**Sat, Jun 20, 2026 at 09:00 PDT**

**LA Flight Academy**

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Easy access from Balboa Blvd. Plenty of free parking. Seminar length approximately 2 hours.

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