CALIFORNIA PARACHUTE CLUB

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The August 24th general meeting was attended by Kent Walker, Mike and Alice Ogden, Ken and Charloa Burker and Bob Hall. Mike Ogden won the first jump. Many of the attendees plan to attend the September 27th thru 29th boogie at Byron. The nominations for next year's officers were opened, and are an exact match of this year's officers. Nominations will close at the October 12th meeting. Rantoul's World Skydiving Convention was discussed. In addition to the information in the last newsletter, it was mentioned that Bill Stanley and Kent Walker forgot to leave the museum when it closed, causing some relatives to worry. Boys will be boys. The group did a number of Magic carpet dives, in addition to the popular Viking Funeral Dives. They also did an outstanding training organizer dive (they tell the story much better than I can). They raved about the great food that included great ribs and 3 pound steaks. And the Stanley's again provided excellent wines. They did a 23k foot dive. Kent Walker did a B-17 dive from 7500 feet. The B-17 crew also did tandem skydives. Our group also participated on some fun tube dives. Thank you to Bill Stanley for providing many of the members' transportation. Without Bill the turnout would probably be much less, resulting in much less fun. BILL STANLEY IS THE MAN. The meeting ended with Alice Ogden winning the second jump ticket. Correction, Bob Hall shows up, so Alice graciously suggests a redraw. Charloa Burker wins the second jump ticket. Then we all retire to Round Table, but only spend \$10 since we have funds left over from last month.

The 9/21/02 jump day at Byron and the BOD meeting were canceled due to the organizer's illness. Get well soon, Ed.

Ed Barr was trying to organize a team for the Lodi 10 way competition but due to his recent illness Your EX-President, Ten Way Organizer, and just ordered a new main born again Skydiver Bob Hall has taken over the reigns. Please contact Bob to join this no practice fun team. Welcome back Bob, we love you.

Calendar:

General Meeting: October 12th. Nominations for 2003 offices close.

2003 Holiday Party: 5:00 P.M. Saturday, January 11th Starts at 5:00 P.M., Potluck starts at 7:00 P.M. Springtown Social Room, Livermore