



## **Passing of Paraglider Pilot, Robert Taylor**

Hi Operations

It is with great sadness, that we advise of the passing of Robert Taylor, a well-respected paraglider pilot and member of the Sports Aviation Federation of Australia.

Robert tragically died in a paragliding accident while flying at Hinchcliffe's Flattop on September, 8 2020.

Robert was an experienced pilot and well-respected in his local flying

community. He was a member of Canungra Hang Gliding Club.

SAFA Operations and local Police investigations were immediately mobilised and are now assisting Coronial authorities.

It is too early to determine the cause of the accident and until the investigation is complete, we cannot comment. A comprehensive investigation is now underway.

Members will understand that this process will take some time before firm conclusions can be made and findings shared.

Our thoughts and sincere condolences are with Robert's family and the local flying community in Canungra during this very sad time.

**Thank you.**

**- Brett Coupland, Chief Operations Manager, SAFA**



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