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# Dad Center Mystery Solved

Lindsey Styan read the story about the Dad Center Canoe Race in the August issue of the *Outrigger* magazine. "I noticed you asked if anyone knew who won in 1981 and 1983.

Well, I checked a couple of trophies I have at home and I can report to you Hui Nalu Canoe Club won both in 1981 and 1983," she wrote.

"The trophies for 1981 were individual paddles made by Aaron Young and given to

each paddler. I remember Aaron distinctly as he handed me a steering blade (I did not steer that race or any race ever) and thought it kind of strange that I ended up with a steering blade/trophy. "1983 trophies were individual again of a canoe mounted with the course inscribed on the plaque."

Thanks Lindsey for filling in the gap for us.