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I Want to Jump!

After spending a day with the Sky-Bombers, I was ready	10
to take the plunge! It all started with a school project. Our	22
teacher asked us to find out about a group in town. Mom	34
has been a member of a skydiving club for years. She invited	46
me to join her at the next meeting.	54
First, Mom took me on a tour of the clubhouse and showed	66
me the equipment the group uses. She also explained how	76
the different instruments help the divers in the air. Then,	86
we met the other club members.	92
Everyone was great! They loved telling me about their first	102
jump. Most of them have made over 200 jumps since then.	113
A few of them dive together. They do acrobatics in the air.	125
It takes hours of practice to perfect their techniques .	134

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I got some great information for my project. Best of all,	145
Mom agreed to take me on my first tandem jump when	156
I turn 16. I can't wait to feel the adrenaline rush as I take	170
that first step from the plane. Just think of the view from	182
the dizzying heights above!	186

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