

# ODKF Awards Athletic Grants

The Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation has announced its second quarter grant awards for 1997.

The following grants were made:

\$1,000 to the OCC Volleyball Boys 18 team. The team is coached by Scott Rigg and is one of the most successful junior volleyball teams in the country. They've won several AAU championships. They will attend the Junior Olympics in Denver in July.

\$1,000 to the OCC Volleyball Girls 14 team. The team is coached by Mark Rigg. The Girls 14 are attending the Kaepa Volleyball Festival in June in Davis CA. This is the largest USVBA Junior Volleyball tournament in the country. Girls on the team come from four different schools.

These two volleyball grants come from the ODKF designated Tom "Daddy" Haine Volleyball Fund, established by the friends and family of the late Tom Haine, former volleyball Olympian, and treasured member of the OCC. Tom Haine died nearly three years ago and donations to the Haine Fund continue to come to the ODKF. These funds are used only to support volleyball activities.

Of interest to OCC members are these team grants:

\$1,000 to Na Kai Ewalu, the Maui Canoe Club that had its Halau damaged by arson in

December 1996. This grant is to assist the club with their youth summer

paddling program. This grant comes from the Muriel Macfarlane Flanders designated fund established by ODKF to remember canoe enthusiast and OCC member Walter Macfarlane and to honor the great water sportsman, Duke Kahanamoku, a life member of the OCC.

\$1,000 to the Royal Hawaiian Rowing Challenge to continue the international rowing event held annually in January on the Ala Wai. The renewed interest in the royal sport of rowing has assisted with focus on dredging and cleaning up of the Ala Wai Canal. January 1998 will be the fourth year for this event. OCC members Walter Guild, Diane Stowell and Tom Lalakea are on the RHRC Board of Directors.

\$500 to Kanaka Ikaika, an ocean kayak racing organization which sponsored the World Championship Kayak Challenge from Molokai to Oahu last month. This is an international event entered by many members from OCC.

Individual athletic grants were given to: Christina Turney of Kailua. She is a kayaker and paddler and will use her grant to attend the Junior World Kayak Trials in Seattle in May. She is a member of the Hawaii Canoe and Kayak Team and the Lanikai Canoe Club.

Raymond Reichle, a 12-year-old surfer from Sunset Beach Elementary School. He began his career as a Rell Sunn Menehune Surfer and in

1995-96 he was the champion of the Rell Sunn Triple Lei held in Makaha. He was the "cover boy" of the 1995-96 Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation Annual Report.

The Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation is the only foundation devoted to grants and scholarships for athletes. The Foundation has given 96 scholarships for a total of \$92,000, and \$157,909 in grants to 143 individuals and teams since 1986.

ODKF athletic grants are given every three months. The next application deadline is August 15. Information and applications are available at the OCC Front Desk. Ø

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## In Memoriam

Charles Lazer  
Deceased: February 1996  
Member: 12 Years

Richard D. Davi  
Deceased: March 24, 1997  
Member: 26 Years

Yvonne Mary Raab  
Deceased: March 26, 1997  
Member: 24 Years

Mrs. Red McQueen  
Deceased: March 29, 1997