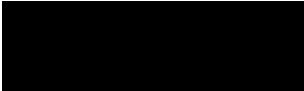


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Date: March 26, 2025 @ 1020

Subject: ERA25LA114

Contact: Student Pilot: Dylan Romig @ 

Brief conversation with the student pilot about the preflight.

The student pilot (Romig) stated that he arrived at the airport and airplane after the flight instructor. When he got there the instructor was already there and on his phone; the instructor stated he had already pre flighted the airplane. The airplane was still in the bay. They waited for the 20 knot winds to die down before beginning the flight.

They pulled the airplane out and did a quick walk around. Once in the cockpit they did the normal pre taxi and pre takeoff procedures.

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