

# CONGRATULATIONS

ON ARRANGING FOR YOUR TANDEM PARAGLIDING FLIGHT AT LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN IN GOLDEN! Here's your handy pre-flight guide. Read it carefully for maximum fun and safety potential.

## SCHEDULING YOUR FLIGHT:

All you need to do is send an e-mail to [tim@flytim.com](mailto:tim@flytim.com) letting me know when you're available and when you'd like to fly. We'll look at the calendar and weather projections together and make a decision on when to schedule your flight.

Of course, your tandem flight is entirely dependent on the weather. If the wind is too strong or from the wrong direction, we'll be flying on another day. Be prepared to wait around for a while in any case. (We call this "para-waiting.") You'll enjoy the view and we'll have plenty to talk about. If the weather is bad, your flight will be rescheduled.

## WHERE TO MEET:

We will meet on a dusty shoulder of US Hwy 6 near the field where we will land after your flight. Follow this link in any browser: <http://tinyurl.com/d9yealt>

## WHAT TO WEAR:

Wear your favorite pair of hiking or running shoes. The more ankle support the better. Long pants. Layers of clothing. Anticipate a broad temperature range. Sunglasses and sun screen are also a good idea since we're a mile closer to the sun than most people.

## WHAT TO BRING:

A good healthy attitude, a camera and a smile. Don't forget to bring some water. We live in a relatively dry environment and you may get thirsty walking up to our launch site. Your safety and comfort is the most important part of our experience together, so let's stay hydrated.

## AFRAID OF HEIGHTS?

Get over it. Worry about the interstate highway. Worry about sudden climate change. A little fear is good. It's OK to have butterflies, so long as they are all flying in formation.

## HOW LONG WILL THE FLIGHT LAST?

Your flight varies in length depending on conditions and on how many tricks you ask the pilot to do.

## DO YOU GET TO STEER?

If you like, you can steer almost the entire time. The instructor takes care of the take off and landing and you can do the rest.

## IS IT DANGEROUS?

All forms of aviation carry risks. We do as much as is humanly possible to mitigate the risks involved in foot-launched flying.

**WHO IS THIS GUY?** I'm your pilot and flight instructor. I've been flying paragliders in Colorado (and around the world) for over 20 years. I love this stuff.

**Questions, comments, concerns?** Just call.

My number is **720-509-9399**. Count on reaching me via e-mail, so memorize this e-mail address: [tim@flytim.com](mailto:tim@flytim.com).

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## READY TO GO? GOOD.

Be sure to read this handy pre-flight guide and check this check-list before continuing:



- I have read the handy pre-flight guide referenced here...
- I understand that paragliding is by its nature an unpredictable and potentially dangerous activity.
- I understand that I will be required to sign near-endless pages of intrusive waivers prior to flying.
- This is my first time.
- My total body weight is less than 200 lbs.
- I am in sufficient physical health to hike 200-feet up a steep trail to launch on Mt. Zion in Golden.
- I will not complain about having to hike up a steep trail in Golden to experience foot-launched free flight.

Good? Sign here:

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Name

Date