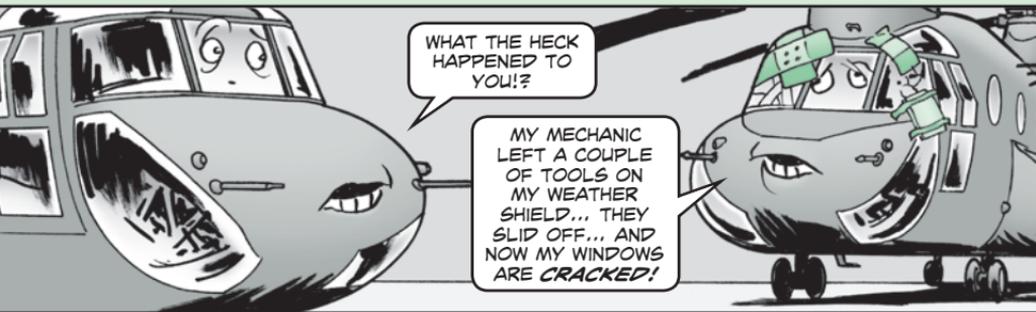
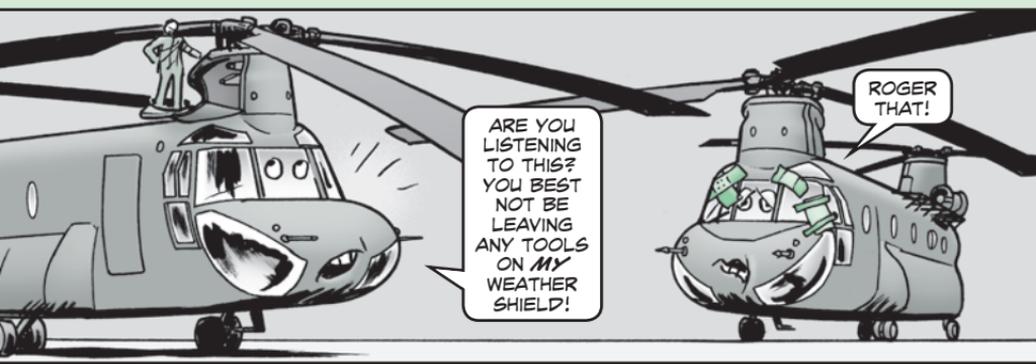


# Topside Maintenance

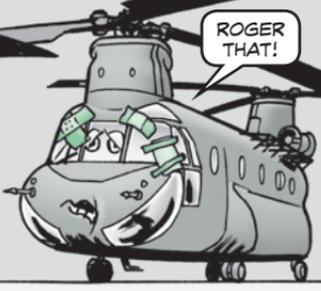


WHAT THE HECK HAPPENED TO YOU!?

MY MECHANIC LEFT A COUPLE OF TOOLS ON MY WEATHER SHIELD... THEY SLID OFF... AND NOW MY WINDOWS ARE CRACKED!



ARE YOU LISTENING TO THIS? YOU BEST NOT BE LEAVING ANY TOOLS ON MY WEATHER SHIELD!



ROGER THAT!

**W**hen you're working topside doing maintenance on your Chinook's forward rotor blades, be smart now rather than sorry later, mechanics.

Smart maintenance means smart use of your tools. Don't leave tools on the weather shield because they can slide off or be knocked off if the blades get rotated.

For example, if a wrench falls from the weather shield, it can shatter the eyebrow windows or the windshield. Worse, if other mechanics are working in the cockpit, a falling wrench can break the windows and hit them on the noggin. Ouch!

Tools left lying on the weather shield create unnecessary hazards. So work smart now and you won't have to deal with repairs and injuries later.

