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Lanikai's men's novice A team celebrates victory in the 48th annual Macfarlane canoe regatta on a beautiful day at Waikiki.

Outrigger celebrates Wins Hawaii's oldest canoe race

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Big waves, the big equalizers in canoe paddling, were not a big factor in yesterday's 48th annual Walter J. Macfarlane Regatta at Waikiki Beach.

The surf was only about one to two feet over most of the course all day, and host Outrigger Canoe Club was its dominant self all day.

OCC, the defending state champion, won its fifth of five Oahu Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association regattas this season, and its seventh consecutive Macfarlane.

Outrigger scored 95 points in winning the oldest ongoing canoe race in Hawaii. Kailua was a distant second

with 49 and Lanikai third with 43. Outrigger took 13 first places out of 30 events.

Waikiki Surf Club won the small clubs division with 15 points, while Hui Lanakila and Leeward Kai tied for second with 14.

The Macfarlane race is a festive occasion every year, as locals and tourists alike crowd the beach fronting Waikiki hotels on the Fourth of July. It is also an event steeped in tradition for Outrigger, which has been in existence since 1908.

Walter Guild is a grand-nephew of Walter Macfarlane, who was president of Outrigger before his death in 1943, when the race was named in his memory.

Guild, a former head coach for OCC, steered five races yesterday. Open steersman rules were in effect, and one steersman could theoretically steer every race.

"That would be pretty tough," Guild said. "Especially if you had a race of your own to paddle in."

Still, a strong group of veteran steersmen helped Outrigger win yesterday, as it took keen eyes — as well as fortunate lane designations — to make the most of what waves were available.

"The more experienced steersmen can move the boat around better," Guild said. "And the outside lanes are

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in shallow water, where you have to paddle over slow, heavy water. That's why you'll see some paddling toward the middle.

"There's a lot of strategy. You'll see the steersmen in the open events reading the water all the way in and out and weaving through the water."

Guild's senior men's crew was second to Lanikai yesterday, but he was part of Outrigger's winning mixed crew.

He steered two winners, the 18 girls and the sophomore women.

Outrigger played spoiler for three previously unbeaten crews. Makaha's boys 13's, Kailua's women novice A's and Healani's sophomore women were all knocked off for the first time this year.

Only two of Outrigger's four previously unbeaten crews left Waikiki unscathed. The 16 girls and senior master women won, while Lanikai's sophomore men and Kailua's senior women both beat Outrigger's entries.

WOMEN

Sophomore: 1. Lanikai (Charlie Cates, Steve Wood, Paul Graham, Kalani Irvine, Vince Olds, Alfred Horner) 11:04.25. 2. Honolulu 11:26.10. 3. Outrigger 11:36.09.

Masters: 1. Kailua (Eassie Wills, Cy Kalama, Paul Shaner, Bob Bolson, Hugh Okuda, Terry Hamamoto) 7:01.46. 2. Hui Nalu 7:01.69. 3. Outrigger Canoe Club 7:17.68.

Novice B: 1. Outrigger (John Akana, Bruce Eliashof, Tom Harrer, Robert Harrison, David Pater, Hargen Holland) 3:38.85. 2. Waikiki Surf Club 3:41.96. Lanikai 3:48.59.

Novice A: 1. Lanikai (Bobby Nottage, Jason MacMurray, John Wolfe, Daryl McDonough, Greg Jandon, Jim Foti) 5:06.25. 2. Waikiki Surf Club 5:21.96. 3. Kailua 5:22.33.

Freshmen: 1. Kailua (Dave Chun, Mrk Cabral, Jim Joy, Nate Ng, Louis Mansanas, Louie Carigan) 7:17.95. 2. Anuenue 7:19.00. 3. Hui Nalu 7:29.88.

Junior: 1. Outrigger (John Foy, Courtney Seto, Greg Rudin, Steve Van Lier Ribbrik, Randy Shibuya, Tom Conner) 15:14.46. 2. Kailua 15:31.39. 3. Leeward 16:06.17.

Senior: 1. Lanikai (Mike Smith, John Foti, Paul Graham, Kalani Irvine, Charles Cates, Jim Foti) 18:10.45. 2. Outrigger 18:41.83. 3. Hui Nalu 19:08.42.

Senior Masters: 1. Kailua (Rocky Cash-

Team Scoring

AA

1, Outrigger	95
2, Kailua	49
3, Lanikai	43
4, Hui Nalu	35
5, Healani	25

A

1, Waikiki Surf Club	15
2, Hui Lanikila	14
tie, Leeward Kai	14
4, Makaha	11
5, Waimanalo	8
6, Surfsports	7
7, Anuenue	6
8, Honolulu	3
tie, Kai Oni	3

man, Bob Moncrief, Bob Nakea, Howard Keller, Dodd Blalock, Rob Cates III) 3:46. 2. Outrigger 3:56. 3. Healani 3:57.

Open 4: 1. Outrigger (Geoff Graf, Chris Kincaid, Bruce Black, Tom Conner) 3:45. 2. Lanikai 3:46. 3. Hui Lanikila 4:07.

WOMEN

Sophomore: 1. Outrigger (Kisi Haine, Diana Clifford, Pam Zak, Tiare Finney, Paula Crabb, Walter Guild) 7:52.95. 2. Kailua 7:54.57. 3. Healani 8:09.62.

Novice A: 1. Outrigger (Tanya Wataamull, Carrie Christmas, Debra Ing, Lois Cain, Carolyn Skinner, Tom Conner) 3:47.77. 2. Kailua 3:49.84. 3. Surfsports 4:20.01.

Senior: 1. Kailua (Donna Meyer, Kathy Erwin, Nancy Perry, Connie Johnston, Jean Stewart, Kamoa Kalama) 11:42.52. 2. Outrigger Canoe Club 11:58.77. 3. Healani 12:49.23.

Senior Masters: 1. Outrigger (Diane Stowell, Gerri Pedesky, Carol Wilcox, Ruby Iverson, Peg Danford, Fred Hemmings) 4:24.51. 2. Lanikai 4:26.14. 3. Kailua 4:27.28.

Novice B: 1. Lanikai (Dawn Graham, Kerri Jo Weddle, Laura King, Sonia Howald, Nina Woddell, Jim Foti) 1:43.55. 2. Outrigger 1:44.38. 3. Hui Nalu 1:45.16.

Freshmen: 1. Healani (Mihelle Paialina, Melvea Hardy, Malissa Tongg, Alexander Manding, Janna Arakaki, Gary Murakami) 5:28.77. 2. Outrigger 5:37.86. 3. Kailua 6:20.99.

Junior: 1. Outrigger (Jenny Scafe, Mary Smolenski, Michelle St. John, Katy Bourne, Sharon Bintliff, Mike Lemis). 2. Healani 10:53.30. 3. Kailua 11:31.40.

Open 4: 1. Hui Nalu (Sandy Combis, Sue Erickson, Butchie Lee, Denise Darval) 4:18. 2. Healani 4:30. Surfsports 4:33.00.

Masters: 1. Kailua (Bernie Gay, Sharon Cosma, Kathy Huber, Molly Mosher-Cates, Kathy Javellana, Kamoa Kalama) 8:24. 2. Healani 8:56. 3. Lanikai 8:57.

BOYS

12: 1. Waimanalo (Alii Choy Foo, Peter Moses, Shannon Kaleleiki, Kairi Nee, Harry Kauh, Paul Kahele) 1:42.45. 2. Outrigger 1:42.94. 3. Leeward 1:52.47.

13: 1. Outrigger (Brandt Pyles, Nathan Stapleton, Scott Gamble, Kua Hind, Josh O'Conner, Todd Bradley) 1:50.16. 2. Hui Lanikila 1:51.25. 3. Kai Oni 1:51.63.

14: 1. Outrigger (Tapa Worthington, Chris Oliver, Carter Evans, Garman Brown, Nathan Wilbur, Tom Conner) 1:40.24. 2. Surfsports 1:41.47. 3. Leeward 1:41.65.

16: 1. Outrigger (J.P. Canlis, Brett Kingman, John Everest, Matt Corboy, Nathan Wilbur, Matt Buckman) 3:53.45. 2. Leeward 3:53.62. 3. Healani 3:53.75.

18: Hui Nalu (Robert Taylor, Todd Kamisugi, Eric Chun, Gam Dykstra, Matt Fullard, Shady Stone, Candice Hopfe, Ruby Cariaga, Bruce DeSoto Sr.) 1:40.16. 2. Lanikai 1:40.93. 3. Outrigger 1:52.30.

GIRLS

12: 1. Makaha (Jaime Kealoha, Korynne Reng, Shady Stone, Candice Hopfe, Ruby Cariaga, Bruce DeSoto Sr.) 1:40.16. 2. Lanikai 1:40.93. 3. Outrigger 1:52.30.

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13: 1. Hui Lanakila (Shannon Mansinon, Kari Bright, Dawn Moon, Devon Mamalis, Pua Schempos, Sherwood Nakamura) 2:01.83. 2. Leeward 2:05.61. 3. Hui Nalu 2:06.79.

14: 1. Lanikai (Kirsty Stoddard Brandy Lorey, Ali Kaina, Hall Henderson, Maile Bourke, John Foti) 1:33.60. 2. Waimanalo 1:34.93. 3. Leeward 1:51.23.

16: 1. Outrigger (Eliza Wilcox, Joan Taylor, Corin Gentry, Manuli Starr, Annemarie Revlin, Todd Bradley) 4:12.24. 2. Hui Nalu 4:20.92. 3. Waikiki Surf Club 4:23.22.

18: 1. Outrigger (Jackie Muller, Missy Mowat, Cynthia Sheehan, Barbara Cundall, Mayahe Grandes, Walter Guild) 3:47.87. 2. Hui Nalu 4:09.24. 3. Lanikai 4:16.48.

MIXED

12: 1. Makaha (Jaime Kealoha, Joy Manaku, Shady Stone, Michael Josefa, Damon Pacyao, Clifford Pila Sr.) 1:43.60. 2. Hui Nalu 1:55.35. 3. Kailua 1:55.69.

Open: 1. Outrigger (Walter Guild, Tom McTigue, Pam Clifford, Jim Peterson, Kathy Ho, Liz Dugan-Perry) 3:56. 2. Waikiki Surf Club 4:00. 3. Kailua 4:05.