



The Ninety-Nines, Inc
International Organization of Women Pilots

Flying Companion Seminar

Presented by Alaska Chapter and Mat-Su Valley Chapter 99s

Saturday, May 21, 2011 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Where: UAA Aviation Technology Building
Merrill Field
Anchorage, AK

Course fee: \$99 includes continental breakfast, lunch, aircraft simulator exercise, radio exercise, and all supplies

This seminar is designed for the spouse, friend, or frequent passenger who would like to learn more about flying to make them a more comfortable, helpful passenger, especially in an emergency situation.

Participants will receive instruction in the following areas: basic navigation and navigation instruments, basic flight controls, use of aircraft radios and terminology, emergency procedures and survival. In addition participants will receive hands-on experience with a flight simulator and hand-held radios.

All instructors are licensed local women pilots with both instructional and flying experience. A Certificate of Completion will be presented at the end of the course.

**** PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ****

***** Seating is limited to 30 participants *****

TO HOLD YOUR RESERVATION ---- (Please register by May 8th)

Mail registration slip AND check (payable to Alaska 99s) to:
Alaska 99s, PO Box 91962, Anchorage, AK 99509

There will be a \$15 cancellation fee.

For more information call: Gloria Tomich, 907-279-1560 or Patty Livingston, 907-746-2919



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Yes, I want to register for the Flying Companion Seminar to be held on May 21, 2011.



Name: _____ Phone: _____ Day/Evening

Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

I heard about the seminar from: _____



The Ninety-Nines' Mission

The Ninety-Nines is the international organization of women pilots that promotes advancement of aviation through education, scholarships, and mutual support while honoring our unique history and sharing our passion for flight.

Flying Companion Seminars are held biannually in the spring and fall at various locations in Alaska by the 99s.

Who Are the Ninety-Nines

THE NINETY-NINES, INC., is an international organization of licensed women pilots from 35 countries - with over 6,000 members throughout the world. We are a non-profit, charitable membership corporation. The Ninety-Nines International Headquarters are located in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Although there are other female pilot organizations in various states and nations, virtually all women of achievement in aviation have been or are members of the 99s.

The organization came into being November 2, 1929, at Curtiss Field, Valley Stream, Long Island, New York. All 117 American female pilots had been invited to assemble for mutual support and the advancement of aviation. Louise Thaden was elected secretary and worked tirelessly to keep the group together as we struggled to organize and grow until 1931, when Amelia Earhart was elected as first president and the group was named for the 99 charter members.

Today Ninety-Nines are professional pilots for airlines, industry, and government; we are pilots who teach and pilots who fly for pleasure; we are pilots who are technicians and mechanics. But first and foremost, **we are women who love to fly!**

Our Headquarters, located in a two story building complex on six acres at the Will Rogers World Airport in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is home to our large archival records, video oral histories, personal artifacts, collections and memorabilia, and biographical files on thousands of women pilots from around the world. This is also the site of our 99s Museum of Women Pilots.

What Do the Ninety-Nines Do?

The Ninety-Nines reach into every corner of aviation. Each year the chapters sponsor more than 300 educational programs, including flying safety, airport tours, fun flying, and flying companion seminars.

The Ninety-Nines also fly air ambulance, blood and medical supplies; help identify airports by air-marking names on runways and roof tops; serve on local, state and federal aeronautics commissions; and promote intercollegiate flying competition.

To promote the upgrading of pilot skills and proficiency, the Ninety-Nines operate local and cross-country racing events, the most famous of which was the Power Puff Derby. Each year the Ninety-nines award ten or more scholarships Amelia Earhart Scholarships for advanced flight training. Additionally, The99s chapters award numerous student pilot and advanced rating scholarships.