

2013 Cline Mann Paddleboard/SUP Race



The top three finishers in the long course were Daniel Shadi, Brad Gaul and Brian Rocheleau.

Junior Riggers who competed were Jonathan Chee, Ke'ea Lum, Nat Yee, Peter Cross, Ethan Siegfried, Hunter Pflueger, Raymond Justice, Kaiko Manson.



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The annual Cline Mann Paddleboard/SUP Race sponsored by Outrigger Canoe Club was held on Saturday, July 6 under sunny skies and light easterly winds.

Cline Mann who passed away in 1996 was one of OCC's most avid ocean sports enthusiasts noted for his contributions to ocean sports and the revival of competitive paddleboard racing in Hawaii. Many long time Club members and friends were fortunate to spend time with Cline on the Hau Terrace while enjoying a cold Budweiser and watching the surf and afternoon sunsets.

Consisting of both a 17 mile long course from Makai Pier to OCC and a 9 mile short course originating at Moanalua Bay, the race has become known as the warm up to the Moloka'i world championship held later in the month and always attracts a competitive field of local and international paddle boarders and SUP entries.

This year 75 entrants would battle it out for bragging rights and to get their names on one of the prized divisional OCC trophies.

After the safety meeting and traditional pule by legendary Hawaiian waterman Clark Abbey, the long course competitors hit the water at 10 a.m. Winds were light but with a favorable tide, entrants made good time around Makapu'u cliffs and were finally greeted with a breath of tradewind as they approached Hanauma Bay.

First to OCC beach in the premier unlimited paddleboard division was current Moloka'i champ Australian Brad Gaul with local boy Brian Rocheleau a strong second. Another local boy Mitch DeGeus took down the stock paddleboard division with Kurt

Lager in second.

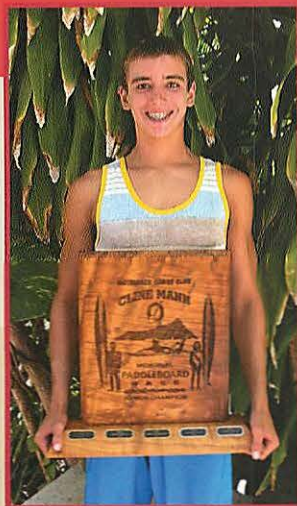
Finishing 9th overall, last year's Moloka'i wahine race winner Jordan Mercer from Australia handily won the wahine unlimited paddleboard division with Leane Darling second to the beach.

The wind had picked up by the time competitors lined up for the short course start at 11:30 a.m. which made the traditional Hawaii Kai run more to the liking of the SUP, paddleboard and junior paddleboard entrants.

First to finish in the unlimited SUP division was Travis Grant from Australia followed closely by North Shore local Mo Freitas who also won the Junior SUP division. Christian Bradley made Dad proud by taking a victory in the stock SUP division with Hunter Pflueger, Nat Yee and Peter Cross Jr. finishing 1, 2 and 3 respectively in the prestigious Junior Paddleboard division.

It was great to see the level of competitiveness and participation with the junior racers as their efforts would have made Cline proud. Big shout out and aloha to Hawaiian James Akaka for his inspirational effort in completing the course in the paddleboard division.

At the completion of the race, all competitors were treated to a traditional kanikapila, buffet lunch, cold drinks, prizes and the "E Komo Mai" hospitality our Club is known for. On behalf of the Paddleboard Committee, mahalo to all competitors, sponsors, OCC Beach Services, catering and management staff and Kristin Watumull for keeping this event on track. Special Mahalo to Clark Abbey as well as Manny Kulukulualani and his team at PA'A for the registration and timing for the event. Until next year, a hui hou!



LEFT: Jordan Mercer won the women's division.

RIGHT: Hunter Pflueger was the first prone paddler to finish the short course and will get his name on the Cline Mann Junior Champion trophy.

Cline Mann Ko'olaupoko Paddleboard Race
July 6, 2013
Long Course Makai Pier to OCC Beach
17 miles

Overall	Name	Place/Division	Time
1.	Brad Gaul	1st, MU40, Unlimited	2:16:29
2.	Brian Rocheleau*	2nd, MU40, Unlimited	2:25:14
3.	Daniel Shadi	3rd, MU40, Unlimited	2:29:02
4.	Albert Charlton	1st, M40+ Unlimited	2:32:09
5.	Vaughan Sauverain	4th, Men U40, Unlimited	2:36:11
6.	Kaeo Abbey	5th, Men U40, Unlimited	2:36:31
7.	Mitchell DeGeus	1st, Men U40 Stock	2:36:52
8.	George Plsek	2nd, M40+	2:37:31
9.	Jordan Mercer	1st, W Unlimited	2:37:53
10.	Kurt Lager	2nd, MU40, Stock	2:38:26
11.	Leane Darling	2nd, W Unlimited	2:38:35
12.	Kai Hall	3rd, MU40, Stock	2:40:48
13.	Mark Rocheleau*	6th, MU40, Unlimited	2:43:52
14.	Andrew Ozimec	3rd, M40+ Unlimited	2:46:30
15.	Govi Tillotson	4th, MU40, Stock	2:46:48
16.	Nicholas Tranio	5th, MU40, Stock	2:46:59
17.	Jeff Peterson	1st, M40+ Stock	2:55:25
18.	Joanna Bilancieri	1st, W Stock	2:58:33
19.	Colleen Tessler	2nd, W Stock	2:58:59
20.	Scott Shimada	2nd, M40+ Stock	2:59:04
21.	John Hicks	3rd, M40+, Stock	2:59:51
22.	Robert Egbert	4th, M40+ Stock	3:06:28
23.	Mark Schulbach	4th, M40+ Stock	3:08:27
24.	Jon Wataoka	5th, M40+ Stock	3:22:41
25.	Ismael Garcia	7th, MU40, Unlimited	3:18:11

Short Course Hawaii Kai to OCC Beach
8 Miles
Prone Paddle

1.	Hunter Pflueger*	1st, BU18, Stock	1:28:52
2.	Patrick Wong	1st, M40+, Stock	1:29:28
3.	Nat Yee*	2nd, BU18, Stock	1:32:39
4.	Peter Cross*	3rd, BU18, Stock	1:33:48
5.	Jonathan Chee*	4th, BU18, Stock	1:35:23
6.	Clark Abbey	2nd, M40+, Stock	1:35:42
7.	Ethan Siegfried*	5th, BU18, Stock	1:36:17
8.	Troe Herlom	3rd, M40+ Stock	1:37:24
9.	Kelly Tam Sing	4th, M40+ Stock	1:39:05
10.	Aukai Manson*	6th, BU18, Stock	1:39:21
11.	Scott McPhail*	5th, M40+ Stock	1:39:53
12.	Raymond Justice*	7th, BU18, Stock	1:43:14
13.	Kaiko Manson*	8th, BU18, Stock	1:44:08
14.	Elliot Shibata*	9th, BU18, Stock	1:49:13
15.	Karen Figueroa	1st, W Stock	1:55:15
16.	James Akana	1st, M40+, Unlimited	2:51:54

Stand Up Paddle

Overall	Name	Place/Division	Time
1.	Travis Grant	1st, MU40, Unlimited	1:13:05
2.	Mo Freitas	1st, BU18, Unlimited	1:14:08
3.	Ingo Rademacher	1st, M40+, Unlimited	1:16:37
4.	Will Anido	2nd, M40+, Unlimited	1:16:47
5.	Christian Bradley*	1st, MU40, Stock	1:18:27
6.	Jimmy Fitt	2nd, MU40, Unlimited	1:20:23
7.	Jeff Chang	3rd, M40+, Unlimited	1:21:34
8.	Terrene Black	1st W, Unlimited	1:21:43
9.	Ed Wheeler	4th, M40+, Unlimited	1:23:10
10.	James Martindale	5th, M40+, Unlimited	1:24:41
11.	Danny Sheard	1st, M40+ Stock	1:28:08
12.	Evan Yamada	2nd, MU40, Stock	1:29:14
13.	Beau Oliveira	6th, M40+, Unlimited	1:30:25
14.	Samuel Chong	3rd, MU40, Stock	1:30:37
15.	Stu Sohler	2nd, M40+, Stock	1:31:18
16.	Brett Staib	3rd, M40+ Stock	1:31:35
17.	Kevin Seid	4th, M40+, Stock	1:32:42
18.	Ke'ea Lum*	1st, BU18, Stock	1:34:44
19.	Lincoln Sawyer	5th, M40+, Stock	1:35:05
20.	Laura Birse	2nd, W Unlimited	1:35:18
21.	Darren Bennett	6th, M40+, Stock	1:37:10
22.	Resiland Selbach	3rd, W, Unlimited	1:38:59
23.	David Cordell	7th, M40+, Stock	1:39:31
24.	Lance Takenaka	4th, MU40, Stock	1:40:14
25.	Dalbert Rivera Jr.	2nd, BU18, Stock	1:41:16
26.	Janesa Smith	1st, W, Stock	1:41:21
27.	Herbie Titcomb	8th, M40+, Stock	1:43:20
28.	Dan Justice*	7th, M40+, Unlimited	1:51:02
29.	Blair Grant	2nd, W Stock	1:51:45
30.	John Morgan	9th, M40+, Stock	1:53:50
31.	Gabriella Castro	3rd, W, Stock	2:04:53
32.	Seachelle Rivera	4th, W, Stock	2:05:27

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