# Three Elected to Life Membership

Three former presidents of the Outrigger Canoe Club were elected to Life Membership at the Annual Meeting of the Club in February.

The three men are long-time members of the Club, having joined in the 1940s, and were involved in many Club activities during the years. Each served two terms as President of the OCC.



## Roy C. Kesner Jr.

Roy C. Kesner Jr. has served the Club in a distinguished manner since becoming a member at age 15 on April 1, 1942. He twice served as President of the OCC, in 1976-77 and in 1986-87.

During his terms, membership in the Club grew,

and a number of maintenance projects were completed.

After his first term as President, member's equity in the Club increased to \$1,572,000. After his second term, member's equity had risen to \$5,097,000.

In addition to his terms as President, he also served the Club as treasurer, vice president of activities and vice president of operations.

He was the first president of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation when the Outrigger Foundation and the Duke Kahanamoku Foundation merged in 1986.



#### Robert W. Guild

Robert W. Guild or Rab as he is known, joined the OCC in 1947 at the age of 18. He also served the Club twice as its President, in 1973-1974 and 1985-1986.

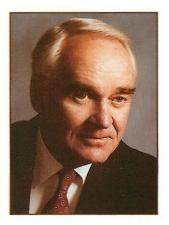
Under Rab's leadership, there were improvements in the Food and Beverage operations, new uniforms for F&B staff, the old OCC china was

sold to members, and the installation of a new large screen TV in the Bar and an improved menu was for

Monday night football games.

A popular Club drink, the Rab, is named after him. Rab also served on the Board of Directors of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation for 13 years and was its president in 1987.

He is the father of another former OCC President Walter Guild.



### Benjamin B. Cassiday Jr.

Retired Brigadier
General Benjamin J. Cassiday
Jr. joined the OCC in 1947 at
the age of 25. He was a distinguished career officer and
veteran of the U.S. Army Air
Corps and U.S. Air Force,
serving in World War II,
Korea and Vietnam, and
earning the Distinguished

Defense Service Medal and Silver Star among his honors.

Ben chaired the Admissions and Membership Committee in 1978, served as Secretary of the Board of Directors in 1980, as vice president of operations in 1981 and 1982 and was president for two terms, 1983-1985.

During his term of office, phase 2 of the kitchen renovations was completed, there was a complete rewrite of the Membership Handbook, and an intensive study and review of the reciprocal club program.

Like his fellow Life Members, Ben served on the ODKF for 10 years, including president in 1997-1998.

Congratulations to all of our Life Members.



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