

## K-STATE AT SALINA STUDENTS ACHIEVE PILOT AND FLIGHT RATINGS

SALINA - Kansas State University at Salina announces student pilot achievements for the spring 2003 semester.

Students receiving a **private pilot certificate** have completed a minimum of 35 hours of flight time during 30 lessons. With a private pilot certificate, pilots can fly with passengers in good weather both day and night.

To earn the **instrument pilot rating**, students complete an additional 35 hours of flight instruction above the private pilot certificate and complete 30 additional lessons. With the instrument pilot rating, a pilot can fly in inclement weather with passengers both day and night.

A **commercial pilot certificate** is earned when students complete a minimum of 40 hours of cross-country flight training and 15 hours in a complex, high performance airplane. Pilots with a commercial pilot certificate will have completed a minimum of 190 total hours of flight training since their first flight.

With a **multi-engine airplane rating**, students have demonstrated proficiency in a twin-engine airplane. A pilot with this rating is licensed to fly an airplane with two or more engines.

Students have the opportunity to earn a **certified flight instructor** certificate upon completion of their commercial rating by passing a written and practical exam administered by the Federal Aviation Administration. As a certified flight instructor, pilots can train students in the operation of a single-engine airplane.

Students receiving a **certified instrument flight instructor rating** have completed 15 additional hours of flight training beyond the certified instructor rating certificate. As a certified instrument flight instructor, pilots can train other pilots who desire to obtain an instrument rating.

To be certified as a **multi-engine instructor**, pilots must have 15 hours of twin-engine training, receive an endorsement from their flight instructor and pass a practical exam demonstrating their skills in this type of aircraft. A multi-engine instructor trains other pilots desiring a multi-engine rating.

Alma: Chance Lagergren, sophomore in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Bendena: Nathan Bevis, junior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate and multi-engine airplane rating.

Blue Rapids: Kelsey Osborne, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Burrton: William Klein, senior in professional pilot, multi-engine airplane rating.

El Dorado: Kole Johnson, junior in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Emporia: David Goll, May 2003 graduate in professional pilot, multi-engine instructor rating. Justin Morgan, sophomore in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Grainfield: Mitchell Ochs, senior in professional pilot, certified instrument flight instructor rating.

Haven: Greg Tonn, senior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Hays: Dustin Osburn, senior in professional pilot, certified instrument flight instructor rating. Betty Pina, senior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Hill City: Eric Nikelson, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Hutchinson: Darren Stover, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Junction City: Nathan Frame, freshman in professional pilot, private pilot certificate and instrument pilot rating.

Lansing: Brianne Adams, May 2003 graduate in professional pilot, certified instrument flight instructor rating.

Leavenworth: Ki Kim, junior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Leawood: Andrew McAddin junior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Lewis: Derek Barnes, junior in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Manhattan: Goeff Kruglik, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

McPherson: Lance Benson, sophomore in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Meriden: Christopher Hannon, junior in professional pilot, private pilot certificate and instrument pilot rating.

Ness City: Shannon Phannenstiel, sophomore in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Newton: Dustin Vieselmeyer, junior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Niles: Ryan McCoskey, sophomore in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Olathe: Adam Dimmitt, May 2003 graduate in professional pilot, multi-engine pilot rating and certified instrument flight instructor rating. Peter Krievins, junior in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Osawatomie: David Buss, sophomore in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating.

Park: James Ashbaugh, senior in professional pilot, multi-engine airplane rating.

Salina: Andrew Augustine, May 2003 graduate in professional pilot and senior in technology management, certified instrument flight instructor rating. Jake Bradley, junior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate. Renae Branstetter, senior in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate. Brad Brightbill, sophomore in professional pilot, instrument pilot rating. Josh Deitrick, senior in professional pilot, certified instrument flight instructor rating. Lawrence Herschbach, senior in professional pilot, multi-engine pilot rating. David Swanson, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Scott City: Weston Thompson, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Soldier: Brian Penrod, senior in professional pilot, private pilot certificate.

Topeka: Nathan Hinkel, freshman in professional pilot, private pilot certificate. Troy Leiker, sophomore in professional pilot, commercial pilot certificate.

Towanda: Brady Sharp, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Wamego: Jason Eiche, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate.

Wichita: Todd Boehlke, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate. Brian Doom, senior in professional pilot, certified flight instructor certificate. Robert McGregor, freshman in professional pilot, private pilot certificate. Craig Roth, senior in professional pilot, certified instrument flight instructor rating.

#### COLORADO

Levi Brown, junior in professional pilot, Colorado Springs, instrument pilot rating. Brian Gigax, sophomore in professional pilot, Colorado Springs, instrument pilot rating. Lynsey Burnett, senior in professional pilot, Cowdrey, multi-engine instructor rating. Diedre Trojan, senior in professional pilot, Denver, commercial pilot certificate.

#### GEORGIA

Timothy McCoy, junior in professional pilot, Alpharetta, commercial pilot certificate.

#### IOWA

Michael Argotsinger, junior in professional pilot, Council Bluffs, commercial pilot certificate.

#### MISSOURI

Dustin Graves, junior in professional pilot, Fairfax, certified flight instructor certificate. Chad Sanders, sophomore in professional pilot, Liberty, certified flight instructor certificate and certified instrument flight instructor rating. Mark Frederick, sophomore in professional pilot, St. Louis, instrument pilot rating.

#### NEBRASKA

Adam Volcek, sophomore in professional pilot, North Platte, instrument pilot rating.

#### TEXAS

Justin Poe, senior in professional pilot, Keller, certified flight instructor certificate. Jeremy Pool, senior in professional pilot, Stratford, commercial pilot certificate.

**VIRGINIA**

Geoffrey Palmer, junior in professional pilot, Alexandria, commercial pilot certificate and multi-engine pilot rating.

**WISCONSIN**

Christopher Oviatt, May 2003 graduate in professional pilot, Oconomowoc, certified flight instructor certificate.