

# BEFORE YOU FPV!



## Know the Rules!

1. You **must** have a spotter. This spotter will maintain Visual Line-of-Sight (VLOS) of your craft while you flying.
2. You must still obey all other field rules!  
Please check before you lift off:
  - a. No more than **four** aircraft in the air at anytime
  - b. Announce your intentions clearly and loudly so that others can plan accordingly - when you walk on the field ("ON THE FIELD") - when you take off ("TAKING OFF STRAIGHT UP/OUT") - and when you land ("LANDING RIGHT-TO-LEFT/LEFT-TO-RIGHT/STRAIGHT-IN")

## Before Powering On:

1. Check the frequency board as well as the pilot line for others flying FPV.
2. Find a frequency on the board that is open and available. Make sure there is at least 20 Mhz between you and the other pilots.
3. Before you power on, ensure that no other FPV pilots are in the air - EVEN IF YOU ARE ONLY POWERING ON TO CHANGE FREQUENCY.
4. Communicate with other FPV pilots that you are powering on and work together so that each of you has clear video signal and a chance to fly safely.

## **Responsibilities of a Spotter:**

1. Maintain VLOS of aircraft
2. Inform pilot of other aircraft in the air relative to the pilot's craft and keep them updated on the relative position of the other craft.
3. Inform pilot of environmental conditions - i.e., people on the runway, planes taking off/landing, possible loss of VLOS.
4. Be ready to take controls in the event that pilot is unable to. This means being able to pilot their craft ably should they need to bring it down safely.

Please have fun and be safe! We know FPV is amazing and exhilarating, but only as long as we remember that we share the field and doing it in a safe way shows you respect other's right to have fun as well.

**BE SAFE AND FPV ON!**