

# the Outrigger

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## HCRA Championships



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# Outrigger Wins Five Races in

# HCR

Outrigger Canoe Club finished the regatta season with five wins in the Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association State Championships, August 2 at Keehi Lagoon. However, it was not enough to keep Hawaiian of Maui from three-peating for the state title.

Hawaiian scored 331 points to second place Kailua's, 291 points. OCC finished sixth in points with 233.

2003 was a successful season under head coach Anthony Hunt, and the more than 200 paddlers and coaches who participated.



The Junior Women paddled to a silver medal: Ine Miller, Lisa Livingston, Diana Allen, Malia Kamisugi, Missy Mowat and Linda Fernandez.



The Junior Men finished sixth—John Eveleth, Ian Forester, Byron Ho, Mike Nakano, John Wacker and Robi Solmsen.



Barbara Bryan, Laurie Lawson and Susan Heitzman share a quiet moment.



Bill Pratt and Ann Marie Mizuno.

## HCRA State Regatta • August 2, 2003 • Keehi Lagoon

### AAA Division (18 crews or more):

1. Hawaiian, 331. 2. Kailua, 291. 3. Kai Opua, 290. 4. Lanikai, 246. 5. Hui Lanakila, 234. 6. Outrigger, 233. 7. Hui Nalu, 191. 8. Kihei, 181.

### How OCC Crews Finished

#### First Place

Girls 16 (1/4 mile)—Meleana Carr, Kellen Fletcher, Angela Giancaterino, Sara Harris, Ginger Lunt, Halli Van Lier Ribbink, 4:24.46.

Girls 18 (1/2 mile)—Alicia Arnott, Jennifer Tokin, Kai Bourne, Sarah Rosa, Lara Atwater, Brooke Perry, 4:32.74.

Sophomore Women (1 mile)—Traci Phillips, Paula Crabb, Jennifer Horner, Donna Kahakui, Mary Smolenski, Kisi Haine, 8:36.60.

Senior Women (1 1/2 miles)—Traci Phillips, Paula Crabb, Jennifer Horner, Donna Kahakui, Mary Smolenski, Kisi Haine, 12:56.66.

Masters Men 40 (1 mile)—Walter Guild, Karl Heyer IV, Marc Haine, Courtney Seto, Todd Bradley, Tommy Damon, 7:36.36.

#### Second Place

Junior Women (1 mile)—9:02.05

Masters Women 40 (1 mile)—9:13.71

#### Third Place

Masters Men 50 (1/2 mile)—3:51.20

Masters Women 55 (1/2 mile)—5:01.00

Masters Men 55 (1/2 mile)—4:05.91

#### Fourth Place

Boys 16 (1/2 mile)—4:00.34

#### Fifth Place

Boys 12 (1/4 mile)—2:18.34

Men Novice A (1 mile)—8:31.63

Sophomore Men (1 mile)—7:38.73

Senior Men (1 1/2 miles)—11:38.06

#### Sixth Place

Junior Men (1 mile)—8:06.31

#### Ninth Place

Girls 14 (1/4 mile)—2:23.26

Masters Women 50 (1/2 mile)—5:16.58

#### Tenth Place

Girls 13 (1/4 mile)—2:30.41

Boys 13 (1/4 mile)—2:20.38

Men Open 4 (1/2 mile)—4:32.28

Mixed Masters 55 (1/2 mile)—4:16.34

#### Twelfth Place

Mixed Masters 55 (1/2 mile)—4:56.87

#### Fourteenth Place

Women Open 4 (1/2 mile)—5:45.62

#### DQ

Boys 15

Boys 18

Freshmen Men



# A Championships

Photos by Pam Davis



Matt Delaney and Robi Solmsen



Scott, Julie and Norton Hendricks



Finishing well after 6 p.m., the Women 40 took home a silver medal: Kaili Chun, Katy Bourne, Genie Kincaid, Laurie Lawson, Liz Perry and Ann Marie Mizuno.



Enjoying camaraderie after the race were Mike Nakano, Stew Kawakami, Jimmy Austin, Mike Kane.



Between all of them, the Masters Women have a combined age of 817!



Marilyn Haine led the cheering section.



Paddlers load the canoe after a successful day.



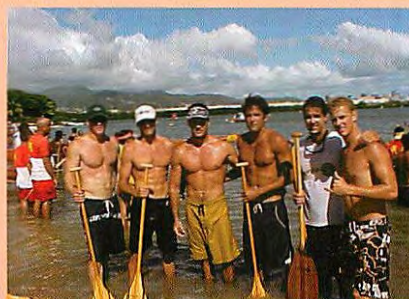
Janna Arakaki, Debbie Peck, front; Pam Zak and Gerry DeBenedetti, back.



Mike Fox and Kaili Chun



Malia Kamisugi, Jimmy Austin, Will Estes



The Senior Men were Mike Beyer, Scott Hendricks, Kevin Allen, Jeff Brown, Jim Beaton and Jimmy Austin.







# Honoring our past... Building our future.

by Jon Bryan

## OCC2C - WHAT IS IT AGAIN?

To ensure that the Club will meet the evolving needs of current and future generations of members, several areas for improvement were identified through member surveys, standing committee meetings, and comments from management and staff. Thus the site and facility master plan called OCC2C or Outrigger Canoe Club - Second Century was developed.

When the project began, 12 elements that needed attention were identified:

1. Kitchen renovation
2. Snack Shop upgrade
3. Handicap accessibility throughout the Club
4. A fully equipped & adequately sized Fitness Center
5. Improved beach & boat/board storage
6. A larger & more customer-friendly Logo Shop
7. A multi-function room for meetings & private parties
8. Consolidated administrative offices
9. Upgraded entryway, lobby & reception area
10. Improved employee dining & locker rooms; increased storage & work areas
11. Updated & consolidated mechanical and electrical systems
12. Restored parking stalls

The kitchen renovation was completed in 1998. The Snack Shop was upgraded in 2001. The remaining 10 are incorporated in the OCC2C plan.

## HOW DID THIS DESIGN COME TO BE?

After 5 different design concepts, OCC2C was chosen as the plan that effectively addressed the 10 elements that needed attention. Since the consolidation of administrative offices and creation of a fitness center encompassed the largest area in terms of size, these two elements became central to the design.

Our architects are constrained by many zoning issues including the restriction on increasing the size of the facility's "footprint". Our only alternatives are to build a new fitness center and administrative offices above the bar or beneath the ground. (Locations under and over the volleyball courts

and over the lobby and kitchen have all been studied thoroughly and ruled out for valid reasons.)

The OCC2C Committee proposes to build the fitness center above the bar because it believes it is relatively inconspicuous from the makai side and from the street, and that a second story in this location would blend well with the overall design of the Club. The committee also believes that a fitness center that benefits from our magnificent view will be an outstanding amenity for current members and will attract new memberships as well.

The OCC2C Committee proposes to build the consolidated administrative offices in an underground area mauka of the existing board room, as it will free ground level space for improved member amenities and a larger, more accessible logo shop.

## THE FITNESS CENTER

The proposed design of the new fitness center has generated considerable discussion. Some members do not see the need for a fitness center at all. While others think the space above the bar should be created but for a different use. Still others agree with the need for the fitness center, but object to constructing it over the bar.

For those who question the need for a fitness center, the OCC2C Committee is quick to reply that the Outrigger Canoe Club, Hawaii's leading sports and social Club only has a temporary weight room that was never

intended for long term use. Member surveys taken in 1995 and again in 2000-2001 reported that the most desired improvement in member amenities is a fitness center. Member athletes in training and members who want to be fit and healthy must have a fitness center that provides adequate space and equipment to serve a variety of needs.

The most frequent objection stems from the fact that it will be expensive to remove and reconstruct the existing bar to structurally support the fitness center above. It will also require that the bar be closed during construction. A number of members, including those on the Club's Architectural Review Committee (ARC), believe rebuilding the bar will depart from the intent of the original architect, Vladimir Ossipoff, resulting in the loss of architectural integrity and elements.

The OCC2C Committee respects the opinions of the ARC Committee and other members who oppose changing the bar to build the fitness center. The committee has confidence in Architects Garduque and Welch's plans to recreate the bar in a way that, while perhaps not identical, will be an equally appealing and welcoming gathering place for members. It also recognizes that it would be possible to construct a fitness center underground, on the mauka side of the building. The committee is studying this alternative and will provide more information when available. The OCC2C Committee has recommended and the Board has agreed to allow an option to be added to the Referendum ballot.

## HERE'S WHAT THE BALLOT WILL SAY

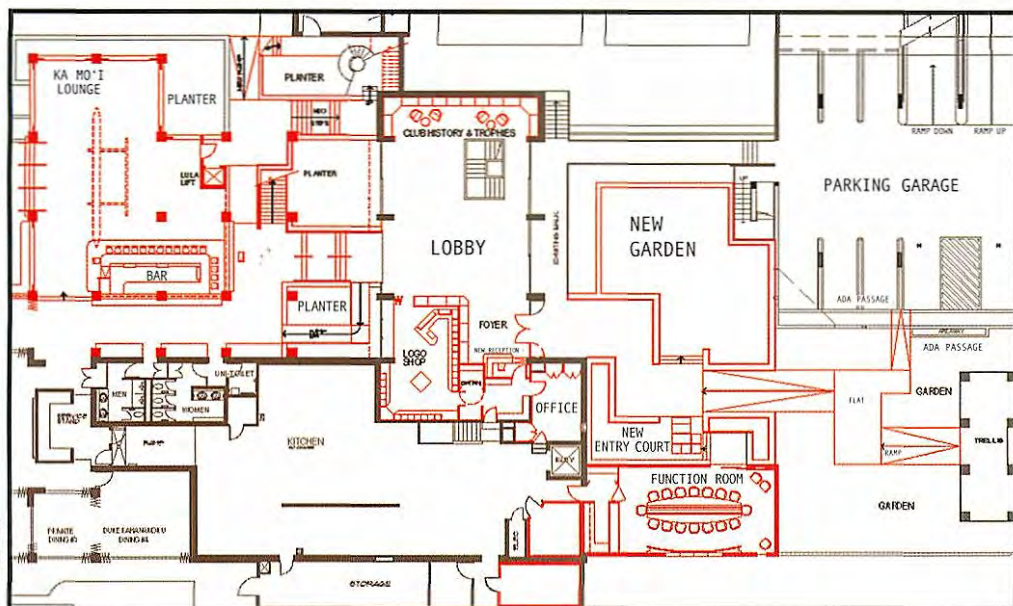
1. DO YOU FAVOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE IMPROVEMENTS EMBODIED IN OCC 2C (WITH THE FITNESS CENTER LOCATED ABOVE THE BAR), UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OUTRIGGER CANOE CLUB WITH THE BOARD TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION (i) THE TIMING, COST AND IMPACT OF THE COST OF SUCH IMPROVEMENTS UPON THE CLUB, (ii) THE IMPACT OF SUCH CONSTRUCTION UPON ELKS LEASE RENTAL RENEGOTIATION, AND (iii) ANY AND ALL OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY ARISE IN THE COURSE OF SUCH CONSTRUCTION? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_

2. IF YOU VOTED NO TO ITEM #1 ABOVE DO YOU:  
SUPPORT A MODIFIED OCC2C PLAN THAT LOCATES THE FITNESS CENTER IN A BASEMENT LOCATION IN CLOSER PROXIMITY TO THE LOCKER ROOMS, THEREBY LEAVING THE BAR IN ITS PRESENT CONFIGURATION? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_

*Only voting members (Intermediate, Regular, Senior and Life)  
in good standing are eligible to vote.*

## PLEASE GET INFORMED AND VOTE

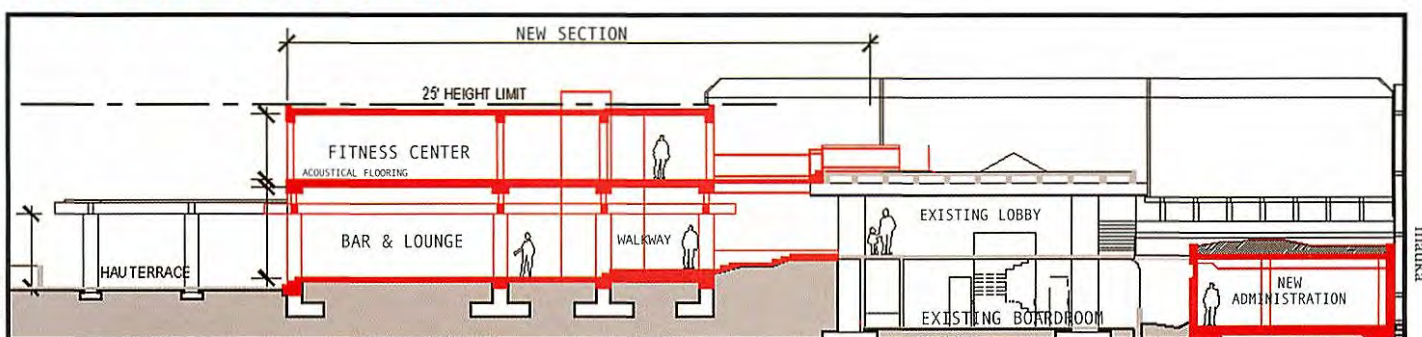




## GROUND FLOOR

New logo shop will be discreetly located to the side of the Club's lobby. The lobby will have an increased viewing area for club history and trophies. The new Ka Mo'i Lounge will emulate the existing design. A new function room will be added for meetings and private gatherings.

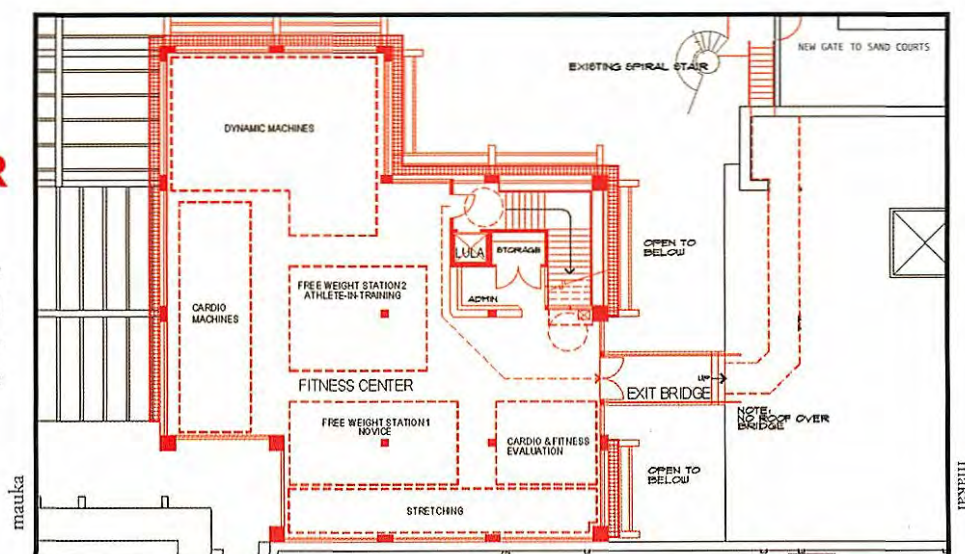
## LONGITUDINAL SECTION



Adding the Fitness Center does not require any change to height variance. Raising the garden at the entrance allows for consolidated administrative offices on the mauka side of plan. This diagram is looking at the club from the Elk's Club side.

## FITNESS CENTER (SECOND FLOOR)

Equipment shown is for illustration only. Actual equipment will be determined at a later date if the referendum is approved.



These details that have been extracted from the architects plans are for the purpose of illustration only. They are not to actual scale. For complete plans of all floors drawn to proper scale please see the OCC2C lobby display.

**Red Lines = New / Remodeled    Black Lines = Existing**

Graphic Design by Kay Yamaguchi





# As the Terrace Turns

Michael Wells and Summer Richardson married on May 17 at the Dillingham Estate in Mokuleia. Bill and Terry Wells hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Club. Attendees included Best Man Brian Wells, Wayne and Iola Seligson, Deke and Jennifer Kilpatrick with their new daughter, Ava, Richie May and brothers-in-law, Charles Watson and John Richardson, Lee LeGrande and others.

Cindy Taylor designed and provided centerpieces for the tables. Wedding guests included Stein Metzger, Mike Lambert, John McDermott, Kanoa and Renee Ostrem, Stevie and Jody Li, Michael and Miranda Scott, Brant Chillingworth, Alike Williams, CeeCee Sheehan and fiancé Barry Simmons, and the Kamisugi family among others.

A very large surprise birthday present came for Myra Fisher in July. Her son, Karel, arrived from Lafayette, California to spend a few days with his mom playing cribbage, doing watercolors, exploring family picture albums and, of course, enjoying the food at OCC. Karel is an architect and broker of commercial properties in the Bay Area.

"Usually the family comes at Christmas but I rarely enjoy Karel alone. Karel was about seven when I joined the OCC after being at Uluniu for the years he was a baby and young child," says Myra.

Mary Caywood attended granddaughter Christie Caywood's graduation from Mount Holyoke

College, Massachusetts, then the two toured Europe for three weeks.

News from Kauai. Ian Emberson recently here to attend a relative's wedding, said he has been invited to Kona in October to participate in the Ironman. As you oldtimers recall, Ian was in the original event held 26 years ago to see whether running the Honolulu Marathon or swimming the Waikiki Roughwater was the harder event. The conclusion was that swimmers find the marathon difficult and runners have trouble with the swim. Duh. But, this was the birth of multisport events and we now have Biathlons, and Timmans thanks to Ian and those pioneers.

Ian invites all you visitors to Kauai to come stay in his B & B in Waimea where he is raising swimming children. He is also chair of the Maui Channel Swim, held on the Saturday preceding the Roughwater. This year those dates are Aug 30 and September 1, both events likely over by the time you read this.

Visiting in July/August, Grant and Beth Senner from Hana. They took in the new Honolulu Art Academy's Shangri La at Black Point with Mom Gerry DeBenedetti. Need to plan ahead for those tickets. Several members have visited the late Doris Duke's mansion, and probably a lot more have gone swimming in her private boat ramp. It's nice to see the ramp from the inside of the property.

Congrats to Lindsey Berg and



Myra Fisher enjoys lunch on the Terrace with her son, Karel.

her U.S. National Volleyball Team on their victories at the FIVB World Grand Prix. They beat the Netherlands, Cuba and Japan during one week in July.

Lovely lovely Hoe Wa'a (The gathering of Canoes) exhibit downtown at 1132 Bishop Street. OCC members with items on display are Allan Dowsett, Tay Perry, Kaili Chun, Mike Judd, and Donna Kahakui. If you go, enter walking off of Fort Street Mall side, much easier to find. The exhibit is up until September 26.

Happy 85th Birthday to Joe Arruda. He is still going strong, recently hosted a retirement party at OCC for a friend, and didn't even mention his own birthday.

Jacque Law hosted a huge party for the group Scenic Hawaii, Inc. They were observing their Betty Crocker landscape awards event. Heidi Bornhorst made the presentations and showed slides of each winning garden. Among other things, Scenic Hawaii has been involved in the plantings at Sand Island, Nimitz Highway, Irwin Park, and other places that need protection, preservation and enhancement to keep Hawaii beautiful. As always, the spectacular sunset and Liz & staff made the evening most special, our own enhancement.

Transpac 2003 is over now, and for those of you who saw those special boats go past our beach as they crossed the Diamond Head Finish line, you know that after 2,225 miles from LA to Honolulu, we do look good. This race has been run biennially since 1906 and has a claim that no other race of any distance can make: the dockside aloha greeting that Hawaii residents pour out at all hours of the day and

night.

After pushing downwind for 10 to 12 days, entering the Kaiwi channel is no end of the race treat, and mainland crews are not always prepared for those Molokai winds. By the time you arrive at dockside, be it 2 p.m. or 2 a.m., the crews are a little hyper, sleep deprived, and there is a party waiting, like sailing into heaven. Must be why they call us Paradise.

Nonresident member Roy Disney and his 70-foot yacht Pyewacket, came in second for elapsed time in the Division 1 category. He and crew held a party at OCC for 50.

The night before Pyewacket's party, Gerry DeBenedetti hosted the crew party for Division II 60-foot yacht Medicine Man, captained by Bob Lane from Long Beach. Medicine Man and its crew have been Gerry's friends since 1985 when she hosted their dock party at 3 a.m. Medicine Man came in third for elapsed time. After arriving at the Ala Wai at 1 a.m., they thought their crew dinner that night at OCC was Paradise.

On their visit to Edinburgh in July, OCC members Bonnie and Mike Town and Sandi and Frank Kingery enjoyed dinner at the Museum of Scotland's Tower Restaurant.

Contributions to this column are always welcome. Leave items for the Editor at the Front Desk, email to [occmag@aol.com](mailto: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 September 25 will appear in the November issue. Items received after September 25 will appear in December.

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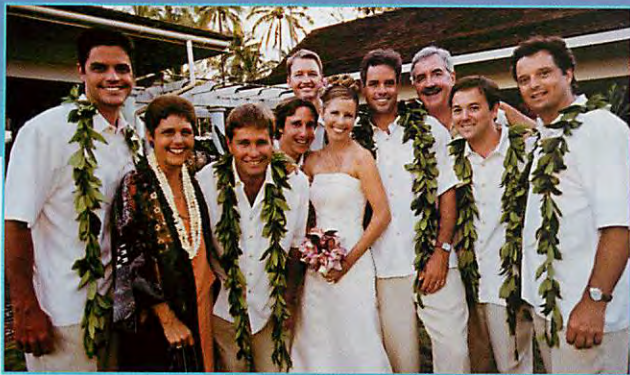
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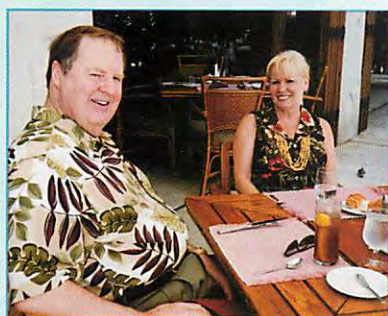




Wedding bells rang for the Wells family on May 17. From left, Brian Wells, Terry Wells, John Richardson, Wayne Seligson, Deke Kilpatrick, bride Summer Richardson, groom Michael Wells, Bill Wells, Richie May, Charles Watson.



Enjoying the PEO Birthday luncheon on June 7 at the Club were Beth Horne, Julie Wright, June Wright and Virginia McGowan.



David and Franki Sprowl enjoy Sunday Brunch on their anniversary.



Mary Caywood and granddaughter Christie Caywood enjoyed the view of the Matterhorn from a 10,000-foot elevation viewpoint near Zermatt, Switzerland.

## OCC Social Calendar

### September

- 1 Labor Day BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 8 Bridge, Noon
- 11 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 13 Club Luau, 6 p.m.
- 15 Bridge, Noon
- 15 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 20 Arnaud's Cooking Class, 2 p.m.
- 20 Hapa Folk, Ka Moi Lounge, 7 p.m.
- 22 Bridge, Noon
- 25 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 27 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 29 Bridge, Noon

### October

- 3 Escada Fashion Show, Noon
- 4 Heart of the Sea Movie & BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 6 Bridge, Noon
- 6 Wine Tasting, 6 p.m.
- 11 High Tea, 2 p.m.
- 13 Bridge, Noon
- 20 Bridge, Noon
- 20 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 25 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 27 Bridge, Noon
- 30 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 31 Halloween

### November

- 3 Bridge, Noon
- 10 Bridge, Noon
- 11 Veteran's Day
- 13 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 17 Bridge, Noon
- 17 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 24 Bridge, Noon
- 27 Thanksgiving Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 28 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.

### December

- 1 Bridge, Noon
- 5 Princess Kaiulani Fashion Show, Noon
- 8 Bridge, Noon
- 11 Lobster Night, 6 p.m.
- 13 Keiki Christmas Party, 11 a.m.
- 15 Bridge, Noon
- 15 Family Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 22 Bridge, Noon
- 24 Christmas Eve Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 25 Members' Open House, 2-4 p.m.
- 25 Christmas Day Buffet, 6 p.m.
- 27 Club BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 29 Bridge, Noon
- 31 New Year's Eve Party, 9 p.m.

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# Aloha and Mahalo to the Friends of John Rader

Photos by Chrissy Lambert Rhodes

The organizing committee of the "Friends of John Rader" extravaganza can't begin to tell you how much we appreciate the outpouring of support everyone gave for John... 'unbelievable' is all that comes to mind.

The Aloha was heartwarming. We especially want to thank the staff of the Outrigger Canoe Club who worked so diligently to make this fundraiser such a success; all the purveyors who provided much of the food and all of the spirits; the members and friends who willingly donated items for the auctions; the musicians, singers and dancers who brought the evening to life; the friends of this committee who jumped in willingly to make it all happen; and all 300 plus of John's friends who came out Tuesday evening July 22 to party so hardy, to spend so freely and send many expressions of Aloha in word and deed for John.

Mahalo nui loa for your kindness and generosity!

In case you wondered, contributions are still being accepted!

To John... we love you and send all good wishes for a speedy recovery from your most unfortunate medical adventure. We're happy to hear that you are on the donor list for a transplant.

Now, you come see us when you can, ya hear!

Humbly and sincerely,  
The Committee



Alice Guild shows off the koa paddle she bid for.

Tim Guard with Master of Ceremonies Mike Buck.



Watching videotape from John Rader were Joann Allin, Mike McCabe, Paul Dolan, Hal Henderson, Pam Davis, Mary Swope and Gloria Keller.



Enjoying the evening were Jon and Sigi Andersen, Alan Lau and Todd Bradley.



Tom McTigue shows off surfboard to the winning bidder of the live auction, George Szigeti.






Michele St. John, Val Davis and Pam Davis share John Rader stories.



Bartenders for the evening were Richard Andrzejewski, Sandra Terada, Gordon Smith and Don Figueira.



Bidding on one of the auction items were Phil Sevier, Tim Guard, Bob Hogan, Peg Hogan and Julie Romanowski.



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# Club Captain's Report

By George Wessberg

The Board of Directors has extended my term as Club Captain and Kisi Haine's term as Assistant Club Captain for an additional year. We will continue to work closely with the chairs of the numerous athletic programs to improve participation of our members in sports, establish a long-range plan for equipment replacement and enhance the quality of leadership and coaching.

## Canoe Racing

The Canoe Racing program, chaired by Courtney Seto, continues to improve as the long distance season approaches. Outrigger earned a respectable second place finish at the Macfarlane Regatta, which will be long remembered for the exciting canoe surfing created by seven-foot sets.

Outrigger also won its third consecutive OHCRA Championship. Anthony Hunt and Keoni Kino have worked hard to coordinate practice schedules for the growing youth program. Kala Judd continues to build the men's program by attracting the return of members to our Club and by developing the younger crewmen. John Puakea has attracted more than 30 women to participate in the women's program with a goal to send at least two competitive open crews to the Na Wahine O Ke Kai in late September.

## Volleyball

Chair Peter Ehrman and his staff of fine coaches escorted five junior teams to the Junior Olympic tournament in Phoenix, Arizona in July. This tournament attracted championship teams from across the nation and Puerto Rico. Although our teams didn't bring home any championship trophies this year, they all finished in the top five in their respective age divisions.

## Beach & Water Safety

Rick Hobson and Don Isaacs continue to improve the services to members provided by this subcommittee. Aka Hemming's steering clinics continue to attract more members every summer. The Sunday canoe rides provided by Beach Services staff and volunteers from the Canoe Racing program were a source of enjoyment for members and guests. There are plans to offer canoe surfing and canoe sailing lessons for experienced steersman in the fall.

## Paddleboard

Jimmy Austin and Victor Hemmy III won the Stock division of the Hennessey International Paddleboard Race on July 19. Dale Hope and Ernie Leskovitz won their age divisions.

# Attention Swimmers and Runners

**Castle Swim November 30**

**Honolulu Marathon December 14**

**Start training please**

## Athletic Calendar

### September

- 1 Waikiki Roughwater Swim
- 7 Canoe Rides
- 7 E Lau Hoe Canoe Race
- 10 OCC Golfers at Turtle Bay
- 14 Henry Ayau Canoe Race
- 14 Canoe Rides
- 21 Canoe Rides
- 28 Canoe Rides
- 28 Na Wahine O Ke Kai

### October

- 3 OCC Golfers at Navy Marine Golf Course
- 4 Heart of the Sea Movie & BBQ, 6 p.m.
- 5 Canoe Rides
- 12 Canoe Rides
- 12 Molokai Hoe
- 19 Canoe Rides
- 26 Canoe Rides

### November

- 2 Canoe Rides
- 9 Canoe Rides
- 16 Canoe Rides
- 23 Canoe Rides
- 30 Canoe Rides
- 30 Castle Swim

### December

- 7 Canoe Rides
- 14 Honolulu Marathon
- 14 Canoe Rides
- 21 Canoe Rides
- 27 Canoe Rides

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# Ho'okele

(Steersman)

Aloha Outrigger Canoe Club Members:

Summer is nearly over and it is time to begin thinking about the upcoming Holiday Season. Are you starting to make plans for holiday parties, retirements, weddings or just large family get-togethers?

The Board of Directors, at the recommendation of the House Committee, has given approval for a new banquet opportunity at the Club. Beginning in September the Koa Lanai will be available for large group events on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday! This new availability will allow us to accommodate larger group requests that we have declined in the past.

Here's how it works: You must book your event at least 30 days in advance. This allows us time to advise regular users of the Koa Lanai about these upcoming parties. Contact our Director of Food and Beverage, Mr. Don Figueira, at 921-1412. Enjoy the best ambiance in town at very reasonable prices!

*"I ku i ka makemake e hele mai, hele no me ka malo'elo'e."*

If the wish to come arises, walk firmly.

If you wish to come, do not be hesitant, for you are welcome.

Ōlelo No'eau #1220

Mahalo,  
Richard C Lee III  
General Manager



## Escada Fashion Show

Escada is pleased to invite you to a Fall/Winter 2003 presentation on October 3 at the Club at 12 noon. Reservations are requested to view the collection at an informal modeling in the Koa Lanai.

Escada is made in Germany with a boutique at the Ala Moana Center. Escada represents prestige lifestyle products that bring joie de vivre of color and design. The color of elegance makes women feel great and expresses self confidence. Joie de Vivre is how Escada is seen from all women around the world. View it right here at the Outrigger Canoe Club.

Reservations are being accepted at 921-1444.

## Cooking Class

### Executive Sous Chef Arnaud Jager

On Saturday, September 20 Executive Sous Chef Arnaud Jager will conduct a cooking class at 2 p.m. in the Koa Lanai. The class is free but space will be limited. Reservations may be made by contacting the Koa Lanai at 921-1444.

At this class Arnaud will create assorted Canapes and Pavlova. Join us for this fun event.

## Family Buffet Night

Monday, September 15

### Dinner Buffet SALAD BAR

Selection of Garden Crisp Greens  
Seafood Salad, Couscous Salad, Four Bean Salad,  
Waldorf Salad, Tomato-Cucumber Salad,  
and Hearts of Artichoke Vinaigrette

### SOUP

Cream of Asparagus with Chicken

### ENTREES

Veal Ragout Marengo  
Herb Grilled Chicken with Olives and Feta Cheese  
Pan Seared Mahi Mahi with Pesto  
Seafood Paella  
Linguine with Fine Herbs  
Sauteed Mixed Squash

### DESSERT

Create your own Ice Cream Sundae,  
Selection of Fruit, Cream and Custard Pies, Brownies,  
Cookies, Baklava and Caramel Custard

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# Reciprocal Club Review

By Valerie Davis  
House Committee

The San Diego Yacht Club became a Reciprocal in March of this year as we felt it would be a nice addition for our many members who travel to San Diego.

SDYC was organized in 1886, has been in its present location since 1924. It has a long and distinguished history in the yachting world. It has membership of 1,882, which have included such names as Nicholas Frazee, well known in Honolulu Transpac Race circles, and Dennis Connor of America's Cup fame.

The club is located very conveniently near the airport and downtown in the lovely area of Point Loma, and although it doesn't have overnight accommodations there are many hotels close by.

The Clubhouse itself is very large and attractive and boasts wonderful views in all directions of the yachts and the harbor. There's a heated Olympic-size swimming pool that's open year round from 6 a.m.-11 p.m. They have two lighted tennis courts open from 6 a.m.-10 p.m., and a full fitness center/spa with Jacuzzi and men's and women's saunas. They also have a 576-slip marina that welcomes visiting yachts.

There's a lounge/bar area and a main dining room - with fabulous views - and they are open seven days a week for breakfast, lunch, dinner and Sunday brunch. Attire is casual. Our own OCC member Bill Barnhart and his wife visited the Club in March and had lunch there. He said the "food and service were great and the prices not unreasonable" - and also commented that the clubhouse was very handsome.

If you would like more information you could visit their website at [www.sdy.org/visitor.htm](http://www.sdy.org/visitor.htm). The next time you're in San Diego stop by to have lunch or dinner while enjoying the beautiful surroundings. As usual you will need an introductory card from our Executive Office.



[www.bhfreeland.com](http://www.bhfreeland.com)

Hawaiian landscapes in oil by Betty Hay Freeland

# Backward Glances

By Moana Tregaskis  
Historical Committee

## 39 Years Ago September 1964 Cline Mann, President

Member Dr. Jack Keenan was hard at work "organizing the grand, glorious and terribly social game called rugby. American football is a development of rugby in which one side is allowed undisputed possession of the ball at the moment when it is put in play," he said. "Players may run ahead of the man with the ball to prevent his being tackled. . . play is more systematized and formal" according to Webster's Dictionary, said Keenan.

Two French-born chefs Robert Goueytes, head chef, and George Chermarin, sous chef, have joined the OCC staff. Both were trained in France.

From the Club Manager: In order to prevent accidents caused by surfboards bumping into swimmers in our beach swimming area, those youngsters paddling and playing with surfboards are asked to confine this activity to the area Diamond Head of the red and white Sunfish anchor buoy.

A "Get Acquainted Stag Table" has been established at luncheon. A large round table seating eight to 10 persons, and featuring fast service for businessmen, was designed for new members to meet and eat with other members.

## 30 Years Ago September 1973 Robert W. Guild, President

Jim Caldwell, a good friend of long distance swimmer Dr. Harry Huffaker, took off one Sunday morning at 5:30 a.m. from Lipoa Point on Maui and made his way in five hours and 20 minutes to the shores of Molokai. Jim outlasted his escort boat that broke down in the closing yards of the swim. Jim is probably the first distance swimmer who has had to complete his swim and then call the

Coast Guard to rescue his escort boat.

The *Outrigger* magazine published copies of the menus for the Royal Hawaiian and Moana Hotels in 1933 before OCC was affluent enough to have its own dining room (1940). Lunches were \$1, dinner \$1.50 and nothing ala carte was more than 70-cents.

Alongside the menus a picture of Waikiki Beach fronting the OCC just 30 years ago (1943), showed the barbed wire entanglements "meant to retard expected invaders."

The shiny *Kakina* canoe had a full day's workout at Keehi Lagoon in August at the Oahu Championships. OCC took third in regatta points with 34, following winning Healan with 55 points and second place Kailua with 47.

Not all of the canoe races this summer have been in the water. The refurbishing of the Club's prime racing canoe has been a race against time. Barely ready for the Leeward Regatta and paddled with wet paint and much work ahead, the *Kakina* presented quite a contrast to her usual sleek appearance.

In the two weeks between races, a transformation took place. Many of the paddlers pitched in and laboriously hand-sanded and put coat after coat of varnish on her beautiful koa hull. The paddlers worked long hours and far into the night, right up to the eve of the Oahu Championships.

At midnight, there were five or six people putting on the finishing touches. Brant Ackerman, with much assistance, painted racing stripes the length of the gunwales. Wally Young hand-lettered *Kakina* in beautiful script. Race morning brought more last minute preparations as Mark Buck and several paddlers gave the hull a final wet sanding.



# Paddlers Hold Annual Banquet

Photos by Pam Davis

Outrigger paddlers enjoyed their annual Awards Banquet, July 28, with a Club BBQ and lots of awards.

Head Coach Anthony Hunt presented the 2003 Outrigger's Unnecessary Though Entertaining Yearly (OUTEY) Awards to the following:

## Best Crew Involvement

Besides being automatically volunteered by their coach for various beach responsibilities, this crew pitched in by carrying coolers, picking up rubbish and rigging canoes and holding boats. For their eagerness to help and their example to the entire Club of what it means to be a "complete paddler", the Boys 15s and their coach received the 2003 OUTEY.

## Most Inspirational Performance

One particular set of paddlers impressed week after week much to the dismay of other club's more experienced crews. For their tenacity and ability to smoke other crews even if they were in lane 10, we are proud to give the 2003 OUTEY to Alicia Arnott, Brooke Perry, Kai Bourne, Amy Lawson and Sarah Rosa.

## Best Crew Team Spirit

If you were at the Macfarlane Regatta, choosing the winner of this award is a no-brainer. For the hours they spent making the beach's wildest hat wear and reminding us that paddling can be fun, win or lose, we give the 2003 OUTEY to the Girls 13s.

## Most Significant Bailout

Only a few were aware that two weeks before the first regatta, we were in need of a major bailout. For his willingness and exceptional job with the Open Women's Program on such late notice, we are happy and grateful to present the 2003 OUTEY to John Puakea.

## Best Grinds Contribution

This year, there was a significant push to get paddlers and their families to stay and enjoy a portion of the day. This was accomplished by the Club supplying the BBQ and members bringing whatever they wanted to grill. From veggie skewers to teriyaki burgers and marinated mushrooms, we are all better for having learned the art of BBQ from Vaima Philpotts, our 2003 OUTEY winner.

## Golden Garbage Bag

Often seen starting the BBQ up, collecting trash from around the OCC tent and making sure that everyone had something to eat, this paddler was an example to everyone of what it means to be a team player. This OUTEY award went to Matt Delaney.

## Celebrex Award

Besides the crews that he coaches doing well, and helping us bring home the Oahu championship, he also managed to help paddle his way to a Gold medal. This is particularly unique given that his last gold medal winning performance was more than a decade ago. With that in mind, we were happy to give this OUTEY to Steve Van Lier Ribbink.

## Team Light Weight

With a mean weight of 55 pounds, this crew was always outweighed by their boat by more than 100 pounds. For paddling their hearts out and none of them being blown out of the boat at the Waimanalo Regatta, this OUTEY went to the Girls 12s.

## Unique Rigging

When it comes to the Open and Novice Men's programs, most of the guys consider the time trial training to be the pinnacle of difficulty. Fighting the volatile elements is usually a sufficient challenge for most, but one paddler decided to raise the level of difficulty to a new standard. For his successful completion of a big triangle with his ama rigged on the right side of the boat, we gave this OUTEY to Taio Shipman.

## Best Individual Team Spirit

Team Spirit comes in many different forms and can be seen by someone doing something to urge the team on or disrupting the competition. This particular team member was largely found to be cheering up the paddlers around him. This award was given to Norton Hendricks.

## Most Valuable Contribution to Science

This year's best Ala Wai tale involved a staph infection you wouldn't wish on your worst enemy. For his good sense of humor, ability to handle the ribbing, newfound placement of ice packs and involvement in Ala Wai R&D, this OUTEY goes to Bjorn German.



John Puakea



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# Paddlers Win OHCRA Regatta, 3rd in Kaupiko

Photos by George Wessberg

Outrigger paddlers captured the Oahu Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association championship on July 20, after finishing third in the John D. Kaupiko Regatta on July 13.

In beautiful conditions at Keehi Lagoon, Club crews won nine races en route to scoring 75 points for the Oahu championship. Kailua, the winner of two regattas this season, tallied 73 points and seven race victories to come in second. Hui Lanakila also won seven races but finished four points back with 69 points. Lanikai, the winner in six previous regattas, amassed 62 points.

"It takes us awhile to get everybody going, get everybody focused. When we finally do, we perform well," Outrigger coach Anthony Hunt told the *Honolulu Advertiser*. "We're going to try to do better next year. If we could win at the beginning of the year, we'd do it. We try every week, but there's just something about us." Outrigger has captured seven of the last nine Oahu championships.

After the first 16 races, Outrigger was in fourth place, 12 points behind the regatta leader with 23 points. But Hunt said that the upper division programs turned the tide for Outrigger. Six of the nine race victories came from the adults.

The freshmen men started the comeback by winning their race by a second. From there, Outrigger took second in the next two events, before sweeping the junior men's and women's races.

The senior men completed the afternoon assault with a 13-second victory over Hui Nalu. Outrigger actually won 10 races but was later disqualified in event 33, the 55 mixed, after video replay showed the crew had outside assistance at the beginning of the race. The infraction reduced the final margin of victory but did not change the outcome. It was Outrigger's only disqualification of the day.



Coach Anthony Hunt and the victorious Girls 14 crew.



Girls 12 coaches Tiare Finney and Paula Crabb.

## John D. Kaupiko Regatta July 13, 2003 • At Keehi Lagoon

### Team standings

Division AA: 1. Kailua, 78. 2. Hui Lanakila, 67. 3. Outrigger, 65. 4. Lanikai, 52. 5. Hui Nalu, 45. 6. Keahiakahoe, 28. 7. Healani, 27.

### Winning OCC Crews

Girls 16: Hallie Van Lier Ribbink, Ginger Lunt, Kellen Fletcher, Sarah Harris, Dena Cassella, Meleana Carr, 4:23.45.

Boys 18: Darragh O'Carroll, Patrick Moore, Makena Carr, Jared Watumull, Tanner Go, Billy Lawson, 7:36.82.

Junior Women: Traci Phillips, Paula Crabb, Malia Kamisugi, Lisa Livingston, Ine Miller, Missy Mowat, 8:55.85.

Senior Women: Mary Smolenski, Paula Crabb, Donna Kahakui, Traci Phillips, Jennifer Horner, Kisi Haine, 13:13.62.

Senior Men: Tim Twigg-Smith, Jim Austin, Mike Beyer, Jeff Brown, Jim Beaton, Scott Hendricks, 11:19.99.

Masters Men: Eric Levora, Walter Guild, Karl Heyer IV, Marc Haine, Tommy Damon, Todd Bradley, 7:28.15.

Senior Master Men: Doug Bechert, Bill Bright, Steve Van Lier Ribbink, Jimmy Kincaid, Mark Buck, Aka Hemmings, 4:01.27.

Golden Masters Women: Susan Heitzman, Pam Zak, Barbara Bryan, Maureen Kilcoyne, Keanuene Rochlen, Sandra Simons, 5:23.81.

## OHCRA Championships July 20, 2003 • At Keehi Lagoon

### Team standings

Division AA: 1. Outrigger, 75. 2. Kailua, 73. 3. Hui Lanakila, 69. 4. Lanikai, 62. 5. Hui Nalu, 45. 6. Keahiakahoe, 30. 7. Healani, 21.

### Winning OCC Crews

Girls 14: Jessica Cleghorn, Amanda Harris, Jessica Lunt, Abbie Lin, Noelle Fowler, Amy Wessberg, 2:08.10.

Girls 16: Halli Van Lier Ribbink, Ginger Lunt, Kellen Fletcher, Sarah Harris, Dena Cassella, Meleana Carr 4:22.03.

Boys 18: Peter Van Lier Ribbink, Cutter Rolles, Robby Field, Kapono Brown, Darragh O'Carroll, Billy Lawson, 7:36.82.

Junior Men: Tim Twigg-Smith, Jim Austin, Jim Beaton, Jeff Brown, Mike Beyer, Scott Hendricks, 7:03.73.

Junior Women: Traci Phillips, Paula Crabb, Lisa Livingston, Malia Kamisugi, Ine Miller, Missy Mowat, 8:28.75.

Senior Women: Mary Smolenski, Lisa Livingston, Malia Kamisugi, Traci Phillips, Donna Kahakui, Kisi Haine, 13:05.92.

Open 4 Women: Sarah Rosa, Amy Lawson, Alicia Arnott, Kai Bourne, 4:49.49.

Mixed Masters: Laurie Lawson, Rina Pan, Linda Fernandez, Jim Cavanah, Keoni Kino, Marc Haine, 4:04.18.

Mixed Golden Masters: Ann Bowen, Maureen Kilcoyne, Patty Mowat, Mike Clifford, Mike Town, John Finney, 4:35.16.

# A Romp Through the Swamp

By Katy Bourne

The OCC Mud Slingers team began the adventure on Saturday, July 26 at 5 a.m. with a call from Captain Clayton saying, "It's raining so hard I can't see, and there's thunder and lightning everywhere. I responded, "Do you truly think it will be called off due to swamp conditions?"

Our team of Linda Fernandez, Jen McTigue, Scott LaRue, Clayton Chee, Matt Kresser and Katy Bourne, took off from a field on Kaneohe Marine Base at 7:30 a.m. prepared for battle.

Jen gave us a pre-race briefing of how her mate Tommy had drilled her on belly crawling under barbed wire which I realized was valuable information when I

was told my "sweet — would be shot off if it rose up one more time."

Matt arrived with weather proof motor cross pants, cowboy boots and a bright sparkling white OCC running team top. Amid a field of hundreds of Marines in camouflage attire and military boots, Matt received a barrage of greetings.

Luckily Scott had duct tape to tape the bottom of everyone's pants, leaving Matt to carry all the mud and water his pants could hold. Scott had all the right attire down to the hair cut and cleared his path showing his officers training had paid off.

Linda smiled the whole way in disbelief after crawling into dozens of mud holes and tunnels, running

through sand, being catapulted over a 10-foot wall, being shot at, fire-hosed, jumping over logs and ocean swimming with her now 80-pound fancy boots.

Jen found her pace and although she was smaller than anyone out there, she wiggled past the Marines like they were standing still. Her training in the living room under Tom's strict supervision paid off.

Not all OCC running team events are as grueling as the Swamp Romp. Keep your eyes open for upcoming events posted in the Tunnel on the runner's board. All sign-ups are located at the Front Desk. No experience is needed and all levels are welcome. The next big event is the beautiful Hana Relays in September. Don't miss the fun.



# Henry Ayau Long Distance Race, September 14

By Gerry DeBenedetti

Henry Keawe Ayau has a canoe and a canoe race named for him, and very likely most everyone knows who he was, but not all do, and many don't know that he got his athletic beginnings in baseball.

Henry was "discovered" playing elementary school baseball on Molokai. Born in 1940 to Henry Keawe and Mabel Duvauchelle Ayau, he was a real country boy, raised on the Ho'olehua Homestead.

Because of his talent on the field, several private Oahu schools wanted his power plays for their baseball team. He received a full baseball scholarship as a pitcher and hitter at Punahou. In addition he played football, basketball, and track.

He first paddled on Molokai for a 12 and under crew. Also, as a child he began spearfishing and free diving.

Henry became a member of the OCC when he married member Cynthia Belle Ames. Together they had four children, and Henry was hanai father to a fifth child who took his name and was his child in spirit. He was also a mentor and role model to many OCC keiki.

Henry became involved in surfing and paddling with OCC in 1966. He paddled in annual regatta seasons, completed 31 Molokai crossings, and was on six winning crews. He was a mainstay of the OCC softball and slow pitch ball teams that play their games in Kapiolani Park.

Serving on almost every OCC Committee, he was active in putting on the Club Luau every year. He was elected to the Board of Directors in 1992 and was elected to the Wined "O" in 1983.

One of his proudest accomplishments was to help rejuvenate the Hui Nalu Canoe Club and Hawaiian Warriors Club. With three friends he started the Hui Lanakila Club.

During the last three years of Duke Kahanamoku's life, Henry

saw him on a daily basis. Serving as his companion, he traveled with Duke, and promoted the Duke line of apparel. He worked as a host at the Duke Kahanamoku Night Club in the International Market Place when Don Ho got his start. He was with Duke when he had his stroke at the Waikiki Yacht Club.

One of Henry's favorite Duke stories is about an U.S. Surfing Championship in Long Beach, on a completely flat surf day. As Duke and Henry walked the beach and people recognized Duke, they began chanting "Duke, Duke" and as they walked the beach, the surf began to rise, and the competition began.

On one trip to San Diego for a World Surfing Championship Banquet, Duke was supposed to be a guest speaker, but became too tired and said to Henry, "Boy, you go talk." And Henry spoke for Duke.

With his dark Hawaiian good looks, he was often featured in the Logo Shop clothing ads in the Outrigger magazine. He also appeared in many commercials and was recognized as a kind, friendly, good man who said hello to everyone, and brightened your day with his big smile and a plumeria tucked behind his ear.

Henry was found floating off shore in front of the Elks Club in 2002. He was free diving. At 60 years old, he left us too soon. His funeral was the start of donations to fund a long distance canoe race in his name, and OCC named a new canoe for him.

*Editor's Note: The above information was taken from a 1997 OCC Oral History given by Henry Ayau to a member of the Historical Committee. The reader should be aware that an oral history portrays the information as recalled. It may contain impressions that are not factual. The OCC magazine plans to periodically print portions of Oral Histories for the benefit of the membership. Comments are welcome.*

## Extra Innings

The Outrigger Canoe Club Softball team is off to a strong start with a 2-0 record in the Leahi League Summer Softball League after taking runner-up honors to Go Deep in the Leahi Spring League. OCC tied for second in the Spring with The Masters, led by OCC's own Bill Kilcoyne. Bill is also the commissioner of the Leahi League.

A come-from-behind win over the Swat Team was highlighted by back-to-back-to-back doubles by Jim McAluney, Jim Cavanah and Chris Siegfried in the last inning.

McAluney turned in two sparkling plays in left field taking home runs away from the Swat Team with incredible over-the-shoulder running catches. But McAluney will be the first to admit it was a routine fly ball he dropped that turned into four unearned runs for the opposition.

McAluney, Cavanah, Siegfried and James Weaver led OCC with three

hits apiece. McAluney and Siegfried crushed long home runs. Cavanah and Weaver had two triples each. Jimmy Austin helped out with a couple of hits and played tough behind the plate. Cavanah continues to amaze everyone with his Brooks Robinson spectacular imitations at third base. Nothing gets by the former California Bear.

OCC came out swinging against Wise Guys the previous week with a 13-6 shelling. The hot sticks included Mike Miranda, Paki Vaughan, Scooter Martinez, David Dyas, McAluney, Siegfried, Cavanah, Weaver and Austin. Siegfried and Cavanah crushed the long bombs.

The summer league continues through September. OCC hopes to take back the title from Go Deep, but with strong league play from all the teams, it will be a long road to the championship. Thanks for supporting your team.

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# Surfing News

By Terri Needels  
Surfing Committee

The beginning of the summer brought great waves to the south shore week after week. The great conditions seemed to bring out all the members (and their kids) who had ever thought of learning how to surf. Many came down to the Club to try out the sport. The OCC Surfing Committee sponsored a series of free "Learn to Surf Clinics" for two hours on Saturdays.

The turnout was overwhelming—at least 15 plus novices participated in every clinic. One Saturday more than 25 people were eagerly hoping to join in the fun. Despite a limit on the number of surfboards available, everyone was creative and managed to get a turn out in the surf.

The committee put in a frantic call to OCC member Hans Hedemann who generously loaned the Club several boards and an instructor. Once the boards were obtained, the groups rotated through three stations on the beach where they learned the parts of the board, how to paddle and turn the board around, how to stand up, and how to be safe in the ocean. Everyone then paddled out to the Silver Stairs and Tongg's surf spots to apply their new skills. The participants seemed to get the hang of it quickly and were seen riding in wave after wave.

Many thanks to Kisi Haine who organizes the clinics year after year and the volunteer instructors: Terri Needels, Wendy Wickman, Liz Perry, Laurie Lawson, Chris Moore, and Flash Dubiel.



Members line up for the Learn to Surf Clinic.



Junior Surf Team members are Judy Gronna, Brooke Hunter, Jake Hunter, Jenna Frowein and Terri Needels, Surf Committee Chair.

## Outdoor Movie Night at the Outrigger Canoe Club, October 4

The Entertainment Committee will show the hour-long documentary about the life of Rell Sunn, titled *Heart of the Sea* on Saturday, October 4, which is the weekend between the Women's and the Men's Molokai Canoe Races.

A Club BBQ will begin at 6 p.m., and the movie will be shown on the beach when it gets dark.

The Entertainment Committee will be working with the Surfing Committee to put this event on. We look forward to making this a successful event for the Club and an enjoyable event for the membership.

### Rell Sunn Movie

Remember to save October 4th to view the inspirational documentary about Rell Sunn's life. A large screen will be set up on the sand at the Club so viewers can enjoy a BBQ followed by the movie after dusk.

**For the Record:** Check out these wins by OCC Surf Team riders:

Ezekiel/Local Motion Surf into Summer May 24-26th  
Longboard Women: Amy Lawson, 2nd Place

U.S. Federation of Surfing National Championships, Oceanside, CA, June 2003  
Body boarding Senior Men: William Lawson Sr., 3rd Place  
Short boarding Girls: Amy Lawson, 5th Place

NSSA National Championships, Oceanside, California, June 2003  
Menehune Short board (10 & Under Boys & Girls): Carissa Moore, 3rd Place

Hawaii Long board Federation Steinlager Series, Event # 2: Kewalo Basin  
Jr. Wahine Longboard: Amy Lawson, 1st Place

Hawaii Longboard Federation Steinlager Series, Ala Moana Bowls July 20, 2003  
Jr. Wahine Longboard: Geodee Clark, 3rd Place  
Jr. Wahine Longboard: Amy Lawson, 6th Place

Honolua Wahine Surf Meet, Lahaina, Maui, July 12 - 13, 2003  
Girls 14 - 17 Longboard: Geodee Clark 5th Place

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## Mitchell Wins Cline Mann Koolaupoko Paddleboard Race

Jamie Mitchell of Australia captured the 2003 Cline Mann Koolaupoko Paddleboard Race from Makai Pier to the OCC Beach on June 27.

Outrigger's Victor Hemmy III and Dolan Eversole placed first and second in the Stock Board Division.

### Cline Mann 2003 Koolaupoko Paddleboard Race June 27, 2003 Makai Pier to OCC

Overall	Name	Time	Place
1.	Jamie Mitchell	2:16:44	1st, Overall
2.	Mick DiBetta	2:26:45	2nd, Overall
3.	Matthew Dubrule	2:29:35	3rd, Overall
4.	Chris Owens	2:29:38	1st, Unlimited, Masters
5.	Vic Hemmy III*	2:33:51	1st, Stock, 39&U
6.	Anthony Cambra	2:34:33	1st, Unlimited 39&U
7.	Dolan Eversole*	2:34:58	2nd, Stock, 39&U
8.	Gregory Quinn	2:35:36	2nd, Unlimited, Masters
9.	Matthew Sack	2:36:04	3rd, Stock, 39&U
10.	Matt Barnett	2:36:23	3rd, Unlimited, Masters
11.	George Ramos	2:36:44	4th, Unlimited Masters
12.	Bill Taylor	2:37:49	4th, Stock, 39&U
13.	Todd Bradley/ Buzzy Kerbox*	2:37:58	1st, Team
14.	Doug Lock	2:38:30	2nd, Unlimited, 39&U
15.	Eric Abbott/ Mikey Cote*	2:39:13	2nd, Team
16.	Gernando Cunha	2:41:56	3rd, Unlimited, 39&U
17.	Dennis Park	2:43:00	1st, Stock, 40+
18.	Blair Thorndike	2:45:02	2nd, Stock, 40+
19.	Billy Balding*	2:46:02	5th, Stock, 39&U
20.	Bob Rocheleau/ Andrew Glatzel*	2:46:27	3rd, Team
21.	Jack Gillen	2:49:30	3rd, Stock, 40+
22.	Brad Akeo/ Ian MacDonald	2:50:03	4th, Team
23.	Kanesa Duncan	2:50:40	1st, Women
24.	Buddy Shepherd	2:50:46	5th, Unlimited, Masters
25.	Michael Cheape	2:51:35	4th, Stock, 40+
26.	Kenny Rust	2:52:27	5th, Stock, 40+
27.	Ilikea Handley/ Kalai Ahuna	2:56:01	5th, Team
28.	Mark Eugenio	2:56:25	6th, Stock, 40+
29.	Clark Abbey	2:56:28	6th, Unlimited, Masters
30.	Bodo Van der Leeden	2:56:32	7th, Stock, 40+
31.	Rick Williams	3:05:28	8th, Stock, 40+
32.	Asher Eisenpres/ Jason Ciletti	3:07:59	6th, Team
33.	Richard Davison	3:10:19	6th, Stock, 39&U
34.	Eric Olson	3:29:40	7th, Stock, 39&U
35.	Anthony Selwyn	3:41:27	4th, Unlimited, 39&U

\* OCC member

## For the Record

### Triathlon

Tinman Triathlon

July 13, 2003

800-meter swim, 40-K bike,  
10K run

Katherine Nichols, 2nd, Open, 1:59

Candes Gentry, 1st, 25-29, 2:04:17

Twain Newhart, 2:12:44

Jan Newhart, 1st, 75-79, 3:42:02

### Swimming

Surf & Sea Cup

July 12, 2003

1.2 mile swim

Twain Newhart :28:33

Bonnie Eyre, 1st, 70-74, :44:06

Cholos North Shore Swim

July 26, 2003

Twain Newhart :31:54

### Paddleboard

Quicksilveredition Molokai to  
Oahu Paddleboard Race

July 27, 2003

Brian Rocheleau, 2nd, Elite Open,  
5:44:06

Jimmy Austin/Todd Bradley, 2nd,

Men's Team 60-69 Stock, 6:08:14

Victor Hemmy III/Greg Quinn, 3rd,

Men's Team, 60-69 Stock, 6:13:43

Buzzy Kerbox/Philip Binney, 3rd,

Team Men's 80-99 Stock, 6:14:22

## OCC Golfers Challenged the Kalakaua Golf Course

By Phil Sevier

It was a great golf day at Kalakaua Golf Course on July 29 when 15 OCC Golfers competed in an OCC mini golf tournament.

The weather was perfect and the course was in great shape.

Team Captains Bob and Judy Maguire arranged the details assisted by handicap chairman Strat Whiting who kept the numbers honest. Mahalo for a job well done!

New member Brad Yosaitis (age 13) won the low net prize with Frank Kingery and Phil Sevier also winning low net prizes. Bob Yosaitis (Brad's father and a golf coach) won the low gross prize while Jim Growney, Bill Tetmeyer, Strat Whiting and Bob Allin won the cash awards

for closest to the pin on the par three holes.

2003 has indeed been a memorable year for those of us who have participated in our golf tournaments this year. Your support has been wonderful!

Please note our next two tournaments will be:

- September 10, at the Links at Turtle Bay
- October 3, Navy Marine Golf Course

Sign up at the Front Desk if you want to play. If you would like to be on the OCC Golfers email list leave your email address at the Front Desk.

We're looking forward to having all you golfers come out and join in the fun.





Trish Kertes "Joseph's Coat"  
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# New Winged "O" Charlie Jenkins



Ron Sorrell presents Charlie Jenkins his Winged "O" plaque.

By Genie Kincaid

During the Annual Meeting on February 24, 2003, three members were inducted into the Winged "O", Outrigger Canoe Club's honorary group of members who have distinguished themselves in athletics. This is the third in a series of articles recognizing the achievements of these three members.

Just before it was announced that Charlie Jenkins was to be a 2003 inductee into the Winged "O", Ron Sorrell recalled a time three decades ago when the defending champion Punahou team he coached played a "small and unimpressive" St. Louis squad.

Although Punahou managed a win, St. Louis "had one talented player that near single-handedly beat Punahou . . . this kid scared the pants off me," recalled Sorrell. After the match was over, he approached Charlie Jenkins and immediately recruited him to play for the Outrigger.

Since Jenkins joined the Outrigger, he has contributed in putting the Club on the volleyball map. Along with fellow teammates and Winged "O"s like Jon Stanley and Chris Crabb, he has garnered numerous awards and honors over the past 25 years, including dozens of national volleyball titles, first team All-American recognition, and most valuable player titles. Not much has changed these days as Jenkins continues to compete for the Club in the Senior Men's 50 Division of the USA Open Volleyball Championships.

He's still winning, still most valuable.

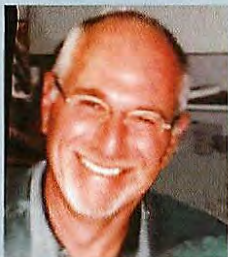
## New Members



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Avery A. Solmssen

Stuart T. Feeley  
Regular

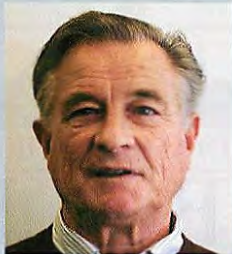
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# Meet Your Committees

Photos by Nora Meijide



## Long Range Planning Committee

Tom MacDonald, Chuck McCrary, Bob Dewitz, Gordon Smith. Not pictured: Larry Johnson, Jakob Vaughan, Buzz Loden, Tim Guard, Keith Steiner, Susan Merrill.



## Historical Committee

Seated: Tay Perry, Mazeppa Costa, Carol Remillard, Beth Madinger, Marjorie Moore. Standing: William Barnhart, Tiare Richert-Finney, Coordinating Director; Moana McGlaughlin-Tregasis, Joan Pratt, Michael McCabe, Ruth Hakuole. Not pictured: Paul Dolan, Corinne Shulman.



## Public Relations Committee

Seated: Chris Siegfried, Nora Meijide, Trudy Wyatt, Gerri Pedesky, Sue Tetmeyer, Coordinating Director; Myrna Murdoch. Standing: Phil Sevier, Aubrey Hawk, Chris Hochuli, Jon Bryan, Chair; Gerry DeBenedetti, Marilyn Kali.

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Chadwick L. Cupp  
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Alice Cross  
Deceased: July 20, 2003  
Member: 30 Years

Richard Gray  
Deceased: July 21, 2003  
Member: 24 Years

Mae J. Dey  
Deceased: July 23, 2003  
Member: 53 Years

# Employee of the Month



Kitchen Expediter Garret Nakamura is our Employee of the Month, and well you might ask, "What is a Kitchen Expediter?"

Garret is the guy that makes sure your plate looks like the Chef meant it to look with the right garnish, the right portion, and even the right contents. He is the FINAL checkpoint, and when you see your plate you say "OOOO that looks so good!" Thank you Garret.

Food and Beverage Management compliments Garret for being responsible, having foresight, getting his supplies ready,

and just knowing what to do without being told. As you know, that kind of quality is what we need.

Although only at OCC for nine months, he says working here is a joy because people respect his opinions and everyone is so professional.

A Kaimuki High grad, he is a local boy. He says he prefers Harry Potter and reading to massive exercise programs. Garret is 30, single and looking.

He believes the Friday seafood specials are the best bet, so keep that in mind.

# Board Briefs

Board Briefs is taken from the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting on June 26, 2003 and the Executive Committee meeting on June 12, 2003.

**Vice President Operations:** All schematics and related plans for OCC 2C have been reviewed by the ARC and Building and Grounds Committees and their concerns relating to the Ossipoff design were addressed and satisfactorily answered. The architectural renderings, a view of the Club from the beach, the Front Entry, and the Bar were presented to the Board.

**Treasurer's Report:** For the benefit of Board members having joined the Board after 2001, the treasurer did a brief summary describing the beginnings of the OCC 2C project, (formerly called the Master Plan), and bringing it to its present status. He quoted from an Executive Meeting Minutes dated July 12, 2001 as follows: "Accordingly it was resolved that the Board is in favor of proceeding in a prudent manner with the implementation, funding, and completion of the Master Plan"... Mr. Marshall then addressed the subject of debt financing for Clubs. In so doing he made reference to several excerpts from the Management Letter compiled by PricewaterhouseCoopers (The Club's Auditor) as part of the Club's December 31, 2002 audit. In this Management Letter, the Auditors made reference to a national club survey and highlighted some items as follows:

- "The Survey indicated that 97% of the clubs surveyed (over 200) utilize some debt financing to fund club

improvements. To date, the Club has been able to balance its working capital and Club improvement needs without the need for debt financing."

- "The Club's average income available for debt service, capital improvements, etc. as a percentage of revenues was 17.0% for fiscal year 2002 as compared to survey results of 14.1% for all city clubs and only 10.7% for city clubs with over 700 members."

**Secretary's Report:** Four members were suspended for 15 days for being delinquent in their accounts three times in a year.

**General Manager's Report:** There was a net loss from operations of \$17,892 for May. . . the Board approved allowing the General Manager to utilize the Koa Lanai Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday excluding holidays for private parties, prior notice to the membership that the particular dates would be reserved for private parties. A second motion was made and approved to withdraw the first motion with the proviso that the House Committee consider the proposal and make a recommendation to the Board.

**Admissions & Membership Report:** The membership count was 4,646 as of May 31, 2003.

**Long Range Planning Report:** The Long Range Planning Committee drafted a proposed revision to the quotas and guidelines presently in place to address the fact that the Regular Membership and Junior Parent non-member categories presently exceed their quotas. The draft proposal also recommended an increase in initiation fees for the Regular Membership category. The

Admissions & Membership Committee questioned revising the quotas at this time and requested additional information on the background of the quotas and initiation fees before rendering any type of opinion on the proposed revisions. A member of the Long Range Planning Committee will attend the next Admissions & Membership Committee meeting to provide historical information on the quotas and initiation fees presently in place.

**House Report:** The House Committee recommends and the Board approved reciprocity with The Lotos Club.

**Finance Report:** Wendell Brooks reported that the Finance Committee recommended and the Board of Directors approved exchanging the shares of the T. Rowe Price International Stock Fund for the T. Rowe Price International Growth & Income Fund instead of the Templeton Institutional Foreign Equity Fund. The change was necessitated by the fact that the Templeton Institutional Foreign Equity Fund minimum investment was higher than that contemplated by the Club




**Athletic Report:** The Board reviewed and approved \$600 from the miscellaneous line item in the athletic budget for Robbie Farrow and Keegan Edwards to participate in the World Longboard Tour in Europe from June 30-August 30, 2003

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<b>7</b> BRUNCH 8:30am  Evening Buffet Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>8</b> Noon Bridge Hau Terrace Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>9</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>10</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>11</b> Lunch & Dinner Service  <b>LIVE MAINE LOBSTER</b> Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>12</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>13</b> Hau Terrace Lunch  <b>CLUB LUAU</b>
<b>14</b> BRUNCH 8:30am  Evening Buffet Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>15</b> Noon Bridge Hau Terrace Lunch <b>Family Buffet HT &amp; Koa Lanai 6pm</b>	<b>16</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>17</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>18</b> Lunch & Dinner Service 	<b>19</b> Lunch & Dinner Service 	<b>20</b> Hau Terrace Lunch <b>Arnaud's Cooking Class</b> Hapa Folk 7pm Dinner Service 
<b>21</b> BRUNCH 8:30am  Evening Buffet Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>22</b> Noon Bridge Hau Terrace Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>23</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>24</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>25</b> Lunch & Dinner Service  <b>LIVE MAINE LOBSTER</b> Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>26</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>27</b> Hau Terrace Lunch Dinner Service  <b>Club BBQ 6pm</b>
<b>28</b> BRUNCH 8:30am  Evening Buffet Koa Lanai 6pm	<b>29</b> Noon Bridge Hau Terrace Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>30</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	10 Full Moon 13 Hana Relays 14 Henry Ayau Memorial Race Outrigger Distance races 7, 14 18-19-20 Jellyfish window 28 Na Wahine O Ke Kai			

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<b>5</b> BRUNCH 8:30 AM  Evening Buffett KOA LANAI 6 PM	<b>6</b> Noon Bridge Hau Terrace Lunch & Dinner Service  <b>Wine Tasting 6pm</b>	<b>7</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>8</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>9</b> Lunch & Dinner Service  <b>LIVE MAINE LOBSTER</b> KOA LANAI 6pm	<b>10</b> Lunch & Dinner Service	<b>11</b> Hau Terrace Lunch Dinner Service  <b>High Tea 2pm</b>
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