

Winter Surf Draws OCCers to North Shore

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Winter is rushing by with some warmer weather forecast as well as the warm summer swells that accompany that season. This Winter has brought out the best big waves on the North Shore with our club members getting some of the best waves.

Keone Downing has caught some of the biggest waves at Waimea this season. Billy Philpots and Dawson Jones were spotted charging Sunset and the "Slash, Tail Slide and Big Floater Crew" of Dave Wassell, Cory Witt, Cully Kamisugi and Nate Wilbur were spotted at the most insane

Rocky Point of the season.

The Junior Surf Team started off the

New Year with first place victories at Sandy Beach. The Junior Surf Team monthly surf safaris have taken our crew to Haleiwa and the West Side to prepare for the future contest sites along with Team Captain Robin Johnston, ex pro PSAA surfer and Tom and

Janice Harrer, team trainers. Jessie of the Fitness Center has developed the OCC Surf Team workout and Janice and Tom deliver the program to the Junior team.

Longboard surfing is back big time and the fun factor is really the thing that is bringing out the gang for a good time. It's about time. The new longboards are just that much better than the heavy logs of the past. Come on and get wet!! ☺