

CALIFORNIA PARACHUTE CLUB

P.O. Box 1065 - Livermore - California - 94550

Membership: Your 1996 membership is now due. Send your \$15 to the address above or to your Secretary at 243 Pinehaven Way, Pacifica, CA 94044. We'll be printing a new membership roster at the end of March.

Election of Officers were held at the December Christmas party. Elected were: President: Bob Hall; Vice President: Bill Stanley; Secretary/Treasurer: Kent Walker; Board of Directors: Ed Barr, Bill Burkner, Ray Dias, Peter Kalthoff; Scott Keeney, John McAllister, Alice Ogden, Michael Ogden, Allen Silver, Lou Somantes, Theresa Stanley, and John Waldeck.

The **Christmas Dinner** had a super turnout. Around 50 people attended. Twenty jump tickets and twenty U.S.P.A. calendars (plus one inflatable animal) were given away as door prizes. A big "thank you" to **Charloa Smith** for organizing the meeting hall and coordinating the food and to **Bill Stanley** for the use of his stereo equipment. Also thanks to everyone who helped with the decorating, cleanup and numerous other chores.

Raffle Tickets: We will be raffling off another tandem jump this year. The drawing will be held at the June meeting. Pick up your tickets at the February meeting or call (415) 359-1227 and they will be mailed to you.

Leap Day '96 - Mark your calendar for Thursday, February 29th. The current plan is to jump at **Lodi** with **Byron** as an alternate. **Scott Keeney** has ordered three dozen T-shirts for the event. **Kent Walker** will try again to make his 1000th jump after the fog-out in January. Remember, this is the last Leap Day for eight years so be there!

Demo Jump '96: **Al Silver** reports that our club can't jump at the Watsonville show this year as it's going to be an all women's event. (Wouldn't put it past our guys to dress in drag, though.) However, there is the possibility of doing the Livermore airshow, so keep your calendar free in August.

Quincy in '96? OK, so **Mike Ogden** isn't going to charter a DC-3 as reported in the last newsletter. He and **Alice** would still like to hear from you if you're planning on going.

Scott Keeney is planning on purchasing more "CPC Demo Team" knit shirts. If you don't have one or want to replace that old, raggedy one you own, give Scott a call at (408)261-8839.

Don't forget that you can renew your **U.S.P.A. membership** through the Club. We received a check for \$30 from U.S.P.A. for club memberships last year!

Calendar:

- Club Meeting: February 3rd, 7:00 p.m., Livermore Airport.
- Leap Day: Thursday, February 29th, 1996, Lodi (or Byron).
- B.O.D. Meeting: March 13th, 7:00 p.m., Magic Edge, 1625 Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View.

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