Womens Tennis Team in C League Play

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The Outrigger Womens Tennis Team has played seven matches in Class C League play all around the island—Waianae, Kaimuki, Kam School, Waialua, Ala Moana.



Womens Tennis Team members at Waialua Recreation Center. (I/r): Shirley McKown, Sydnee Arth, Barbara Norfleet, Jane Affleck *Photo Affleck*.

Despite having to forfeit at least one match per Sunday, we managed to finish 7th in our section. In first place is Tennis Just For Fun, a team known as TJFF. The defaults were the result of not enough players showing up for the matches, and there was a severe conflict with the canoe race schedule since most regattas and all tennis matches occurred on Sunday.

Team stalwarts included: Sydnee Arth, a standout in the #1 singles and the shining light of the team; Jane Affleck, steady in the doubles; and Cynthia-Belle Ayau, who teamed up in doubles with Jane. Shirley McKown has been another steady regular in both singles and doubles, as have both Paula Faulkner, a tough player in the 2nd and 3rd doubles, and Linda Payes, a hard-hitting player in her doubles matches. Team Captain Barb Norfleet filled in wherever needed in both singles and doubles play.