

CALIFORNIA PARACHUTE CLUB

P.O. Box 1065, Livermore, California 94551

Holiday Party: There was a better than expected turnout at the annual Holiday party which included Ed Barr & Shirley Barr, Bill Burkner & Charloa Burkner, Dick Davies & Becky Davies, Kent Walker & Madalyn Drago, James Duffy & Enjou, Bruce Fitch & Terry Fitch, Bob Hall & Lee Wilcox, Peter Kalthoff & Lynda Robertson, Alice Ogden & Mike Ogden, Bill Stanley & Theresa Stanley, Dave Schulz & Donna Schulz, and Tony Sorce & Rene Sorce. This year it was held at Cattlemens in Livermore. Most of the people appeared to have a good time even though the facilities were not as promised. Our semi-private room started with just 3 groups of people rather than the 2 as promised. The additional group did not allow our area to be set up in a manner conducive for mingling, but we managed to do a little anyway. We spoke to a lady that appeared to be involved in management, but she kinda shined us on by saying she was not in on the original plans and was just helping out. So rather than dampen the festivities we continued to party. Apparently that was a mistake, because when the larger party left, the room just became an extension of the restaurant and dampened the mingling even more. But alas, the room finally started clearing out and we were able to mingle more freely, although still stifled a little by the way our area was set up. As usual the club gave out some gifts. Having squandered funds in the past by purchasing too many calendars, a smaller number was purchased. This resulted in calendars going to most of the members with our other guests left out entirely. 6 lucky members also won jump tickets, they are Bruce Fitch, Charloa Burkner, Lynda Robertson, Kent Walker, Ed Barr and Bill Stanley. Thank you Lynda for letting us view the DVD of the first 8 stack over Livermore. To get your own copy of this great piece of history, contact Pino Productions or Tom Courbat at (951)677-6451 or at Tom68-69Korea@Comcast.net.

The following members have joined (thank you). Lynda Robertson, Kent Walker, Madalyn Drago, Charloa Burkner, Bill Burkner, Bill Stanley, Theresa Stanley, Eddie Dardin, John Waldeck, Allen Silver, Bob Hall, Maryjane Maberry-Hall, Jim Burns, James Duffy, Becky Davies, Peter Kalthoff, Bruce Fitch, Dave Schulz and John McAllister.

BOD Meeting: March 18th on the Hornet. (Thank you Kent Walker & Madalyn Drago).

Possible outings. Please let the appropriate person know if you have an interest.

Cabo San Lucas (Theresa Stanley or Madalyn Drago).

Reno Train Ride probably March or April, (Madalyn Drago). See the 11/05 newsletter.

Another Wind Tunnel trip (Kent Walker).

DVD? Have you received your DVD copy of the Cal Club's Masters of the Sky? (Thank you Kent Walker). If not, you may get one by contacting Kent at walker_k@crocuta.com or (650) 359-1227.

Calendar: (Subject to change to accommodate boogies, meets, etc.)

General Meeting: February 11th, 7:30 P.M.

BOD Meeting: March 18th on the Hornet.

General Meeting: April 8th, 7:30 P.M.

General Meeting: June 10th, 7:30 P.M.

General Meeting: August 12th, 7:30 P.M.

General Meeting: October 14th, 7:30 P.M.

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