

ANNUAL MEETING of the Outrigger Canoe Club



Far Left: Board members Barbara Stehouwer, Sue Tetmeyer and President Jaren Hancock, front, listen to committee reports during the Annual Meeting. Board members in back are Bill Swope, Gregg Robertson and Geoff Graf.

Left: Employee of the Year Ed Fattoumy is congratulated by President Jaren Hancock.

Right: Elected to Life Membership were Robert Anderson Jr. and George Cook Jr. Not pictured: Bill Cook.

Center: Enjoying refreshments after the Annual Meeting were Bob and Joann Allin, Paul Dolan and Siana Hunt.

Far Right Gerri Pedesky, Gerry DeBenedetti and Dennis Blake chat after the meeting.





Far Left: Ken Brown and Bob Moore attended.

Center: Many members attended the meeting.

Right: Norm Ho and Kawika Grant compare notes.



each of the standing committees also reported on their activities for the previous year. Copies of all of these reports follow on pages 4-8.

Three members were elected to Life Membership: Bob Anderson Jr., Bill Cook and George Cook Jr.

Two members were elected to the Winged "O" for athletic achievement and service: Keanuenue Rochlen and Joe Quigg.

During the question and answer period, Paul Dolan asked about the unfunded pension liability. Board member Gregg Robertson assured him that the Club is dealing with the issue, and hopes to bring the unfunded liability to zero within five years.

Bob Moore asked if there is an existing set of criteria for Life Membership. Paul Dolan, representing the Historical Committee, responded that the Board had approved a recommendation from Tommy Thomas that it be for members who are 80 years and older who have made major contributions to the Club during the life of their membership.

Sid Snyder asked if any funds are being expended on OCC2C planning. President Jaren Hancock said that there have been no expenditures. The OCC2C committee is being chaired by Walter Guild and meets quarterly. There is \$36,000 left in the OCC2C budget.

Nancy Bannick asked how she could meet with the OCC2C committee to share her design ideas. President Jaren Hancock indicated the committee would be happy to hear her suggestions and said she should contact Walter Guild.

Following the meeting, members enjoyed light refreshments in the Koa Lanai.

The Annual Meeting of the Outrigger Canoe Club was held on February 28 in the Koa Lanai. The meeting was called to order by Jaren Hancock, President of the Board of Directors.

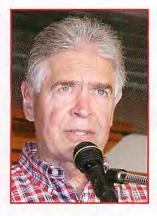
A total of 434 voting members were represented, 63 in person, and 371 by proxy, thereby constituting a quorum.

The Judges of Election report was received, and newly elected members to the Board were seated at the head table. Re-elected to the Board were Tom McTigue, Alan Lau, Wendell Brooks, Bill Swope and Bob Dewitz. Newly elected were Stephany Sofos and Mike Cote.

The minutes of the February 23, 2004 annual meeting were approved.

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were received. The chairs of

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President's Report

By Jaren Hancock

Today I am privileged to add my name to the roll of members who have been honored to serve as President of the Outrigger Canoe Club. It has indeed been a pleasure and privilege acting in this capacity for the last year. A year, by the way, that has flown by.

I have enjoyed talking with each of you and listening to your suggestions which, for the most part, have been positive and helpful.

My remarks this evening will be brief as you have already heard fairly detailed accounts of the various phases of your Club's operations from our outstanding committee chairs. And I want to take this opportunity to applaud and thank all of them and their committees for their efforts.

The dedication and hard work of these fine members is a key ingredient in the OCC recipe of success. I urge each of you to become involved in committee work. It can be most satisfying.

Let me now take a moment to remark on the activities of two extremely important ad hoc committees.

The OCC-2C Committee is currently being chaired by Walter Guild. This committee has continued to make refinements to the blueprints for our Club's future. The master plan was, as you know, finalized and approved by a majority of the members last year at a great deal of expense, hard work and yes, controversy. We need to be ready to implement OCC-2C when we have successfully completed our lease re-negotiations with the Elks Club.

These negotiations are in the capable hands of our Elks Ad Hoc Committee, attorneys and appraisers. This group, under the capable leadership of Bob Dewitz, is preparing the Club's position as we near negotiations on the lease renewal at the end of 2006.

I have complete confidence in Bob and the committee. The Board of Directors has complete confidence in them, and every member of the Outrigger Canoe Club should have complete confidence in the expertise and commitment of this group of intelligent and dedicated members.

I also wish to thank and acknowledge the staff of the Club who serve us day in and day out. Without their attention and efforts the Outrigger Canoe Club would not be one of the finest private clubs in the world. General Manager Bill Comstock and his staff are doing an excellent job keeping our operations on the right track.

Last, but certainly not least, I want to give my heart felt thanks to the Board members I have served with over the last six years. I have found their advice and support invaluable. I could not have asked for a more qualified group of men and women to work with.

All of you should feel secure in knowing that your Club is in excellent hands. Please take the time to thank them for their service.

In closing, I urge all of our members to be mindful of our Club's historical and time-tested traditions. It is my sincere hope that the Outrigger Canoe Club's reputation for civility, sportsmanship and athletic excellence will continue to shine forth for all, both members and nonmembers alike, to admire and respect.

Thank You.

Judges of Election Report



By Gerri Pedesky

There are 1,880 members eligible to vote. A total of 982 ballots were received. Of these, 18 were invalid because the envelope was unsigned or the member was delinquent in their Club account.

There were 16 empty ballot envelopes; 1 blank ballot and 3 ballots were voided for voting for more than seven nominees. This left 944 valid ballots compared with 1,079 in last year's election. The following nominees were elected to the Board of Directors for two-year terms:

Wendell Brooks Tom McTigue Alan Lau Mike Cote Bill Swope Bob Dewitz Stephany Sofos

The Committee congratulates the members who were elected and commends those members who were nominated but not elected:

Cindy White-Yanaga Jeffrey Harris

I would like to thank the members of the Judges of Election committee: Peter Balding, Gerry DeBenedetti, Dean Eyre, Lisa Livingston, Alice Lunt, Jack Mattice, and Diane Stowell for their assistance in counting the ballots.



Secretary's Report

By Barbara Stehouwer

During the past year the Executive Committee met nine times and the Board of Directors met 13 times.

The main functions of the Secretary are to send letters to individuals notifying them of acceptance or rejection to membership, to monitor all membership transfers and delinquencies in Club accounts, and to review the minutes of the meetings of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors.

I hereby attest that all duties as required by the Club's Bylaws, or by resolution of the Board, have been fully and accurately performed.



Treasurer's Report

By Alan Lau

For the year 2004 the Club had an operating loss of \$383,221, which includes a \$390,406 adjustment to increase the pension liability on the Club's balance sheet. Excluding this adjustment there was operating income of \$7,185 which was better than the \$34,700 operating loss which was budgeted.

There were \$765,400 in initiation fees which were collected and added to the Capital Improvement Fund, and an increase in the Building Fund of \$817,671.

At year end member's equity consisted of \$3,437,588 in the Operating Fund, \$2,783,031 in the Capital Improvement Fund, and \$14,592,919 in the Building Fund for a combined total of \$20,813,538.

At year end there was an unfunded pension liability of \$1,625,126 on the Club's Statement of Financial Position. A significant portion of this liability will have to be funded over the next five years. The Finance Committee has made recommendations to the Board regarding the funding of this liability.

The return of rainy weather impacted the Club's Food and Beverage operations which ended the year \$91,000 short of meeting the goal of breaking even with the mini charge. Strong sales in the Logo Shop resulted in its being \$24,000 better than budget for the year.

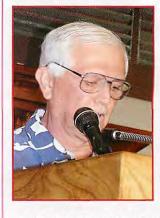
The Club spent \$451,862 on capital improvements and another \$504,234 on repair and maintenance. The volleyball courts were re-waterproofed and during this process it was discovered that the concrete slab under the volleyball court sand was not up to current building standards.

To prevent further deflection of the concrete slab, beams were required to be added to the Men's Locker Room and the Snack Shop. Work in the Men's Locker Room is completed and the installation of the beam in the Snack Shop is scheduled for March.

Athletic expenditures were \$149,914, which is 4.7% of dues An Annual Audit of the Club's records is being conducted by PriceWaterhouseCoopers and a copy of the report will be available in the Manager's office for review by any member in mid March.

The budget committee worked hard on the 2005 budget with the goal of keeping price increases and dues increases as low as possible, while maintaining the traditional Club services and activities, and keeping the Club in first-class shape.

Admissions & Membership Report



By Al Serafin

The Club's defense has worked through a very tough year; to say we went a couple of rounds is an

understatement. We made the ultimate fighting championship look like a bunch of girlymen.

The consequences of our decisions are not always in agreement with some of our members. The decision making process that we work so hard at is what this committee is asked to do each month.

The Outrigger admissions process is a good system because of a steady committee and a Board of Directors that supports their decisions.

The Board asked this year's committee to interview 40 regular members. Our mission was accomplished. Our total membership is 4,766 as of January 1, 2005.

For those members who would like us to slow down the Admissions and Membership process, let me say that we are only replacing those members who have resigned or have taken the big canoe ride.

We started out the year with Don Parker as our Coordinating Director; Don was called away on business after a few months. The balance of the year we were lead with a great amount of patience and understanding by Alan Lau. His leadership costs him a sizeable bar tab after each meeting.

This year's committee members were Marc Haine, Ann Martin, Chris Smith, Ka'ili Chun, Kimo Austin, Gloria Keller-Henderson, David Buck and our courageous new incoming Admissions and Membership Chair, Bill Bright.

Long Range Planning Report

By Susan Murray

For 2004, the LRP Committee continued the process of linking with standing committees in an effort to formalize a planning process. One of the major purposes was to provide structure for the budgeting process. With the formation of the Budget Committee, this is no longer considered a useful exercise for the LRP Committee and has been discontinued.

The LRP Committee reviewed the Club's demographics and psychographics in an effort to forecast future needs.

The Club is on target in each of the membership categories in terms of applications to replace members and the committee has recommended filling all quotas without increasing the size of the membership.

The Committee next made a list of potential future needs to analyze, in partnership with Finance, to help with the planning challenges facing the Club such as assimilating the new lease rent, renovations to the Club, expanded facilities (Fitness Center), and member services.

Finance Committee Report



By Bradley Totherow

Good afternoon. It's been a pleasure serving as the Finance Committee chair over the last year. During the year, the committee continued to implement and monitor the Club's investment policies.

The Building Fund was established to provide financial support to purchase the fee interest in the Club's land or fund future ground lease payments. The fund has a specific goal to grow the value to \$16 million by the end of 2006. At the end of 2004, the market value was \$15.4 million,

less than four percent away from the stated goal.

The Capital Improvement Fund was established to have funds available for specific, future capital improvement projects on their projected start dates. The fund is comprised entirely of fixed income investments, which ended the year at \$3.4 million.

The Pension Liability subcommittee, which was formed early, last year in response to the unfunded pension requirements, developed and recommended a five-year program that should liquidate the liability within five years.

The Club's 401K's mutual fund investment options are currently being reviewed with any recommendations due next meeting.

The committee also met to review the Club's insurance programs, resulting in comprehensive protection coverage with a minimal increase in cost.

Lastly, a review with the Club's auditors of financial records found no major weaknesses in internal controls, and the financial position compares favorably to other Hawaii based clubs.



Tuesday, April 26 Koa Lanai 6-8 p.m.

Featured Wines

Bonterra "Organic" Chardonnay

Charles Krug "Reserve" Merlot

Spy Valley Sauvignon Blanc

Buehler "Napa" Zinfandel

Menu

Domestic & Imported Cheese
Grilled Marinated Vegetables
Pickled Vegetable & Feta Cheese
Assorted American & European Cold Cuts
Chilled Artichoke & Hummus
Smoke Salmon with Capers, Onions, Lemon

Melting Gruyere Cheese French Crusty Baguette

Tandoori Salmon with Raita
Grilled Garlic Chicken, Kalamata Olives
Green Mussels & Zucchini Provencal
Flame Broiled Lamb Medallions Fine Herbs

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Building and Grounds Report



By Mike Cote

The following projects, assignments, and reviews were undertaken by the Building and Grounds Committee and the Architectural Review

Subcommittee for the year 2004 to 2005.

Landscaping

Ray Cain designed the landscaping for the area outside the Lobby on the right side. The design has been implemented.

Quarterly Inspection Report

We amended the procedure after the inspection to expedite finishing the final report.

Architectural Review Committee

A handicap ramp at the left side of the Lobby was approved. Flooring replacement for the stairs and entry to the Lobby from the parking structure were approved. Re-upholstering the Bar seats was approved. The Snack Shop wall tile is under review.

Finished and/or Current Building Projects

The volleyball courts have been waterproofed and repaired. Steel beams and new lighting has been installed in the Men's Locker Room. We are refinishing the wood railings at the stairs and walk ways. A steel beam will be installed at the Snack Shop.

Approved Budget Submittals to be implemented

Volleyball Court fence repair and renovation cost estimates have been received. Island Fence will perform the work. Sea Engineering will install the sea wall wave deflector.

Budget Items Submitted Not Approved

Volleyball court lights. Security system upgrade. Roof over service area in Hau Terrace. Ceiling painting in the parking structure.

Miscellaneous Items

We are studying the future repairs to the Bar and various schemes at the entry to the Club to minimize pedestrian accidents. Ray Cain has come up with landscaping schemes for the entry island.

Entertainment Committee Report

By Meghan Goldman Buck

Good evening. The Entertainment Committee had a wonderful year thanks to the creativity and hard work of the committee members and the Outrigger staff. Several exciting events were successfully planed and enjoyed here at the Club.

The year kicked off with the planning of the Annual Keiki Karnival in June. The theme for this year was "Olympic Games" to celebrate the 2004 Olympics in Athens Greece. The keiki had fun going for the gold with an obstacle course set up on the beach, super soaker target shooting and of course the inflatable jumper and dunking booth were once again hits as well.

Like the games, the crafts this year were also Olympic themed. Keiki could decorate their own sports water bottle and make an Olympic medal for themselves or their Dads for Fathers Day. The event was topped off with face painting and a balloon maker. Special thanks to everyone who worked so hard on this event and Julie Hendricks who took the reigns as chair per-

son of the event.

The next event planned by the committee was the Outrigger Luau held on September 18. This year's luau was kicked up a notch with Tahitian dancers from Te Vai Ura Nui opening the show with several Outrigger keiki joining in on stage. Kapena followed as the headliner and was a huge success getting the crowd on their feet.

Guests could browse the Lobby area lined with tropical art work and photography for purchase by Sam Clemens and Karen Kottow or buy leis from the lei stands. The decorations this year were fun and fresh with a Polynesian tiki inspiration. Thank you to Avery Solmssen for organizing and taking charge of the decorations, and to all those who showed up to help decorate.

Committee member Caren Rapson organized dance lessons provided by Arthur Murray dance school where beginners and dance lovers could enjoy practicing and learning new step. There was a good turnout and much enthusiasm for the dancing which took place in the Duke Room.

Art Todd volunteered to give a series of ukulele lessons during the spring. The lessons were well attended and received a good response.

The last event for this committee is the upcoming Spring Festival scheduled on Saturday, May 14. The goal of this event is to bring all members of the Club together through their different interests for a good cause.

This event is going to offer wine and beer tasting paired with food stations, dancing, big band music, and an art auction to support young athletes. Proceeds will go to the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation.

The committee members came up with the idea to have local artists paint or decorate canoe paddles and display them for auction during the event to help raise money for ODKF. Several well known artists have agreed to paint canoe paddles for the event. The excitement for this event is escalating.

House Committee Report



By Glenn Perry

We formed subcommittees that would meet regularly with management to address issues/concerns in specific areas:

Food Committee

- Called for new menus in all outlets quarterly.
- Results were quarterly change in menus and more service training of wait help and floor supervisors

Beverage Committee

• Urged more wine promotions and events. This resulted in new wine menus, a Captain's List, Wine Tasting Events, promotions, storage and glassware.

Reciprocal Clubs

- The committee recommended and the Board approved two clubs (out of 10 clubs that requested affiliate status). The Board approved the Columbia Club in Indianapolis and the Arlington Club in Portland for affiliate club status.
- The House Committee did take a new step and for the first time, actively sought additional clubs in Europe and New York City where we initiated requests for affiliate status. It has not produced any new affiliates yet but the effort will continue.

Quarterly Quality Control

- Ray Robinson has joined the B&G Committee to do quarterly inspections of the entire Club.
- We have also done impromptu inspections then forwarded the results to management for follow-up. We provide another set of eyes for management to maintain the quality of our environment and set priorities.
- We are happy to report that the cleanliness and maintenance of the facilities was always above 90% and any deficiencies noted were corrected in a timely manner.

Retail

- Sarah Nordwall, with her extensive background in the retail business, was asked to oversee the retail operation and make recommendations for merchandising and advising Club management.
- She worked closely with Brenda Colbert who is directly responsible for the nearly \$600K in sales last year, an increase of \$40K from 2003.
- Three new suppliers are partially responsible for the improved sales performance: Tori Richards, Antigua, and the Wallaroo Hat Company.

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Historical Committee Report



By Tay Perry

We have concluded another rewarding year by progressing on each of our various projects. Our various subcommittees include Current News Service/Archiving, Oral Histories, Photos, Special Events/Slide Shows, Writing/Research, Trophies, Library, Lobby Display/Reception, Life Member Review, Koa Canoes, Centennial Publication and Archive

News.

Each month we report on our progress in each of these various functions. Our records have been upgraded and we have digitized many of our pictures and records to preserve the content in the event of adverse occurrences. We are adding to our data on a consistent basis.

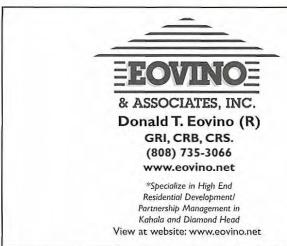
We held several successful and informative "Stew & Rice" Special Events during the past year.

Our major 10 year project on the Centennial Publication is progressing well and we expect that it will be an outstanding book that will be published on budget and on schedule.

The purpose of our committee is to organize, conduct research and to protect the valuable records and artifacts that are part of the history of the Outrigger Canoe Club. It is also our responsibility to share this information and provide reasonable access to the membership of the Club.

One of our major concerns is that many of our original documents and photos might be destroyed in the event of a tsunami because of our storage location in the current Board Room. We recommend that the Board look for other, safer storage alternatives.

We are fortunate as a committee to have members that have given us dedicated service for many years. This has enabled us to maintain a continuity which is important in achieving our purposes.



Athletic Committee Report



By George Wessberg, Club Captain

The members of the 2004 Athletic Committee oversaw the activities of 10 sports and fitness programs. The subcommittee chairs

enthusiastically supported their respective programs. Once again, the Athletic Committee functioned within the proposed operating budget.

In addition to the highly successful Summer Canoe Steering Clinics, a new jewel was added to our crown by many volunteers from the Beach & Water Safety subcommittee. The Ko Kai Nalu program was a one-week intensive waterman training course for 15 Junior members. This program has been detailed in the *Outrigger* magazine and on our website. It will be expanded this summer in response to demand.

A comprehensive 10-year capital budget for athletics was submitted to the Long Range Planning Committee. In addition to regular refurbishment and replacement of paddleboards, Surfboards and canoes, this proposal included a schedule for replacement of whalers and motors.

The Board of Directors established a list of "metrics" by which the success of the Athletic Committee would be measured and by which the operating budget would be allocated. Foremost among these metrics was to achieve participation in various athletic programs and events by at least 3% of our members. Of the approximately 4,700 active members, we registered approximately 490, or 10% of our members in Club spon-

sored athletic programs or sports events during 2004.

The Board of Directors also emphasized competitiveness. Our elite athletes performed admirably in distance canoe racing, volleyball, surfing, paddleboard and one-man competitions at the state, national and international levels. The accomplishments of our individual athletes, sports teams and paddling crews were published regularly in the *Outrigger* magazine. We thank Marilyn Kali for her outstanding support of our committee and the many volunteers who submitted articles and photographs.

Our sixth place finish in the Hawaii Canoe Racing Association State Championship was disappointing and largely due to the strength of the growing youth programs in the larger canoe clubs. In an effort to improve recruitment and retention of youth paddlers in our Club, we sponsored a PCA Leadership Workshop in November.

Administrative Professional's Day Buffet Lunch

Koa Lanai • Wednesday, April 27

Salad Bar

Spinach Salad & Hot Bacon Vinaigrette Condiments: of Chopped Egg, Red Onion, Toasted Walnuts Waldorf Salad, Tomato & Cucumber Salad, Tortellini Salad, Fresh Bean Salad, Marinated Mushroom, Pineapple Cole Slaw

> Soup Chilled Vichyssoise

Entrée

Grilled Chicken Breast with Shitake in Teriyaki Sauce Shrimp Tempura with Dipping Sauce Beef Stir Fry with Snow Peas & Water Chestnuts Jasmine Rice Fried Saimin Fresh Asparagus

Rolls Butter

Desserts

Create Your Own Ice Cream Sundae Assorted Pies Chocolate Fudge Cake, Mocha Mousse, Raspberry Mousse, Tapioca Pudding, Cookies, Brownies, Fresh Tropical Fruit Tray

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Public Relations Report



By Cindi White-Yanaga

Our many goals included the continuing improvement of the OCC's primary communication tool, the Outrigger magazine. A special thanks to all the committee members who wrote the interesting articles covering the Club events throughout the year.

Although we were unable to produce a separate OCC calendar for 2005 due to lack of sponsors, we were able to incorporate a pull-out tide calendar for members use within the magazine. The advertising in the

magazine continued to do well including two full pages of "Members It Pays to Know".

The committee also oversees the display case schedule in the Lobby. The display case has now been divided into three sections so that multiple events can be displayed.

The upgrading of the OCC website was addressed and an approved plan is in the process of being implemented. I encourage you all to visit the website regularly and see the information

offered

The committee reviewed the concept of re-establishing the OCCís identity through the acknowledgement of its many world class athletes and the perpetuation of Hawaiian water sports. A mission statement was created and it was agreed that an adhoc committee should be established for this project in the future as it is too large an undertaking for any one committee.

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Spirit, Wine & Art

Saturday, May 21, 6 p.m. Sponsored by Better Brands

Come and Bid On Hand Painted Decorative Paddles
Created By Well Known Hawaii Artist
Proceeds will go to the Outrigger Duke
Kahanamoku Foundation

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The Food & Spirits Offerings Are Presented In a Tasting and Reception Style

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Favorites, Beer

Dance the Night Away To Big Band Sounds

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Grey Goose Citron
Grey Goose Vanilla
Wine Tasting Table
Charles Krug Sauvignon Blanc
Charles Krug Generations
Spy Valley Pinot Noir
Spy Valley Sauvignon Blanc
Firestone Johannisberg Riesling
Tiziano Chianti Sauvignon
Bonterra Cabernet Sauvignon

Other Wineries for Tasting Kenwood, Valley of the Moon, Kendall Jackson, Rosemount, St. Supery, Smoking Loon

Beer Tasting Table
Beck's Dark
Beck's Regular
Beck's Light
Hinano
Gordon Biersch
Guinness
Red Stripe
Bavaria
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Mediterranean Cuisine

Mezze Station
Antipasto
Chilled Artichokes with Assorted Dips
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Assorted Mini Bruschetta
Ciliegine Mozzarella, Cherry Tomatoes,
Chiffonade of Fresh Basil
New Zealand Mussels, Chardonnay Balsamic Vinaigrette
Italian Focaccia, Olive Oil Dip & Fine Herbs

Grilled Lamb Medallion with Port Wine Sauce Sautéed Chicken Breast, with Almond Sauce Seafood Paella, Spanish Rice

Spinach Gnocchi, tossed in Herb Butter, with Roasted Walnut Sauce Create Your Own Gyro Sandwich, Pita Bread & Tzatziki Sauce

Bavarian Cuisine

Domestic and Imported Cheese Display
Assorted Cold Cuts
Selection of Breads and Rolls
Vegetable Crudités with assorted Dips
Assorted Pates, Eggs a'la Russe
Sausage and Swiss Cheese Salad

Bratwurst, Knockwurst with Crispy Onions Liver Dumplings Warm German Potato Salad, Sauerkraut, Roast Pork Loin, Mini Bavarian Hamburgers Cooked to Order

The Way It Was

By George Wessberg, Club Captain

During the past several months, some of our members have asked, "How can we make Outrigger the winning canoe

racing club it was in the past?"

I assume these members were referring to an era a few decades ago when Outrigger Canoe Club won every regatta by decisive scores and the Molokai races were ours to lose. My initial impulse was to respond by paraphrasing Dr. Carl Hammerschlag, who said, "The way it was is not the way it is."

The paddling universe has undergone a climatic change during the past two decades. Some of the changes were due to the elite members of our Club who promoted the change by helping members of other clubs master the skills of ocean

canoe racing.

Some of our members actually moved to other clubs to help them strengthen their paddling programs. Most importantly, several major canoe clubs in Hawaii have grown to

become much larger than our paddling program.

The generosity and foresight of some of our members led them to become national and international ambassadors of long distance outrigger canoe racing. Hawaii's sport was exported to the mainland, Japan, Australia and Europe.

Canoe racing is no longer a pure club sport. Elite athletes training in one-man canoes year-around now join together a month before their annual pilgrimage to Molokai to paddle in various corporate-sponsored canoes.

Regardless of the reasons, the sport of outrigger canoe racing has become more competitive in recent years and it is

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Caron B Realty 3555 Harding Ave Ste 2A Honolulu HI 96816 Office-808-593-9826 · Fax-808-593-9827 · Cellular-808-285-1787 not likely any one club will ever dominate the sport like Outrigger Canoe Club did in the past.

Moreover, the sport of outrigger canoe racing is better because of these changes. Nonetheless, the elite crews of Outrigger Canoe Club are still perennial challengers and exert a

significant influence on the sport.

Something happened last fall that gave me a new perspective on the paddling program at Outrigger. Following the 2004 Na Wahine O Ke Kai, when our elite women finished second to the national team from Mooloolaba, for the second consecutive year, an Australian friend of mine made an interesting and insightful comment.

She said, "I know how hard the girls on the Mooloolaba crew trained, the sacrifices that were demanded of them and the personal price each member of the crew paid for this victory. For

the past two years, paddling was their life."

My friend went on to say, "I also know the girls from Outrigger. They have jobs, families and play numerous sports in addition to paddling. They come together, year after year, not solely for the purpose of winning the Molokai race, but because they love paddling. In my mind, that is what paddling is about, and from that perspective, Outrigger was the winning crew."

Later, while sitting on the Hau Terrace with my friend and her family, the husband remarked, "Outrigger Canoe Club is unique in all the world. It was the first outrigger canoe club. And, it is the only outrigger canoe club that doesn't recruit

ringers just to win races."

He went on to say, "For the members here, the Club is just a very nice facility. For the rest of us in the paddling world, com-

ing to Outrigger is like walking on hallowed ground."

As I reflect on the history of canoe racing at Outrigger, and look forward to this season and the future of our paddling program, I must disagree with those members who lament that our Club is "no longer the way it was."

The paddling program at the Outrigger Canoe Club represents more than a case full of tarnished silver trophies. It is a beacon that shines its light on canoe clubs and corporate-sponsored crews across the world, reminding them that outrigger paddling is more than an annual competition. It is a way of life. At Outrigger, we paddle for the love of paddling.

As our athletes and coaches come together for another season of canoe racing, I remind them that, in the eyes of the paddling world, our Club is truly a special place. It is a place where man may commune with sun and sand and sea, where good fellowship and aloha prevail and where the sports of old Hawaii shall always have a home.

We do not expect our crews to win every race. However, we do expect our athletes and coaches to honor the Outrigger's proud tradition of excellence in canoe racing by placing the wel-

fare of the Club above their personal goals.

As the paddlers of Outrigger Canoe Club prepare for the regatta and distance seasons, I have a wish and a reminder. I wish you another season of good fellowship and aloha. And in the course of a big race, when you have given all that you have to give, and the outcome is still in the balance, remember that you are part of a proud legacy of extraordinary men and women who sat in our koa canoes before you, and do what they did; paddle from your heart.

Yes, the sport of outrigger canoe racing has changed in recent times. And yes, because of our Club, the competition is the strongest in the history of the sport. But, after nearly a century on the beach at Waikiki, the ground at the Outrigger Canoe Club is still sacred, and paddling for the love of paddling, still is,

the way it was.



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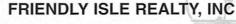


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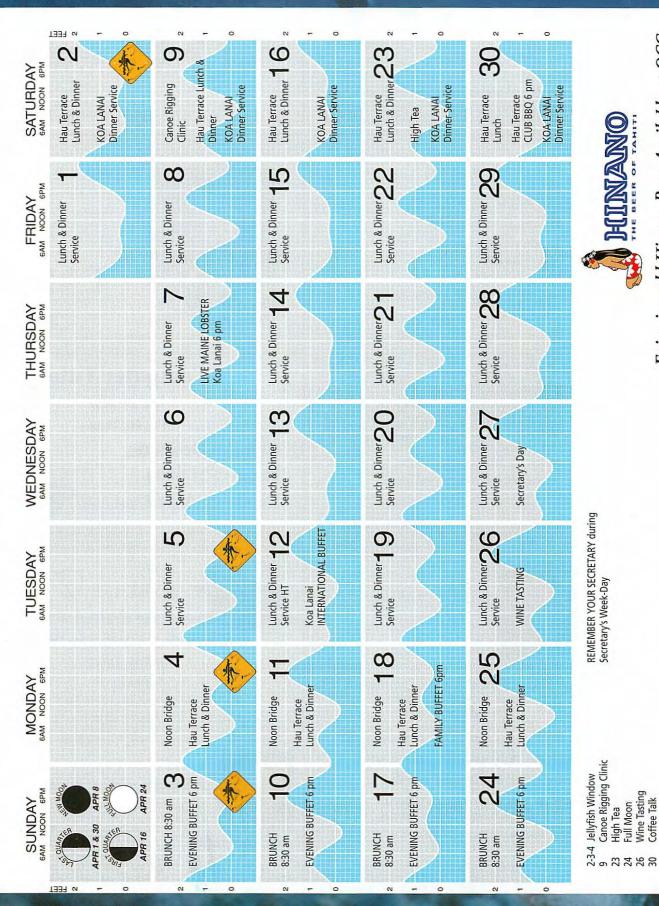
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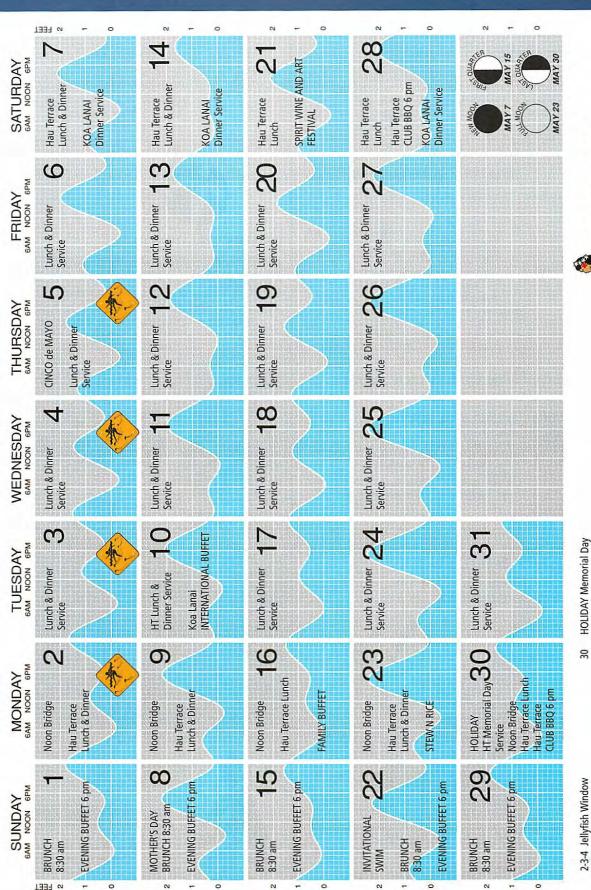


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Respect Our Club Respect Your Fellow Members

REMINDER: A privilege of Outrigger Canoe Club membership is our reciprocal club program. This program allows our members access to some of the finest clubs in the world. When you visit these clubs you represent the Outrigger Canoe Club and become an "Ambassador of Aloha".

Take time to learn the house rules and dress code of the club that you are visiting. When a member's conduct and behavior does not conform to a reciprocal club's dress code and rules, it is an embarrassment to the Outrigger Canoe Club and may jeopardize the reciprocal arrangement with the other club.

Mahalo for your Kokua Board of Directors

Historical Photo of the Month



Our Mystery Photo for April shows a wahine paddling crew in the late 1940s with Herbert "Yabo" Taylor, steersman in the water next to the canoe. His wife, Jean Richert Taylor is second from the left. In the forward, stroke position is Genie Pitchford. Help us identify the other three gals. Don't forget...there's a free lunch for the first one to come up with the answer! See JoAnne in the Executive Office to claim the prize.

As the

he Terrace Turns



Pii Schneider married Tom Crowley at their new home in Kalani Valley on February 6. Their children include Nainoa Basdavanos, Matt and Tommy Crowley, Elle Crowley and Kahala Schneider.

Tiffany and Chris Johns were married March 21, 2004.





Right: Christian Peterson, left, hosted the Women's Campus Club including Wendie McClain, wife of acting President David McClain, and Judy Rubano, president of the club.

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When Apple Corporation was in search of a December wedding in Hawaii to film as a marketing piece for a new product being launched at the MacWorld Conference in January with Steve Jobs as the keynote speaker, OCC member and wedding coordinator **Beth Bowlen Harbottle** of Social Butterfly knew just where to point them.

She along with nine other women offered their services as a gift to help Lindsey's mom, Laurie Breeden Callies, in the planning of her son's wedding. When Lindsey Breeden and Tiffany Neumeier were married on December 29th at a small family wedding at the historic Bayer Estate, the cameras and lights were rolling.

The festivities were still intimate though, as the seven-member crew from Los Angeles blended with the family for three days. Puamana performed (as they did at Lindsey's baby luau 24 years ago), the Chillingworth men (of which Lindsey is a member) sang the Aloha Song as a welcome to the bride's family and guests fell to the ground in rowing fashion to the Hilo March as coxswain Mert Chillingworth led the crew in a raucous paddle! Other Club members who helped out were "Ginnieberries" Cathee Kukea and her catering partner Michelle Nakaya and Chrissy Lambert who provided photography services.

Carter Evans hosted two hours of the pre-show activities for E! Entertainment during the Golden Globe awards in LA. He's also a freelance reporter for CBS2 and KCAL9 in Los Angeles. With help from his brother Jamie (also an OCC member), Carter launched www.carterevans.com in 2003. Together, Carter and Jamie now offer affordable digital non-linear editing services, web design and hosting.

Attorneys Coates & Frey know how to win hearts. **Brad Coates** and his office throw an annual Valentine's Party. Someone clever-Brad?-has named it the "Heal the Hearts" Ball, and of course, the theme is broken hearts, the guests are court, judiciary, and divorced people, et al.

The lei greeters give out red or silver valentine beads, the favors are little red boxes with aspirin and band-aids, and the party site is awash with red balloons, paper valentine hearts, and ono grinds. By far the best eating is the warm chocolate fountain, into which you dip your red strawberries and indulge your heart's delight. THANK YOU BRAD.

Congratulations to bride **Tiffany Dowd** and groom Chris Johns married a year ago in March 2004 at Halona Cove on the North Shore. And, all in the family, congratulations to her brother **Shannon Dowd** and his wife Fawn, who live in Las Vegas, on the birth of a daughter Kayleigh, born just this last January.

Christian Peterson hosted 86 members of the Women's Campus Club at a luncheon in February. Speaker was Dr. Rebecca Cann on "history, Genes, Moms and Mysteries". This group raises money for unfunded projects at the University of Hawaii.

Family and friends gathered at the Outrigger on February 8 to honor the late **Paul F. McCallin**. The Club's delicious buffet followed a special mass at Star of the Sea Church and burial at Punchbowl. Paul and wife Irene celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary at the Club in July. The McCallins and their five children, eight grandchildren and extended family have enjoyed the OCC for 28 years.

Contributions to this column are always welcome. Leave items for the Editor at the Front Desk, email to occmag@aol.com, or fax to (808) 833-1591. Be sure to include your name and phone number in case additional information is needed. Items received by April 25 will appear in the June issue of the magazine. Items received after April 25 will appear in July.

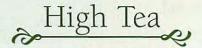


Betty Anne Tribble celebrated her 80th birthday at a surprise party at the Club. Friends and relatives gathered to wish her well and celebrate many good times. Several people traveled from the Mainland for the event.



The Punahou Class of '51 started monthly luncheons and it has grown to include other class members. The Punboys include Bob Hinkley '48, Bill Baird '47, Ron Sorrell '51, Jimmy Gibson '51, Freddie Noa, Kid Campbell '51, Pat O'Conner '50, Strat Whiting '51, Billy Cross '48 and Pay Wyman '49.

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Saturday April 23 Koa Lanai, 2 p.m.

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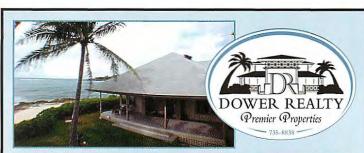
OCCSocial Calendar

April

- 4 Bridge, Noon
- 7 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 11 Bridge, Noon
- 12 International Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 18 Bridge, Noon
- 18 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 23 High Tea, 2 p.m.
- 25 Bridge, Noon
- 26 Wine Tasting, 6 p.m.
- 27 Administrative Professional's Buffet, Noon
- 30 Coffee Talk Tasting, 8:30 a.m.
- 30 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.

May

- 5 Cinco de Mayo, 5:30 p.m.
- 8 Mother's Day Brunch, 8:30 a.m.
- 8 Mother's Day Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 10 International Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 16 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 21 Spirit, Wine & Art Festival, 6 p.m.
- 23 Stew Rice, 6 p.m.
- 28 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 30 Memorial Day Service, 9 a.m.
- 30 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.



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Paddling Kanaka Ikaika 1/15/05 Long Course: Makai Pier to Kailua, 8 miles Karel Tresnak Jr., 1st, OC1, :54:57 Jimmy Austin, 9th, OC1, :59:01 Walter Guild, 11th, OC1, :59:21 Eric Levora, 14th, OC1, :59:43 Zach Payne, 26th, OC1, 1:01:21 Jeff Metzger, 28th, OC1, 1:02:11 Paula Crabb, 35th, OC1, 1:06:19 Megan Clark, 40th, OC1, 1:07:46 Peter Balding Jr., 41st, OC1, 1:08:23 Steve Kelly, 1st, SS1, :53:01 Andrew Glatzel, 5th, SS1, :56:41 Mary Smolenski, 8th, SS1, 1:01:00 Maggie Twigg-Smith, 9th, SS1, Short Course: Waimanalo to Kailua, 5 miles Steve Torkildson, 21st, OC1, :53:19 Jessie Cleghorn, 5th, OC2, :58:52 Katinka Van Lier Ribbink, 5th, OC2, :58:52 Anne Rosa, 2nd, SS1, :53:43

Kanaka Ikaika 1/30/05 Long Course: Makai Pier to Koko Marina, 8 miles Karel Tresnak Jr., 1st, OC1, Jimmy Austin, 5th, OC1, 1:14:44 Heath Hemmings, 8th, OC1, 1:16:00 Byron Ho, 14th, OC1, 1:19:21 Eric Levora, 21st, OC1, 1:21:04 Tim Twigg-Smith, 22nd, OC1, 1:21:11 Mike Nakano, 28th, OC1, 1:23:47 Todd Sandvold, 31st, OC1, 1:25:09 Anthony Hunt, 33rd, OC1, 1:26:37 Paula Crabb, 45th, OC1, 1:34:31 Megan Clark, 46th, OC1, 1:34:53 Peter Balding Jr., 50th, OC1, Steve Kelly, 1st, SS1, 1:07:58 Sean Monahan, 2nd, SS1, 1:0-8:50 Mark Sandvold, 3rd, SS1, 1:10:28 Andrew Glatzel, 5th, SS1, 1:12:20 Maggie Twigg-Smith, 8th, SS1, 1:19:06 Jessie Cleghorn/Katinka Van Lier Ribbink, 4th, OC2, :48:25

Short Course: Hawaii Kai, Koko Marina, Spitting Cave, Koko Marina, 6 miles Steve Torkildson, 6th, OC1, :44:50 Angie Giancaterino, 36th, OC1, :49:08 Eric Abbott, 1st, SS1, :46:17 Anne Rosa, 3rd, SS1, :47:36

Kanaka Ikaika 2/5/05 Hawaii Kai to Kaimana Beach, 8.47 miles Karel Tresnak Jr., 2nd, OC1, 1:02:52 Jimmy Austin, 7th, OC1, 1:05:07 Walter Guild, 12th, OC1, 1:06:33 Eric Levora, 13th, OC1, 1:06:39 Tim Twigg-Smith, 23rd, OC1, 1:08:54 Robi Solmssen, 26th, OC1, 1:09:38 Zachary Payne, 28th, OC1, 1:09:51 Mike Nakano, 38th, OC1, 1:11:06 Anthony Hunt, 44th, OC1, 1:12:01 Paula Crabb, 46th, OC1, 1:12:27 Marc Haine, 52nd, OC1, 1:13:40 Tom Conner, 53rd, OC1, 1:13:46 Steve Kelly, 1st, SS1, 1:01:19 Sean Monahan, 4th, SS1, 1:02:32 Mark Sandvold, 5th, SS1, 1:03:11 Andrew Glatzel, 6th, SS1, 1:03:17 Dolan Eversole, 9th, SS1, 1:06:07 Mark Buck, 11th, SS1, 1:06:41 Maggie Twigg-Smith, 16th, SS1, 1:08:23 Mary Smolenski, 17th, SS1, 1:08:47 Evan Rhodes, 5th, OC1S, 1:09:42 Steve Torkildson, 32nd, OC1S,

Kanaka Ikaika 2/19/05 Long: Flat Island, Mokes to Castle & Flat Island, 12 miles Karel Tresnak Jr., 1st, OC1, 1:03:56 Jimmy Austin, 7th, OC1, 1:08:03 Tim Twigg-Smith, 16th, OC1, 1:10:49 Heath Hemmings, 17th, OC1, Megan Clark, 48th, OC1, 1:27:32 Sean Monahan, 2nd, SS1, 1:03:43 Mark Sandvold, 3rd, SS1, 1:04:16 Maggie Twigg-Smith, 9th, SS1, 1:16:35 Short Course: Flat Island, Bird & Back, 6 miles Zach Payne, 32nd, OC1, :57:15 Steve Torkildson, 34th, OC1, :57:46

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Backward Glances

By Corinne Shulman, Historical Committee

56 Years Ago: April 1949 Wilford D. Godbold, President

We read in Time magazine of March 14 that the box office record in 22 U.S. cities show that "Wake of the Red Witch" is running second in popularity. This is due, no doubt, to the sagacity of the studio in having our own Duke Kahanamoku play a part in it.

Through the courtesy of Director "Big Bill" Mullahey we were privileged to take a ride in Pan-Am's new Queen of the Skies when she was here in Honolulu, We're breathless. All we can tell you is when she's here again go see for yourself.

46 Years Ago: April 1959 **Ronald Q. Smith President**

Per usual, the Club was host to a number of personalities making headlines in the world of sports, and entertainment. To name a few: champion swimmers Chris Von Saltza and Sylvia Ruuska, singer Andy Williams, TV-Radio star Arthur Godfrey, and rumor has it, Cary Grant.

A familiar face on the beach a few years ago recently returned to the Islands, but this time sporting instead of Outrigger Beach Service togs, the tights of a professional wrestler. He's Sam Steamboat Junior, whose dad, "Steamboat" is one of the best known among Hawaii's famous beach boys.

19 Years Ago: April 1, 1986 Roy C. Kesner, President

GREAT ALOHA RUN: Nearly two dozen Outrigger runners participated in the Great Aloha Run, from Aloha Tower to Aloha Stadium on Feb. 17. All of the runners enjoyed this fun race and the entertainment that followed at the Stadium. However, as one runner recalled, it took him more than four minutes to get to the starting line.

10 Years Ago: April 1995 Wendell Brooks, President

Six members or spouses of the OCC are on the 12 person Uluniu Swim Club Board for 1995. They are Greg Markham, vicepresident; Gerry DeBenedetti, secretary; Dave McFaull, treasurer; and directors Nancy Peacock, Charlie Robertson and Pat O'Conner.

Old timers will remember when the Uluniu was called a Women's Swimming Club and located "next door" to the Outrigger in Waikiki. Now the Club accepts male members, and couples, and has a beach house on the ocean at Laie.

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Athletic Calendar

April

- 2 Pinky's Annual Surfski & OC Race
- 3 Canoe Rides*
- 9 Canoe Rigging Clinic, Ala Wai, for Youth Paddlers, 9 a.m.-Noon
- 9 PCA Coaching Workshop, 10 a.m.-Noon, Board Room
- 9 BBQ for Youth Paddlers, Coaches, Noon
- 10 Ocean Club Oahu Surfski & OC Championship Race
- 10 Canoe Rides*
- 17 Canoe Rides*
- 23 Hurricane State Championship, Surfski & OC
- 24 Canoe Rides*

May

- 1 Starbucks Kaiwi Channel Relay
- 1 Canoe Rides*
- 7 Kauai World Challenge Surfski, OC Race
- 8 Canoe Rides*
- 15 Molokai World Championship Surfski & OC Race
- 15 Canoe Rides*
- 22 OCC Invitational Swim, 9 a.m.
- 22 Canoe Rides*
- 29 Canoe Rides*

June

- 5 Healani Regatta, 8:30 a.m., Keehi Lagoon
- 5 Canoe Rides*
- 12 Kamehameha Regatta, 8:30 a.m., Kailua Beach
- 12 Canoe Rides*
- 19 Nanakuli Regatta, 8:30 a.m., Nanakuli Beach
- 19 Canoe Rides*
- 26 Waimanalo Regatta, 8:30 a.m., Waimanalo Beach
- 26 Canoe Rides*

July

4 Walter J. Macfarlane Regatta, 8:30 a.m., Waikiki Beach

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OCC Invitational Swim Meet May 22

By Ray Robinson

The OCC's Annual Invitational one and two-mile swim meet will be held on Sunday, May 22. Outrigger members and swimmers from other swim clubs are invited to participate.

Swimmers check in at the OCC around 7:30 a.m. and the race start is from San Souci Beach at 9 a.m. Usually, 70-85 swimmers compete

So you have seven weeks to get into shape! The cost is a measly \$30 and includes race tank-top shirt, prizes for first, second and third place finishes in each gender group and age category, a sumptuous Outrigger breakfast on the sand by the Clubhouse, lots of camaraderie, and a really good workout for the day.

The course for those who are under 50 is two miles, from San Souci beach straight out the channel one-half mile to the first turn buoy, then parallel to the beach one-half mile to the buoy offshore from the Kapahulu Groin, back to the number one buoy and into the OCC beach.

The short course is one-half mile out to the first turn buoy and back into our beach.

If you are under 50, you may not participate in the one-mile swim. If you are over 50, you may participate in the two-mile swim, but the competition from the ace swimmers can be daunting.

OCC members are needed to be escorts on paddleboards, one-man's or surfboards. Please call meet director Dennis Blake if you can help the proceedings by being an escort. He's at 488-0826.

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Wednesday, June 22 Koa Lanai 6-8 p.m.

Featuring beers from around the world Paired with "local kine" Kahuku corn recipes and other creative bill of fare

Enter our recipe contest using Kahuku corn and other corn varietals. Two recipe winners will join us as our guests at the beer tasting and their recipe will be featured as one of the menu items at the tasting.

Rules when entering recipe contest

- Members are allowed to enter a maximum of two recipes: two recipes in the same category or one for each category.
- The recipe categories are Soups and Appetizers. (Example of recipe: Corn Chowder, Shrimp and Corn Fritters).
- Recipe portions are to serve 4 to 8 persons.

- Recipes must be named and clearly typed. If recipes are not clear and concise they will not be accepted.
- Recipes are turned in at the Front Desk only. Email, fax, postal mail etc. will not be accepted.
- Please submit your name, membership number, address and phone number along with your recipe addressed to Chef Manfred.
- · First 50 recipes will be considered.
- Closing date for submitting recipes will be Sunday, May 1, 2005.
- Winner of the recipe contest will be contacted the first week in June.

Tip: Simple to read and creative recipes stand out. If possible, submit a picture of the food item with your recipe.

Good luck and see you at the tasting.

Beer Tasting Menu Wednesday, June 22

Domestic and Imported Cheeses
Selection of Cold Cuts
Assorted Breads & Rolls
Mezze Station
Broiled Pipikaula
Eggs a'la Russe
Ox Tongue, Vinaigrette
Marinated Grilled Vegetables

Grilled Bratwurst with Sautéed Onions Smoked Pork Loin on a Bed of Sauerkraut Golden Fried Mahimahi in Spicy Beer Batter Scotch Egg with Madeira Sauce Mussels Steamed in White Wine & Fine Herbs

The two Kahuku corn recipe winners will be featured with this menu

Reservations will be accepted at the Front Desk starting June 1st \$23.00 ++

MIDDLE EASTERN DINNER BUFFET

Tuesday, April 12

SALAD BAR Marinated Grilled Vegetables,

Tabouli Salad, Garbanzo Bean Salad, Arugula with Feta & Olives, Cucumber Salad with Yogurt Dressing, Lentil Salad, Pasta Salad,

Crisp Garden Greens with Selected Condiments & Dressings

ENTREES

Mezze Station Chicken Balti

Roast Leg of Lamb with Calamata Olives & Feta Cheese

Mixed Seafood in Greek Tomato Sauce

Couscous Barley Pilaf

Sauteed Eggplant in Olive Oil, Fine Herbs

DESSERT

Create Your Own Ice Cream Sundae Station, Fine Selection of Fruit & Cream Pies, Brownies, Cookies, Baklava

Adults \$16.95, Children 5-12 years old \$11.20 Children 5 years old and younger are free of charge



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Employee MONTH



Victor Cadiz

Our Employee of the Month is Victor Cadiz, Men's Locker Room attendant. He is one of the OCC's longest serving employees, having been here since he came to Hawaii in 1970, 35 years ago.

He started as a custodian, but has been doing Locker Room and laundry for a lot longer, and says he is not even thinking of retirement. Victor is just going to stay at OCC. The members are so good to him, he says, they like him and he likes them.

He smiled a LOT when the talk turned to watching the "naughty boys" turn from Junior Boys into adults, even responsible adults, serv-

ing on the OCC Board.

Imagine, he has seen kids grow up and have their own kids, all from his excellent view of the tunnel and its travelers.

He likes to swim and body board, but says at age 69 he is slowing down, and spends his time watching his two grandchildren grow up. He and his wife (of 50 years!) have a son and a daughter. He says they "might" go to the Philippines someday. He has never been back for a visit since arriving in Hawaii and doesn't need to go. Hawaii and OCC have everything he needs.

In Memorium

Charles O. Jennings Deceased: January 6, 2000 Member: 36 Years

Clella E. (Libbie) Nye Deceased: October 27, 2004 Member: 30 Years Andrew Jackson Eaton Deceased: January 31, 2004 Member: 15 Years

Dr. Paul F. McCallin Deceased: January 31, 2005 Member: 38 Years Anita Brightman Deceased: February 5, 2005 Member: 28 Years

Harriett (Haku) Snyder Deceased: February 6, 2005 Former Member: 15 Years Waldo Bowman Deceased: February 12, 2005 Former Member: 57 Years

William F. Ehrman Deceased: February 15, 2005 Member: 47 Years

FAMILY BUFFET NIGHT

Monday, April 18

APPETIZERS AND SALAD BAR Lomi Lomi Salad, Bean Sprout & Watercress Salad, Cucumber Namasu, Somen Salad, Tomato-Asparagus Salad, Pineapple Cole Slaw, Poi, Crisp Garden Greens with Selected Condiments & Dressings

> SOUP Seafood Chowder

ENTREES
Kalua Pork
Teriyaki Chicken
Sauteed Mahimahi OCC
Steamed Sweet Potatoes
Steamed White Rice
Stir Fried Mustard Cabbage with Sweet Peppers

DESSERTS

Create Your Own Ice Cream Sundae Station, Fine Selection of Fruit, Cream & Custard Pies, Brownies, Pineapple Upside Down Cake, Selection of Fresh Fruit

Adults \$16.95, Children 5 - 12 years old \$11.20 Children 5 years old and younger are free of charge

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Mollye F. Lewis Regular



Moon Soo Park Regular



Kikilia F. Schaefer Regular



Charles V. Shank Nonresident



Kevin A. Souza Regular

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House Committee Report

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Website

 Ron Higgins is working with management and our website developer to make our Club website more interactive, informative and useful to Club members. He has made great recommendations for enhancements and cost-saving steps.

Other committee activities included:

Annual Christmas Party

The committee made recommendations to the Board and management that resulted in far fewer non-members at the Annual Christmas Party. Recommendations were to place a message in the magazine, send out invitations that invited Regular members only and stated the dress code, signs in the Locker Rooms and Lobby that reminded Regular members of the event, date/time and dress code.

Member Violation of Policies & Procedures

Member complaints about members and guests violating Club Policies and Procedures reference conduct and dress code. The House Committee was asked to make recommendations on how the situation can be improved. Peg Hogan, Vicki Reisner and Ray Robinson did a study and made a recommendation that was forwarded to the Board.

The Board agreed that members violating Club rules would be sent a letter from the management asking their cooperation in following the rules so that every member

can equally enjoy their Club 'experience'.

If the member repeated the violation, a second letter would be sent from the Board of Directors and further disciplinary action would follow i.e. final warning, suspension, etc.

The House and PR Committees will be doing monthly insertions, as reminders to members.

Large SUV's

In 2003, the Board asked the House Committee to address the problem of large sports utility vehicles and trucks blocking parking spaces and making it difficult for members to park and get out of their cars. This Committee recommended to the Board, the Board accepted and management implemented a rule that no vehicles longer than the white lines, would be allowed to park on the MAIN level.



More as the Terrace Turns



Sascha Franzel received a bronze medal from World Champion and Olympics ski medalist Billy Kidd while attending the Billy Kidd Ski Racing camp in Steamboat Springs, Colorado in January.



Paul McCallin enjoyed special times with his family on the Hau Terrace.





Jo Fuller celebrated his 100th birthday with family and friends on February 18. A good time was had by all, he reports.

Carter Evans



On February 10, Mary Ellen and Ford King, left, celebrated mutual birthdays and anniversaries with friends, Dee and Bob Levy.



It's Time to Celebrate

cinco de Mayo

Thursday, May 5

Come and Join Us for Fun, Food and Song! We will feature our South of the Border Buffet

Chicken Enchiladas, Beef Burrito, Baja Style Fish Tacos,

Seafood Vera Cruz, Chilled Gazpacho, Assorted Salads & Much More Buffet located in the Hau Terrace 5:30 p.m.

\$18.75 + +

Margarita, Tequila & Beer Specials Strolling Mariachi Band at 6:30 p.m.

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On the Cover: Outrigger Canoe Club's 2005-2006 Board of Directors is, front: Mike Cote, Stephany Sofos, Barbara Stehouwer and Gregg Robertson. Standing: Tom McTigue, William Swope, Alan Lau, Brad Wagenaar, Bob Dewitz, Vik Watumull, Geoff Graf and Wendell Brooks. Not pictured: Jon Bryan. See pages 2-8 for more news from the Annual Meeting. Photo by Marilyn Kali.

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