

FAASTeam presents:

Co-Pilot Workshop - Flight Instruments and Controls

Does the inside of the cockpit start to look like the control room for a nuclear power plant?

Seriously, do they need all those instruments and gadgets? Which one are you supposed to watch? Will there be some warning if something is not right?

Pilots are given extensive training in how to read flight instruments and engine instruments, but for the rest of us they just seem too confusing. In this Co-Pilot Workshop, CFI Dan Dyer demystifies the most common instruments you will see in a cockpit and helps you develop at least a passing knowledge of how to read and interpret them. He will cover the standard "6-pack" flight instruments, as well as the magnetic compass. Also, we will introduce you to the various gauges and dials used to monitor the health of the engine and electrical system.

Throughout, we will break the lecture up with fun exercises that allow you and your fellow classmates a chance to enjoy the learning process.

SCFC's Co-Pilot Seminar Series is designed for right-seat passengers. If you have a friend, relative, or spouse who flies with you, this seminar series is designed to give those right-seaters opportunities to learn a little bit more

Event Details

Sat, Apr 23, 2016 - 12:00 PDT

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about what is happening in the cockpit. Each session will familiarize participants with one area of flying so that they can be more knowledgeable about what is happening during the flight. Our seminar series covers ground training but can be paired with in-flight training sessions on request.

Directions: Pilots who fly in should park in transient parking on the opposite side of the field and expect to walk about 10 minutes (.5 mile) to the Flight Center. Suite 215 is upstairs in the northwest corner. On occasion, rides may be prearranged through San Carlos Aviation and Supply.

A message from the National FAASafety Manager

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