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Harry Huffaker's Tri-Island Swim

Dr. Harry Huffaker, who successfully swam the Molokai Channel in both directions, made a daring attempt to swim from Lanai to Maui and finally to Molokai on September 28 to raise money for the Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation.

Harry completed the first two legs of the swim but half-way through the final leg from Maui to Molokai, he was forced to cancel because of heavy seas and impending darkness.

Harry trained for a year for the swim and made his first attempt in May, 1989. In the first swim, he completed the first leg between Lanai and Maui in 6 hours and 41 minutes, but then had to abort the crossing between Maui and Molokai because a large wave hit him on the back, causing his back to spasm.

He continued his training during June, July and August and finally the weather conditions appeared to be right in September. Harry gathered his support crew on Lanai to begin the incredible journey.

His story was documented by Harry Soukop of the Rotary Club of Waikiki in the following Swim Log, provided to us by Harry.

The Swim Log

September 27, 1989

10:30 p.m.

Lahaina—The kayak is put aboard the support ship, *Pardner*, a sparkling 46-foot ketch of the Cal line, skippered by Captain Duane Dood Taylor.

11:31 p.m.

Lanai—Crew lands on the beach at Lanai.

11:57 p.m.

The support crew and Harry hold hands. A prayer by Ron Hochuli.

September 28, 1989

1:01 a.m.

Harry plunges into the water and soon disappears in the darkness to start his



Harry Huffaker during tri-channel swim.

second attempt to achieve the impossible.

6:36 a.m.

Maui-Lahaina Beach—Harry had completed the first crossing between Lanai to Maui, 13 miles, in 5 hours 35 minutes. Water temperature was 79 degrees. Harry looked OK, but shivering. He ate some fruit; drank chocolate milk; had his legs massaged by Mike Delaney and an ice pack on the back to relieve the muscles.

By comparison, this swim was almost one hour less than last May's attempt. This was a tremendous success and very promising for the next leg.

For most of the night's crossing, Harry was invisible. The exception was during feeding times when Norman Berg would come alongside the support boat in his kayak to bring nourishment for Harry. This had to be done quickly since the lights on his kayak were all that Harry had for reference points while swimming. It was hard enough staying on course when the kayak was nearby. It was very crucial the exchange of food and drink was done quickly.

All though the night, we heard the splashing sound of Harry's hands hitting the water, a sound few of us will ever forget. Forty-eight strokes per minute. No more. No less. The precision of a Swiss watch. We quickly became used to the rhythm and it was comforting to know that Harry was fine

and in full command out there in the dark.

Karl Bathen and Rick Grigg, both oceanographers, were constantly plotting the course; checking the precise route to take to pick up favorable currents as we came closer to Maui.

Then came the surprise. A faint outline of the Maui shore. Above it, Haleakala, hulled in threatening dark, massive clouds. Soon, very soon, we would beach on Maui. As Harry said a while later, "One down. Two to go."

6:55 a.m. Maui-Molokai

Harry was on his way. A good 11 miles. Mike Delaney now was swimming alongside, supporting Harry. Both knew this crossing was the test of endurance. Here was a 56-year-old coach swimming alongside his life-time protege. What a sight! Almost identical strokes; four arms, silhouetting in the glittering sunlight; ploughing through an ocean so blue, in striking harmony, as if directing the endless on-rolling waves.

We started out okay. The water was calm. The forecast: "Variable winds. No chops." The morning light of a rising sun promised a fine day ahead.

However, it was not to be.

8:30 a.m.

The winds pick up, waves 3-5-feet. All now knew it was to be a long, hard crossing. There were several breaks to feed the swimmers. Harry did not respond to most of the calls and wanted to keep going. However, nourishment meant energy. As Ron Hochuli pointed out, it was of great importance to maintain that energy level to avoid dehydration. The hours crept by. Occasionally, Jim Cox would jump into the water to swim alongside Harry and Mike just to render some mental support.

We could not come too close to the swimmers because of the tremendous movement of the water. Tommy Haynes had now taken over the kayak

from Norman Berg who had paddled throughout the night. Haynes also had a hard time staying close to the swimmers. Yet, it was important to keep them on course. By mid-day, it was obvious the weatherman had miscalculated. The weather was not going to ease up. Big swells endlessly battered the swimmers. At times, the whole kayak disappeared from sight.

12:05 p.m.

The decision was made to go straight to Molokai, thereby taking advantage of the currents, instead of drifting off to a more westerly point on shore as originally planned. In retrospect, this may not have been a wise move. Motivated to get the swimmers on shore as fast as possible to bring relief seemed to be the thing to do. As it turned out, the distance to shore was greater than expected. This put an extra burden on the swimmers. Now, they had to swim against the current at times in order to reach the reef opening to the beach.

1:25 p.m Fukoo Beach, Molokai

Swimming time, 6 hours 30 minutes. Later, on the beach, both swimmers admitted this to be the toughest part of the crossing. It had used up a lot of extra energy. Harry was hurting, nevertheless in good spirits. After a massage, a hot drink, an ice pack on the back, some encouraging words of advice from buddy Delaney. It was time for the last crossing. What courage and commitment it took to get back into the water. This time, Mike Spalding of Maui would swim with Harry. Also an excellent swimmer, Mike would give direction to Harry and support him in every way possible.

1:50 p.m.

Off to Lanai. The excitement grew. The expectation and feasibility of a successful swim started to become a good reality. This had never been done before. Nobody had ever swam two crossings and here, Harry was on his third and last channel.

But, there were troubles. By calculation, it would be a six-plus hour swim. This would put Harry on Shipwreck Beach, Lanai, at approximately 8 p.m. in total darkness. Anyone who is familiar with this spot on Lanai knows how treacherous this reef can be. A 400-foot freighter, lying on its side is rusting evidence.

4:15 p.m.

Harry and Mike had reached open sea, six miles off Molokai. The pace was about one mile an hour faster than the first 26 miles. There was a breeze and following seas to help them.

Hours go by. Harry and Mike were still going strong . . . drinking some hot chocolate at each hour. The winds were strong. The swells, high. The chops, nasty. Harry breathes to his left and the spray, if not a whole wave, would blow in his face. His tongue was very swollen by this time.

On board the support ship everything was stowed away as the rocking was tremendous. Nothing could be left on deck or loose. On several occasions, gusts of ocean would spray the entire deck and soak everything.

Despite all of this, there was a sort of routine in the whole thing. Harry kept swimming. Bathen and Grigg kept plotting the course. The skipper was tireless, steering the ship.

The almost peaceful routine came to a sudden end. Tommy Haynes in the kayak, came alongside and shouted to us, "Harry feels he may pass out. he wants to tread water for a while and take a long rest. I will blow the whistle if something occurs."

Harry quickly paddled back to the swimmers.



Dr. Harry Huffaker

OCC Adventurer's Club

Dr. Harry Huffaker will be the speaker at the next meeting of the OCC Adventurer's Club on Wednesday, January 24 at 7 p.m. in the Board Room.

He will show the video "Harry Does Hawaii", a documentary on his tri-island swim in September, 1989.

All Club members are invited to attend.

Although this maneuver had taken less than half a minute, the whole support crew was on deck, instantly, as if called by magic. From that moment everything went rapidly. Mike Delaney and Jim Cox plunged into the ocean to help, if needed. A blitz conference between Karl Bathen, Rick Grigg and Ron Hochuli was held and a decision was made.

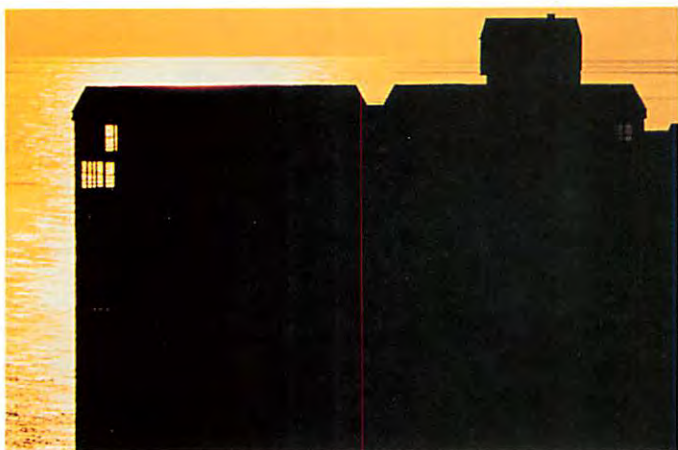
5:13 p.m.

The conference decision was to bring Harry to the inflatable raft and pull him in. Seconds later, Harry was pushed into the raft. This brought an abrupt end of a courageous swim, and year of preparation, hardships and sacrifices, hopes and dreams.

This was a wise decision. The late arrival in darkness at Shipwreck Beach; the sea conditions as they were, prohibiting the kayak and the support ship to be close to the swimmers; Harry's condition, all were factors that led to the wise decision to abort the swim. Harry's safety was at stake and had to be protected at any cost.

Minutes later, Harry was down below and went out like a light . . . after 16 hours 10 minutes of swimming . . . only three hours short of his goal.

Although we all felt somewhat dejected and disappointed, we soon found consolation in the fact that Harry had proven it was swimmable; that he had not failed in his attempt and that no man on earth had ever swam this distance between the three islands. An achievement that can hardly be put into words. 🕒



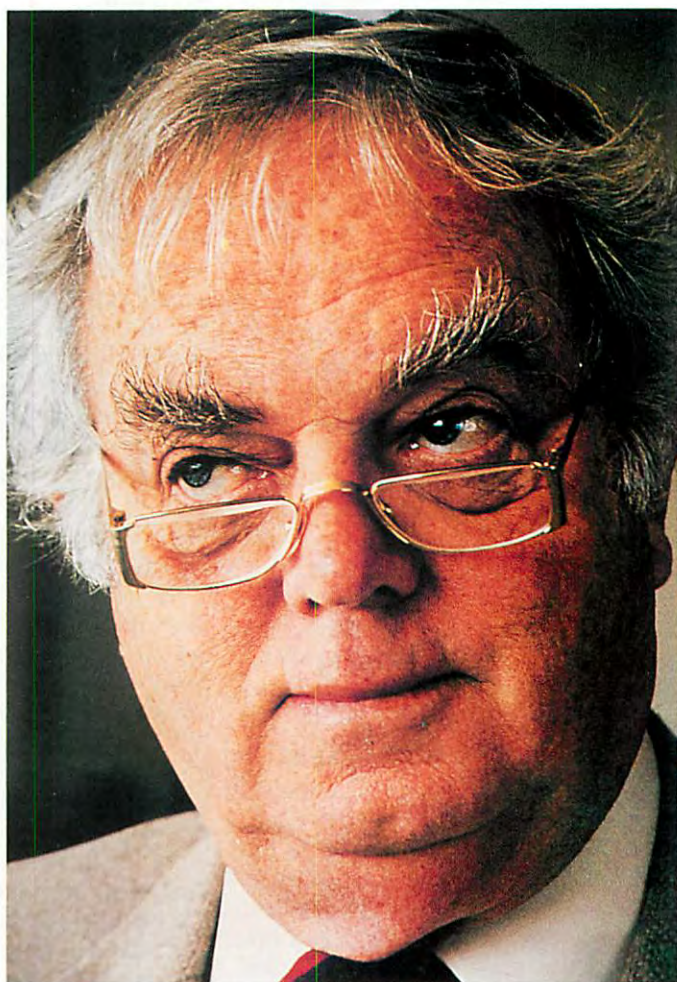
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"The Greeting" by Vicki Hall



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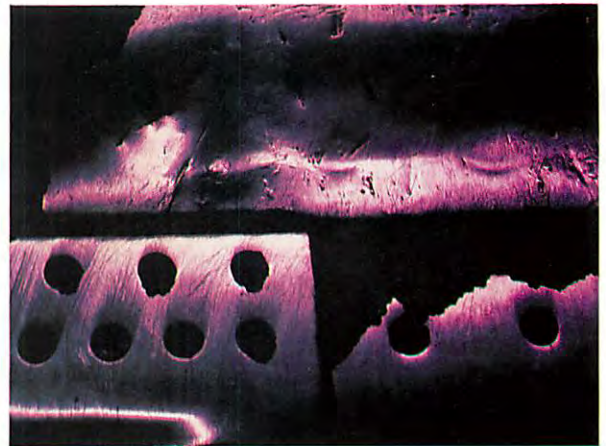
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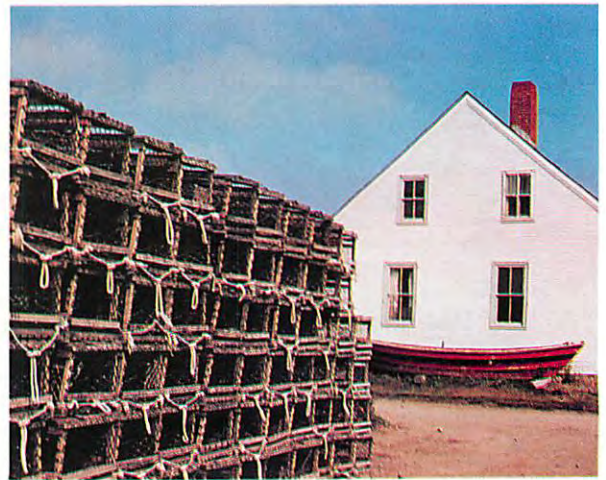
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"Abstract One" by Mark R. Teele



"Purple" by Jill Wojahn



"Lobster Traps, Monhegan Island" by Lloyd B. Osborne

Photo Contest Winners

By Becky Collins

Judging of this year's 7th annual OCC Photo Contest was a tougher job than ever. Not only were the pictures the same high quality we've come to expect, but nearly 75 percent more entries were received than last year.

And because there were so many outstanding pictures in most categories, the judges frequently and earnestly debated the merits of the various pictures in the process of reaching agreement as to which were to be the winners for which prizes.

In the end, they regretted that there weren't more prizes and more space in the Lobby Display Case to exhibit more of the really excellent entries.

Winners of the eight first place \$50 Club credit awards are (in alphabetical order): Tim Guard (two first prizes), Vickie Hall, Jan Newhart, Brodie Spen-

cer (two first prizes), Mark Teele and Richard Wood.

Others, whose pictures placed second or third, include James M. Denny, Keri B. Fernandez, James Gaddis, Gus Kirkpatrick, Katie McCrary, Marjorie Moore, Lloyd Osborne and Jill Wojahn.

Among those awarded honorable mentions and not mentioned before are Clare Burnett, Sheila James and Dr. Pat O'Brien.

In addition, pictures accepted to exhibit, space permitting, include entries by Jolene Chow, Andrea S. Dolan, Kawika Grant, Dale Hope and Elsie Hyde.

Judging the contest were professional photographers Robert Kulesh and William Waterfall, both owners of their own photography studios. The third judge was Outrigger magazine designer Cindy Turner of Turner & deVries Design and Photography.

The judges awarded two first prizes in the Scenics category but did not award first, second or third prizes in the Outrigger Canoe Club category because of the limited number of entries.

Winning pictures will be on display Jan. 2-31 in the Club's Lobby Display Case.

Winners in each category were:

PEOPLE

- 1st Jan Newhart, *Harry*
 2nd Keri B. Fernandez, *Free As a Bird*
 3rd James Gaddis, *Life Is Wonderful*
 Hon. Men. James M. Denny, *Masai Maiden, Kenya*
 Hon. Men. James M. Denny, *Russian Orthodox Service, Moscow*
 Hon. Men. Mark Teele, *Mama-san*
 Hon. Men. Jill Wojahn, *Max*
 Accepted to Exhibit:
 Dale Hope, *Women's Molokai Race*

PLACES

- 1st Richard D. Wood, *Penthouse*
 2nd (tie) Lloyd B. Osborne, *Lobster Traps, Monhegan Island*
 2nd (tie) Brodie Spencer, *War Memorial, Waikiki*
 3rd Jill Wojahn, *Garage Doors*
 Hon. Men. Keri B. Fernandez, *San Quentin*
 Hon. Men. Marjorie Moore, *Arches*
 Hon. Men. Richard D. Wood, *We Have Liftoff*

THINGS

- 1st Mark R. Teele, *Abstract One*
 2nd Jill Wojahn, *Purple*
 3rd Marjorie Moore, *Shadows on the Ceiling*
 Hon. Men. Clare A. Burnett
Bottles on the Balcony
Bottled Shadows
Rooms of the World
 Hon. Men. Sheila James, *Venetian Gondolas II*
 Hon. Men. Jan Newhart, *Thing (Yellow Blossom)*
 Accepted to Exhibit
 Kawika Grant, *Another Day, Isla De Pascua*

SCENICS

- 1st (tie) Tim Guard, *Rebmann Glacier, Mt. Kilimanjaro*
 1st (tie) Brodie Spencer, *Flower Power*
 2nd Richard D. Wood, *Paradise Found*
 Hon. Men. Jan Newhart, *Moon Over Waikiki*
 Hon. Men. Dr. Pat O'Brien, *Avenue Norwegian Fjord*
 Accepted to Exhibit
 Jolene Chow, *Purple Sunset*
 Andrea S. Dolan, *Glassball at Dawn*
 Elsie Hyde, *Moonset Over Lanai*
 Marjorie Moore, *Brilliant Kamani*

CREATURES

- 1st Vicki Hall, *The Greeting*
 2nd Mark R. Teele, *Untitled (bird)*
 3rd James M. Denny, *Superb Starling, Kenya*
 Hon. Men. Tim Guard, *Sunday Stroll*

FUNKY HUMOROUS

- 1st Tim Guard, *Momma's Boy*
 2nd Katie McCrary, *Out on a Limb*
 Hon. Men. Lloyd B. Osborne, *Groucho Osborne*

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- Hon. Men. Jan Newhart, *Twain in Hat*

CLUB DAY PRIZE

- Accepted to Exhibit:
 Jan Newhart, *Twain on Wave*
 Dr. Pat O'Brien, *Gold Coast*

BLACK & WHITE

- 1st Brodie Spencer, *Wings*
 2nd Gus Kirkpatrick, *35-year Star Bulletin Delivery Person*
 3rd Marjorie Moore, *Courtney*
 Hon. Men. Gus Kirkpatrick, *Bikers*
 Hon. Men. Marjorie Moore, *Looking Up*
 Hon. Men. Richard D. Wood, *Determination*

Princess Kaiulani

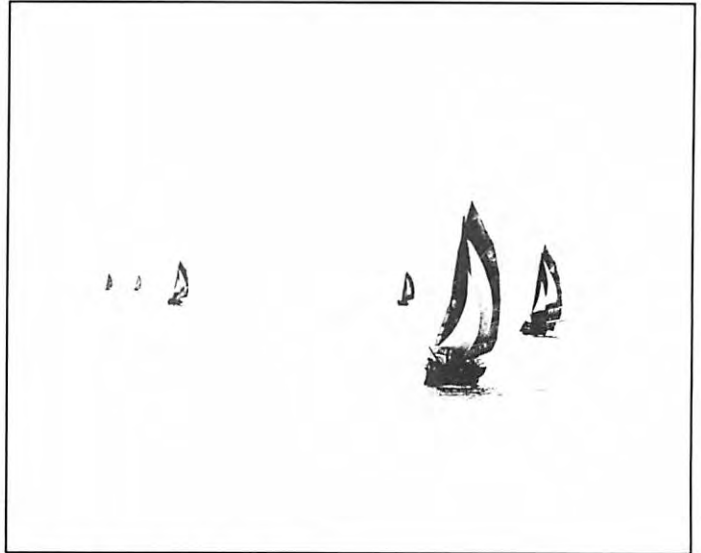


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AS THE TERRACE TURNS

By Mary Machado



Walter Guild, right, director of the Steinlager Hawaiian Canoe and Kayak Championships, presents Gerri Pedesky, center, president of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation, a \$1,000 check on behalf of the Steinlager/New Zealand Breweries. Looking on at left is Olympian Traci Phillips, who has been a recipient of past grants from the Foundation.

Congratulations to **Chris Duplanty**. His UC Irvine water polo team won the NCAA championship title this year by defeating UC Berkeley. A wonderful climax to a great college water polo career for Chris who will be graduating this year. He was a goalie on the U.S. Olympic team in Korea in 1988.

Bob Fischer is now residing at Maunalani Nursing Center. He's in Room 219 and would appreciate phone calls (732-8617) and visits.

David and Stephanie Jenkins hosted a baby luau to celebrate son Trevor's first birthday in October. Club members attending included **Hank, Carolyn and Cannon Lass, and Mike, Yvonne and Travis Haxton**. Entertainment was provided by the Teves Trio and Deana Spencer danced a lovely hula.

Fred Rainey is starting his own design and art direction company in Australia. . . He pens from Down Under that his new secretary at Gourmet Traveller is **Samantha Jones**, daughter of **Fay and Lloyd Jones**.

Nonresident member **Mark Lawson** played on the U.S. volleyball team in the World Masters Games in Denmark



Jim Peterson was honored at his surprise 50th birthday party at the Club by family and friends.

in August. Also in the Games was **Juanita Shaw**, mother of Club member **Randy Shaw**.

Contributions to this column are always welcome. Leave items for the Editor at the Front Desk. Be sure to include your name and phone number in case additional information is needed.

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An autograph party was held at the Club on November 25 for "The Waikiki Beach Boy". Shown purchasing a book were Mary and Don Machado. Signing autographs were Sarge Kahanamoku and author Grady Timmons. Proceeds from the book benefit the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation. Copies of the book are available at the Beach Shop for \$25.

Golf Chips From the 19th Hole

By Frank E. Walton

Thirty-nine persons attended the annual Golf Awards Banquet at the Club on November 9. Kaneohe course pro Chuck Larson and his wife, and Hickam starter Stephanie Dasenwbrock and her husband were guests of the Golf Committee.

Golf Chairman Jim Hammons presented the following awards for the year's top performers:

Jame Gaddis	Kane Low Gross 86-89-85—260
Bruce Bolton	Kane Low Net 67-73-68—208
Terri Lui	Wahine Low Gross 86-93—179
Joie Gopez	Wahine Low Net 71-75—146

As usual, the Club Dining Room provided an outstanding dinner as a fitting finale to the golfer's season.

Match Play Championship

Sixteen kanes and six wahines (members of Outrigger Canoe Club's Golfers Association) are competing in the Club's Match Play Championships.

Results to date (completes first round except for Sears vs. Stoddard):

Jim Hammons def. Bruce Bolton
Peter Dillingham (Clark forfeit—ill)
John Beaumont def. James Gaddis
Kim Woolaway def. Jon Haig
Adney Smith def. Bill Wilson
Archie Kaaua def. Donny Mailer
Peter Balding def. Bob Kashare
Joie Gopez and Barbara Kneisley completed 18 holes all even and were to continue when a tee time was available.

Because of illnesses and scheduling difficulties, the competition was running behind schedule. However, all matches were scheduled to be completed by December 30.

OCC Golfers Meeting

The first annual meeting of the Outrigger Canoe Club Golfers Association will be held in January as required by the Constitution and Bylaws.

All members will be notified of the time and place by letter.

If you do not receive your notice by January 5, call Golf Chairman Jim Hammons at 922-3481.

Golf Plans for 1990

Golf Chairman Hammons has an-

nounced that six tournaments are planned for Club golfers during 1990 on a bimonthly basis commencing in February. Each tournament will make available just eight tee times (32 players) for Club members only.

Negotiations are presently underway for host golf courses. Check the Outrigger and the golf folder at the Front Desk for specific information, flyers and signup sheets. @

In Memoriam

Aida Lillie

Deceased: November 30, 1989
Member: 24 years

William G. Gundlack

Deceased: November 30, 1989
Member: 20 years

Jerome Alexander Rehberg

Deceased: December 7, 1989
Member: 17 years

FOR THE RECORD

Kayaking

ILH Championships

11/26/89 Ala Wai Canal 200 meters
Malia Kamisugi, 2nd, A Division 1:13.18
Easton Manson, 2nd, A Division :59.82
Matt Corboy, 3rd, A Division 1:02.25
Daniel Knoke, 2nd, C Division 1:09.48
Geoff Seymour, 3rd C Division 1:09.85
Robert Riecker, 1st D Division 1:09.14

Running

Mid-Pac. RRCA Hawaii State Championship

11/19/89 5K Kapiolani Park
Russell Allen, 1st age group, :20:02
Emary Lucas :21:12
Andrea Lehman, 1st age group, :21:55
Running Room 10K
11/5/89
Russell Allen 3rd age group, :43:12
Hilary Lambert, 1st age group, :44:56
Don Eovino, :44:57
Ruby Ifversen, 5th age group, 1:00:18
Turkey Trot
11/24/89 Kapiolani Park/Kahala 10 miles
Emary Lucas 1:19:52

Regatta

King Kalakaua Regatta

11/19/89 Honolulu Harbor 10K
David Buck, 1st, Junior Surf Ski
Marshall Rosa, 1st, Masters Surf Ski
Mark Buck, 3rd, Masters Surf Ski
John Eveleth, 2nd, Novice Surf Ski
Kym McKenzie, 1st, Women's Paddleboard
Todd Bradley, 2nd, Open one-man canoes
Loch Eggers, 3rd, open one-person canoes
Noelle D'Enbeau, 2nd, women one-person canoe
Tom Merrill, 2nd, masters men one-person canoe

Swimming

Nuuanu YMCA Turkey Swim
11/12/89 Ala Moana Park 2000 meters
Richard Sylva, 1st, 50-54
Diane Stowell, 1st, 55-59

Cross Country

HHSAA State Championships
11/17/89 Royal Kaanapali Golf Course
Malia Richmond, 15th, :13:18
Joanna Reinhardt, 34th, :13:54

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Mike Miller Wins Castle Swim

By Gerry DeBenedetti

It was a great day for swimming and the 16th annual Castle Swim. Nineteen Club members finished the swim in good time on November 26th and enjoyed breakfast with their escorts at the finish.

First to finish in his first Castle Swim was Mike Miller in :32:47. He was escorted by Jimmy Dean who still holds the course record of :27:47. He must have given Mike the inside track.

Then in another Castle Swim first, the next three finishers were women—Kisi Haine, Norma Santiago and Diane Stowell. Terrific representation.

Nonresident member Cassie Senner, here on a visit from Antigua in the Caribbean, hasn't been in a Castle Swim since 1983 but managed to turn in a personal best for her.

No new records were established, but lots of first timers were in the swim. It is good to see new entrants and everybody had a good time, including the escorts who are what really make the swim possible.

The course is 1 1/4+ miles and it is sometimes hard to find your way without a friendly foot on a paddleboard in front of you, guiding the way and giving you a pep talk.

ing you a pep talk.

The Castle Swim is brought to you by Swim Committee members Pam Zak and Gerry DeBenedetti (swimming her 16th Castle Swim). Steve Zak provided the course start and timing and supplied a real lifeguard from Hickam to sweep the last swimmer in and provide course safety.

Thanks also to Don Issacs in the whaler, and WYC friends Pam and Jim Norris and Scott del Rey and Karin Hansen, who rushed from swim escort to OCC Beach Shop to go to work.

It was beautiful water and a beautiful day, and we urge more people, especially juniors, to join us for this annual event.

Castle Swim Results

Overall Name	Time	Place
1. Mike Miller	:32:47	1st Overall
2. Kisi Haine	:35:58	1st, W25
3. Norma Santiago	:37:12	2nd, W25
4. Diane Stowell	:37:19	1st, W55
5. Jim Anderson	:39:31	1st, M50
6. Laura Miller	:40:41	1st, W30
7. Kimo Austin	:40:56	2nd, M50
8. Thomas Harrer	:41:07	1st, M25
9. Lee Carroll	:42:11	1st, M35
10. Nalani Blaisdell	:43:43	3rd, W25
11. Cassie Senner	:44:16	4th, W25
12. Fred Roling	:45:36	1st, M60
13. Billy Bengston	:47:23	1st, M55
14. Betty Hailstone	:47:45	2nd, W30
15. Carol Wilcox	:49:52	1st, W45
16. Jon Haig	:56:36	3rd, M50
17. Gerry DeBenedetti	:59:52	1st, W50
18. Jan Newhart	1:03:13	1st, W60
19. Jake Updegrove	1:10:08	1st, M75

Photos by Marilyn Kali



Top finishers in the Castle Swim were Mike Miller, Kisi Haine, Norma Santiago and Diane Stowell.



Receiving their swimming mileage awards were Laura Miller and Jim Anderson.



Participating in the Castle Swim were, front, Jake Updegrove, Betty Hailstone, Norma Santiago, Laura Miller, Tom Harrer. Second row, Diane Stowell, Jan Newhart, Cassie Senner, Gerry DeBenedetti. Third row, Fred Roling, Jon Haig, Jim Anderson, Steve Zak, Lee Carroll, Mike Miller, Billy Bengston, Kimo Austin.

Swim Awards

Mileage awards for swimming were awarded to the following at the breakfast following the Castle Swim on November 26:

Jim Anderson, 2,000 miles
James Beardmore, 500 miles
Jeanne Robertson, 500 miles
Marlene Denny, 100 miles
Laura Miller, 100 miles

JUNIOR 'RIGGERS

By Susan Taylor

Hilary Scott is still in her soccer cleats, this time playing varsity soccer for Punahou. . .

Matt Corboy and David Buck took part in the King Kalakaua Birthday Regatta at Magic Island. David won the junior men's division. . . Matt finished third in the ILH kayak championships in the A Division behind Easton Manson. . .

Goldie Morton helped Punahou's junior varsity cross country team to an ILH victory by placing fourth in the championships. . . Malia Richmond was 15th in the State championships and Joanna Reinhardt was 34th.

Congratulations to Ricky Humphreys for leading Punahou to their 10th straight state volleyball championship. Ricky was named ILH and State Volleyball Player of the Year for the Puns and to the all-State and all-ILH teams. Stein Metzger was named honorable mention all-State and all-ILH. Their coach Peter Balding Jr. was

named Coach of the Year.

Other Jr. 'Riggers on the Punahou championship team were Josh Helbling and Michael Scott.

Malia Kamisugi was recognized in

Punahou's November newsletter for her kayaking victories this past summer.

Congratulations also to Age Ellis for being named honorable mention all-ILH in football at Kamehameha. 🏈

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KAHALA MALL

Caribbean Night Set for Feb. 24

On Saturday, February 24 steel drums will play, rum punch and other exotic drinks will be served, and the Club will be transformed into a Caribbean paradise.

Come listen to the sounds of calypso and reggae; enjoy island foods, West Indian style; try the limbo; and get into the spirit of "Carnivale Caribbean".

Wear your colorful clothes—costumes could be worn, but aren't necessary—and head on down to join the fun. The party begins at 6:30 p.m. and tickets are on sale at the Front Desk for \$16.95.

Reservations required. 🍹

USVBA Indoor Season Begins

By Dennis Berg

The United States Volleyball Association (USVBA) will begin its local six-man and 6-woman team tournament

schedule this month.

Outrigger teams will be formed at all levels of competition, junior boys and

girls, "A" and "B" men and women, men's and women's open, masters (37 years and older) and golden masters (45 years and older).

All members interested in participating should sign up at the Front Desk beginning January 2. Particular emphasis will be directed to the organizing of the junior boys and girls teams.

Practices for all teams will be one or two evenings a week at Hawaii School for Girls or the Kawaihāo Church gyms.

Sign up early and if there are any questions, leave a note for Jim Kalau-koā or Dennis Berg at the Front Desk.

OCC Gift Certificates

Don't know what to give your OCC friends on special occasions? Then try an OCC Gift Certificate. They can be purchased at the Front Desk in denominations of \$25 and used for fine dining in the Dining Room, Hau Terrace, Bar, Snack Shop and Beach Shop.

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credit on member's accounts.

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Wine Tasting Party

Enjoying the Wine Tasting Party at the Club on November 13 were (1) Carole Wilbur, Brad Martin and Christie Brunton. (2) Peter and May Balding and Gulab Watumull. (3) Tom Lalakea, Mary and Dennis O'Conner. (4) Joey Cabell and Guido Salmaggi. (5) Al and Connie Serafin. (6) Traci Phillips, Kisi Haine, Mary Franco.



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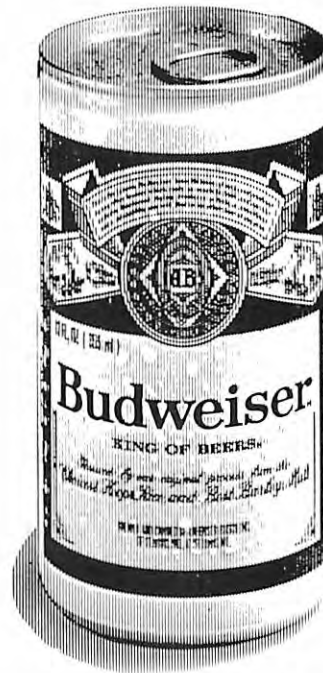


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	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY Football Games in Bar All Day LUNCH-HAU TERRACE 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. NEW YEAR'S DINNER 6-9 p.m.	2	3 Aerobics 8 a.m. A&M Comm. Mtg 5 p.m.	4 B&G Meeting 11:30 a.m. Historical Comm. Mtg. 5 p.m.	5 Water Aerobics 8 a.m. Hawaiian Music Dining Room 12-2 p.m.	6 Duke Heatherly Orchestra 7-10 p.m.
7 Sunday Brunch 8:30 a.m. Sunday Buffet 6-9 p.m.	8 Aerobics 8 a.m. Bridge Noon	9 House Comm. 11:30 a.m. Entertainment Comm. Mtg. 5:30 p.m.	10 Aerobics 8 a.m.	11 ODKF Board 11:30 a.m. Executive Comm. 5 p.m.	12 Water Aerobics 8 a.m. Hawaiian Music Dining Room 12-2 p.m.	13 Duke Heatherly Orchestra 7-10 p.m.
14 Sunday Brunch 8:30 a.m. Sunday Brunch 6-9 p.m.	15 Aerobics 8 a.m. Bridge Noon	16 Public Relations 5:15 p.m.	17 Aerobics 8 a.m. A&M Comm. Mtg. 5 p.m.	18	19 Water Aerobics 8 a.m. Hawaiian Music Dining Room 12-2 P.M.	20 Duke Heatherly Orchestra 7-10 p.m.
21 Sunday Brunch 8:30 a.m. Sunday Buffet 6-9 p.m.	22 Aerobics 8 a.m. Bridge Noon	23	24 Aerobics 8 a.m. OCC ADVENTURER'S CLUB 7 p.m. Features Harry Huffaker's Tri-Island Swim Board Room	25	26 Water Aerobics 8 a.m. Hawaiian Music 12-2 p.m. SEAFOOD BUFFET 6 p.m. Board Meeting 5 p.m.	27 STEAK FRY 6 p.m. Duke Heatherly Orchestra 7-10 p.m.
28 Sunday Brunch 8:30 a.m. Sunday Buffet 6-9 p.m.	29 Aerobics 8 a.m. Bridge Noon	30	31 Aerobics 8 a.m.	1	2 Water Aerobics 8 a.m. Hawaiian Music 12-2 p.m.	3 Duke Heatherly Orchestra 7-10 p.m.

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i.e. canoe races, tournaments, special circumstances, etc.

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