Chairman, David Gans called to order the San Diego Chapter on October 7th, 2008 at 11:48 am. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Bob Payne of Keyline Sales. Self-introductions were conducted. There were 6 people in attendance. The Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed by the attendees and then approved. The treasurer’s report was presented for August and September. The treasurer’s report was approved by the attendees.

Announcements-
Bob Bailey of the UPPA Long Beach Chapter encouraged people to attend their Saturday morning breakfast meeting on October 11th. Adam Muliwan, Uniform Mechanical Code administrator with IAPMO will be presenting on Chapter 13–fuel gas.

Old Business-
A group discussion about the annual expo arose. It was suggested that we look into the possibility of hosting the Expo at a local plumbing supply house next year. Some pros and cons were discussed. Jeff Landon from Lubrizol suggested that we try to get a major tool manufacturer to have a booth with discounted tools to draw in more plumbers. Bill Smith from Karcher interior Systems and Nathan Berkowitz of Viega liked the plumbing supply house concept. Several plumbing wholesale locations were discussed as possible locations to hold our next expo. Hosting a golf tournament was mentioned but not widely accepted by the group.

New Business –
Ideas were shared on how to spend money that has been made from our Expo and training seminars. Ideas included:
1) Subsidizing future training events to keep the cost down for attendees
2) Purchasing our own logo wear for our raffles
3) Providing a free lunch for our presenters.
4) Subsidizing the lunch cost to reduce cost to attendees and increase participation.

Presentation –
David Gans gave a brief slideshow of the IAPMO Conference which was held in Atlanta Georgia. Some of the code provisions that will be in the 2009 UPC were discussed.

Raffle –
Several prizes were raffled off including a 2006 UMC.

Adjournment –
The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 pm.