



“HIALEAH”

Bill, a balloonist for 17 years, has logged 1,355 hours of flight. His balloon Hialeah is named for the now defunct Florida race track which was home to the 1st flamingos imported into USA, hence his balloon depicts a pink flamingo on a teal background. Bill is a member of NOBPA where he serves as treasurer. As a flight instructor, Bill has trained 17 pilots to license on their first try. He organized a Longjump Flight in 2002 and in succeeding years the participating pilots (The Ohio Group) has had 7 category winning flights, a record unmatched in the history of the BFA Longjump Challenge.

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