



San Diego Sports Flyer

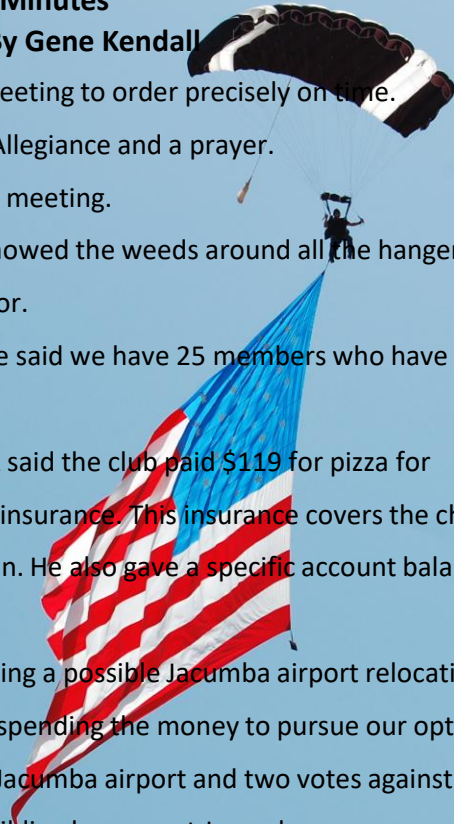


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San Diego Ultralight Association Meeting Minutes March 4, 2023, By Gene Kendall

- The President **Steve Oberecht** brought the meeting to order precisely on time.
- **Glenn Frehafer** led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer.
- **Guest visitors:** We had no new visitors to the meeting.
- **Oscar Gonzales** gave his field report. Oscar mowed the weeds around all the hangers. Oscar also helped Jody repair his broken hanger door.
- **Mike Sandlin** gave his membership report. He said we have 25 members who have paid their dues for 2023.
- **Mark Novak** gave his treasurers report. Mark said the club paid \$119 for pizza for the club board meeting. He also paid \$2,971 for insurance. This insurance covers the chapter liability and planes on the ground up to \$2 million. He also gave a specific account balance for the club bank account.
- Another in a series of **votes** to approve pursuing a possible Jacumba airport relocation was taken. The vote was as follows 14 in favor of spending the money to pursue our options with the County planning department at the Jacumba airport and two votes against. **14 yes, 2 no.** Four people expressed an interest in building hangers at Jacumba.
- At the prior month's SDUA board meeting a vote was taken and approved spending \$5,000 with the County to explore our options at the Jacumba airport.



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- **Glenn Frehafer** gave an update on the Jacumba airport. After several votes approving an exploratory look into relocation to the Jacumba airport and the approval to spend up to \$5,000 for this purpose. Glenn stated he contacted Ms. Meadows, County Airport manager and he also spoke to Ian H., a senior real estate employee at the county level. Glenn is in the process of making appointments with the County regarding the Jacumba airport relocation possibility.
- **Steve Oberecht** met with **Bram** of San Diego Skydive. Bram told Steve that we did not need to set aside money for hanger tear down and removal when we vacate the property. He also said there was no current immediate timeline to vacate the hangers. Bram told Steve that we could not fly ultralights because of our poor safety record.
- **Gene Kendall** gave a short slideshow regarding the On the Rocks airport. The airport property is privately owned and currently not for sale. The current estimated value is approximately \$1.5 million. It was listed several years ago for sale for approximately \$6 million. The previous owner was ordered by the County of San Diego to cease aircraft operations and do environmental remediation for un-approved and un-permitted alterations to the property. There is currently a substantial lien against the property for these reasons. The airport does not appear to be suitable for our needs.
- 19 people attended the meeting.
- **Brad Ruland** won \$34 in the raffle with \$31 going to the club.
- **Gene Kendall** will miss the April club meeting. **Glenn Frehafer** volunteered to take the meeting minutes.
- The meeting ended precisely on time.



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