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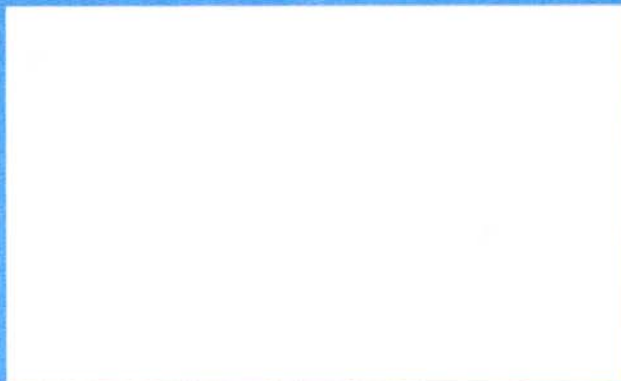
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■ **Kam Majd**, AOPA 4356076, has published his second novel, *High Impact*, as part of the continuing series about airline captain Kate Gallagher. The book breaks new ground by taking up the subject of remote viewing, a psychic spy program developed during the Cold War. When Gallagher's daughter becomes the unwitting recipient of a dark secret, it sends Gallagher on a cross-country pursuit of the truth. Published by Bantam Dell, the book is available in bookstores.

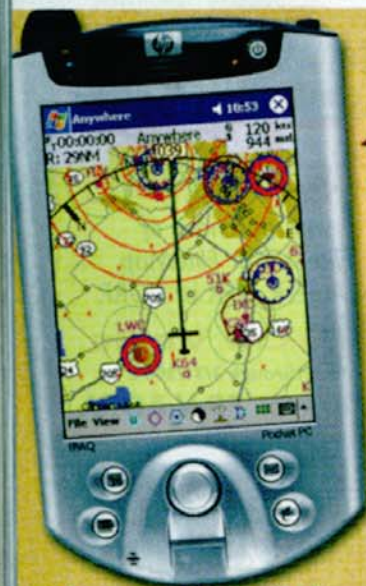
■ **Doug Stewart**, AOPA 0983347, has been named Flight Instructor of the Year by both the Windsor Locks Flight District Standards Office and the New England Region Flight Standards Office. Stewart, a

Master CFI, Gold Seal instructor, and designated pilot examiner, is known for his six-day "East Coast IFR Experience" and two-day "Narly New England IFR," confidence-building training programs that have pilots flying some of the most difficult approaches on the East Coast. As well as writing a monthly safety and training column for *Vintage Airplane* magazine, Stewart provides tailwheel instruction and Piper Malibu/Mirage recurrent training. For more information on training opportunities, see his Web site (www.dsflight.com).

■ **Mark Fej6**, AOPA 36 has just released a new award-winning documentary film, *B-17 Flying Legend*, about the importance of preserving the last flying B-17s in the world and learning about the men who flew them. A collector's edition DVD is now available through Janson Media (www.janson.com). The DVD is packed with bonus features,

such as the original documentary, *Memphis Belle*, more than 200 historical photos, a B-17 virtual tour, and many other surprises. For more information on the film, visit the Web site (www.b17flyinglegend.com).

■ **Thomas E. Simmons**, AOPA 2623506, has published his latest book, *Forgotten Heroes of World War II*. Simmons' book focuses on the stories of the rank-and-file who served in all branches of the military. "Their tales are told without pretense or apology. At the time, each thought himself no different from those around him, for they were all young, scared, and miserable. They were the ordinary, the extraordinary, the forgotten," Simmons said about the book. Published by Cumberland House, the 256-page book is available at bookstores and from online retailers.



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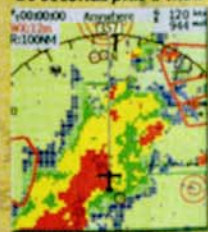
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