Outrigger Wins OHCRA Championship

Outrigger Canoe Club won its third straight Oahu Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association championship, July 18, at Keehi Lagoon by scoring a whopping 96 points. Kailua was second with 58 and Hui Nalu third with 57.

Club paddlers won 13 events, just less than half of all events they entered. Crews finished second in eight more races, third in three and fourth in one

Three Club crews continued their winning ways and remained the only undefeated crews in the OHCRA regatta season--the men's Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors.

The Girl's 16s and the Freshmen Women collected their first victories of the season in the Oahus.

In a special OHCRA event at the end

of the day, men's and women's crews raced for "We Own the Mile" t-shirts. Outrigger's women's crew of Lesline Conner, Muffer Scully, Tiare Richert-Finney, Nina Fox, Katy Bourne and Mary Franco won in 8:34.

The men's crew of Chris Kincaid, Walter Guild, Marc Haine, Steve Van Lier Ribbink, Mark Rigg and Tom Conner were victorious in 7:28.



Collecting gold medals in the men's Open 4 were Chris Crabb, Ed Pickering, Keone Downing and Tim Guard.



The winning women's Open 4 crew was Muffer Scully, Nina Fox, Norma Santiago and Mary Franco.





Greg Wood of the winning Boy's 16s signs crew sheet.



Kaioni Scott "helps" Walter Guild watch the race.



Joan Kaaua, left, is Outrigger's representative on the OHCRA board. Darcy Ames, center, is OHCRA treasurer. OHCRA secretary Nanette Gaughen is at right. They were selling t-shirts at the race.

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Undefeated Senior Men Marc Haine, Chris Kincaid, Walter Guild, Tom Conner, Steve Van Lier Ribbink and Mark Rigg "owned the mile" race, too.



Mini-'Riggers Peter and Hallie Van Lier Ribbink, Allie Rigg and Kai Bourne played along the shore while parents raced.



The Freshmen women picked the perfect time for their first win of the season. They are Mary Smolenski, Monte Costa, Ann Martin, Cindi White, Mia Kresser and Janis McPheeters.

OCHRA Championship at Keehi Lagoon July 18, 1987

Winning Crews Boys 12A

J. J. Riley, Bret Chuckovich, David Buck, Brian Kilcoyne, Carter Evans, Cullen Kamisugi. 1/4 Mile. 2:31.09.

Girls 16

Cynthia Sheehan, Heidi Brissette, Pam Clifford, Laura Hind, Jessy Town, Jackie Muller. 1/2 Mile. 4:51.59.

Boys 16

Wyatt Jones, Hunter Eggers, Greg Wood, Craig Campbell, Alika Winter, Heath Hemmings. 1/2 Mile. 4:01.22. Women's Novice A

Norelle Shulits, Genie Kincaid, Robin Markle, Dee Sheffield, Peg Danford, Barbie Baird. 1/2 Mile. 4:43.55.

Women's Open 4

Nina Fox, Muffer Scully, Norma Santiago, Mary Franco. 1/2 Mile. Time unavailable.

Men's Open 4

Keone Downing, Tim Guard, Ed Pickering, Chris Crabb. 1/2 Mile. 4:26.78.

Freshman Women

Mary Smolenski, Mia Kresser, Ann Martin, Janis McPheeters, Cindi White, Monte Costa. 3/4 Mile. 7:26.57

Sophomore Men

Dana Rupey, Grady Bintliff, Aaron Kekoolani, Kala Judd, Chris Siegfried, Keoni Kino. 1 1/2 Miles. 12:36.74.

Junior Men

Karl Heyer IV, Keahi Robins, Mike Fox. Bill Bright, Kainoa Downing, Todd Bradley. 2 Miles. 15:56.14.

Senior Men

Walter Guild, Chris Kincaid, Steve Van Lier Ribbink, Marc Haine, Mark Rigg, Tom Conner. 2 1/2 Miles. 19:53.55.

Junior Masters Women

Jeanne Jenkins, Tiare Richert-Finney, Susan Barron, Sandra Haine, Mahi Riley, Paula Carbone. 1 Mile. 9:34.88.

Junior Masters Men

Bob Riley, Mark Buck, John Finney, Mike Clifford, John Mounts, Fred Hemmings Jr. 1 Mile. 7:43.32.

Senior Masters Men

Chris McKenzie, Tom Merrill, Jim Peterson, Ken Stehouwer, Mike Town, Charlie Martin. 1/2 Mile. 4:10.29.



Henry Ayau took time out for a haircut during the regatta.