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San Gabriel Valley Chinese Pilot Mailing List

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Hello:

Welcome to our first news letter. I have to do it in English because it will take me forever to type it in Chinese. Any volunteer out there can type in Chinese? I sure can use some help.

On May 7th we have our first lunch. Randall, Dr. Sy, Dr. Jammy Huang and myself were there. Small group but good conversation and good foods. Most of all, we outlined the following activities for the remainder of 1996:

- 1. Lunch on the first Tuesday of each month.
- 2. Fly-Out on the last Sunday of every other month, starting June 30.

Thanks to Randall's connection with all major Chinese news papers in the L.A., the news releases they putted out generated a lot of calls. So far, I have close to 20 names on the list already. Please tell your pilot friends and anyone who has an interest in flying about our mailing list. Call me and I will add them to my list.

Our fly-out to Kern Valley (L05) on May 19 made a turn toward Hemet (HMT) because the low cloud base over the San Gabriel mountains. It was fun watching those gliders being towed by the tow planes. On our way home, we stopped by Brackett (POC) for lunch. Daniel Chen's insight on flying Robinson R22s gave us fix-wingers a new prospective on flying. Hugo Zhang's tips on stock and investments are greatly appreciated. Since the West Coast Pilot Expo was on Brackett at the time, we took this chance to visit its airplane displays. A few of us even went on a Beech Starship, very impressive. On all three legs my 172 took off much earlier than Randall's 310, but he was always on my tail in landing pattern.

Next lunch is on June 4th 12:00 noon and it will be at the Kirin Japanese Sushi Buffet. Their address is 1806 S. San Gabriel Blvd., San Gabriel, phone number (818) 573-8588. Please pay at the door as you enter the restaurant.

Next Fly-Out is on June 30. Since we did not make it to Kern Valley on May 19, we are going to try again. Dr. Wallace Chang recommends Oceano (L52) for the August Fly-Out. I hear a lot of good things about Oceano and I think it will be a good place to go. Anyone has been out there please share your experience with us on June 4's lunch.

Eric Lai and Daniel Lee from Aim High Aviation School called on May 20. It was very nice of them to offer their facility to us in case we need a place to get together. Anyone is not yet a pilot or considering getting that IFR tickets please give them a call. With Aim High Aviation School, language is no longer a barrier to start flying. Give them a call at (909) 596-1088, 1805 McKinley Ave., La Verne, CA 91750.

I will set up a dedicated phone number with an answering machine to announce up coming events and for you to leave voice messages or FAX. The number will be (818) 291-2006, however, the answering machine has not been setup yet. I can be contacted by E-main as well: RobinFly@AOL.COM.

This is all I have to say on our first news letter. The next news letter will be out in July. You are welcome to send me any article for me to enclose in the next news letter, or drop me a line if you have any message you like me to mention. Until then, blue sky and smooth ride.

Robin Hou

P.S. Please verify your information on the other side of this letter, make changes and FAX to me so I can keep the database up todate.