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Aircraft Systems and Beyond

C-172 Systems Review and Beyond, an aircraft's Pilot Operating Handbook (POH) contains all the required information for pilots to operate an aircraft safely. Here you will find the operating limitations, aircraft information and an overview of the systems. Having an understanding as to how your aircraft operates is critical. The POH offers a wealth of data that pilots can use to fully understand their aircraft, yet, they often do not take advantage of it.

To develop this understanding we will further investigate the systems in a Cessna 172. San Carlos Flight Center invites Herb Patten, Chief Pilot to go beyond the information in the POH. In this seminar, he will highlight details of the inner workings of the induction, oil, electrical and fuel system as applicable during the real world. For example, have you ever wondered how the alternate air works in the Cessna 172? Or what triggers the "OIL PRESS" annunciator? Through a combination of diagrams, pictures and videos, Herb will demystify how the various systems are implemented.

If you ever wanted the answer to the question of "How does that work?", this seminar will provide answers to many of those questions and provide a framework to fully understanding any airplane you fly.

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