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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL SQUADRON PERSONNEL

FROM: Commander/Bowie Composite Squadron

SUBJECT: GENERAL SAFETY POLICY

The Bowie Composite Squadron will operate as a unit that stresses safety at all levels. This policy will include the fact that ANY member of the unit may halt an activity in order to question safety, and may bring safety up as an issue should one doubt his or her ability to complete a task because of such a concern. In addition, the following apply:

1. The Bowie Composite Squadron will hold at least one pilot-related safety meeting per month.
2. Additional Safety Briefings should contain relevant information pertaining to cadets, Ground Teams, and other squadron members at least once every 2 months.
3. No pilot may miss more than one pilot-related safety briefing per quarter without special exception and must make up material missed at any safety meeting.
4. The squadron Safety Officer is responsible for tracking participation and working with pilots to ensure that material missed is made up in a timely fashion.
5. The squadron will adopt policies and standard operating procedures which may include pilot proficiency tracking, on-line course completion, the wings program, and other programs that may be beneficial to the members. Those policies do not affect the overall policy for safety for the squadron, and while they may have separate policy numbers, they reflect back to the squadron attitude for safety and a safe environment. No other policy will supercede this safety policy.

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