

Outrigger Brings Home the Trophies at the Macfarlane



FAR LEFT: Bobby Puakea blessed the Club's new canoe *Waikiki* at a ceremony at the Paddler's Breakfast before the regatta.

LEFT: The Guild family celebrated the 76th Annual Macfarlane Regatta at the pep rally including Di, Lissa, Alice, Walter, Ryder and Jackie.

FAR LEFT: Participating in the opening ceremony were Billy Philpotts, Leslie Goldman, Manu Boyd and Niuli'i Heine.

LEFT: Members of the Army won the military race for the first time: Rob O'Rourke, Ryan MacCormack, Kevin Chee, Matthew Fargo and Thomas Brown. They said they had a ball.



It's been 27 long years since the Outrigger Canoe Club brought home all of the top three major trophies from the Macfarlane Regatta in the same year, 1991 to be exact, but this was the year that Club paddlers made it happen.

OCC won the koa wave Macfarlane Regatta Trophy by outscoring second place Lanikai 209 to 199, and celebrated by drinking champagne from the Walter Macfarlane Memorial Cup and the Senior Women's Cup for the senior men and women.

And the hardware didn't stop there: paddlers won the Boys 12s Trophy, The Muriel Flanders Trophy for the Boys 18, the Primo Cup for Masters Men 40, The Ke Ka Wa'a Kahiko for the Masters Men 70, and the new Junior Men's and Women's Trophy.

Outrigger won 18 out of the 45 events. The 76th Macfarlane Regatta shaped up into one of the Club's finest hours. The Club blessed its new fiberglass canoe *Waikiki* in a ceremony at the Club before the canoe was paddled down to Waikiki for the race.

Paddlers feasted at a breakfast buffet at the Club and joined together with one loud "OUTRIGGER" after Walter Guild's emotional pep talk in the Ka Mo'i Lounge while the perpetual trophies sparkled on the bar top.

The Club's top notch steersmen found bumps and waves all day long to keep the Club in contention for the title. The points were close, and it wasn't until the final race, the Mixed Men and Women, that the title was finally decided. Outrigger won the event and Lanikai was fourth.

The Army, hosted by Outrigger, won the military invitational race too in a very close finish. PacCom came in second. The seven military crews and their families were honored at a ceremony at the Outrigger Hotel after their race where awards were given. They were all invited back to the Club for the post-race party, buffet, dancing and fireworks show.

Also participating in the military race were the Coast Guard, National Guard, Marines, Air Force and Navy Seals.

The Macfarlane is the only wave race on the OHCRA regatta schedule and is well-liked by paddlers for its waves, open steersmen and the chance to enjoy Waikiki Beach on the 4th of July.

The names of Outrigger's Macfarlane winners may be found on page 14. The complete Macfarlane results may be found at outriggercanoeclubpsorts.com.

Regatta season ends with the HCRA State Championships on Saturday, August 4 at Keehi Lagoon.

Long distance paddling season begins later this month with Outrigger hosting the Dad Center Race for women, from Kailua Beach Park to the Club on Sunday, August 26.



Selling Macfarlane T-shirts and other merchandise were Jimmy and Kelly McMahon, Susan Heitzman, Pam Zak, Gerri Pedesky, Maureen Kilcoyne, Deb Deshais, Patty Mowat, Chris Nakaoka, Maile Ostrem, Cathy Hedges and Leela Goldstein.



The Open 4 Men were Brady Piercy, Jimmy Austin, Tuarongo Cowan and Heinere Itchner.



Andrea Ray shows the awards made by OCC's Maintenance Shop for the regatta.



The Open 4 Women: Skylar Fritz, Jennifer Lee, Kelsey Barden, Billy Lawson.



Cheering for the Outrigger from their hotel room were Michele St. John, Tana Feeley, Ann Hogan Perry, Tiare Richert Finney and Ann Martin.





Celebrating at Duke's after their race were the Novice Bs: Standing: Lauren Paultz, Devon Roney, Elaina Olson, Jess Zimlich, Jess Katinszky. Seated: Tracy Gruenert, Olivia Schubert, Brittany Johnston, Beata Cseke.



Cinching the victory for Outrigger were the Mixed Open: Carter Mesker, Amy Lawson, Mindy Hartstein, Breana Grosz, Billy Lawson, Heinere Itchner.



The Canoe Racing Committee's Siana Hunt and Tom McTigue celebrate after winning the regatta.

Meet Your Paddlers



Women 40 Kaleo Blaisdell, Ayako Ancheta, Malia Boyd, Leela Goldstein, Moana Yost.



Men 40 Bill Pratt, Byron Ho, Bret Chuckovich, Michael Beyer, Stew Kawakami, Kaihe Chong.



Women 50 Marcie Nowack, Karin Hansen Del Rey, Deb Deshais, Lisa Livingston, Lindsay Shinall, Billy Lawson.



Women 55 Joan Bennett, Lori Foster, Kisi Haine, Anne Perry, Terri Needels, Jimmy Austin.



Men 50 Jon Steiner, Mark Eliashof, Joe Donahue, Jeff Davis, Leighton Miyachi.



Men 55 Christian Bradley, Doug Rowitch, Twain Newhart, Gunner Schull, Matt Esecson, Keahi Pelayo.



Women 60 Katy Bourne, Tana Feeley, Joanne Klinke, Kaiulu Downing, Laurie Lawson, Billy Lawson.



Men 60 Paul Gabriel, Mark Pian, Karl Heyer IV, Tom McTigue, Jimmy Kincaid, Heinere Itchner.



Women 65 Alice Lunt, Tiare Richert Finney, Sandra Haine, Linda Fernandez, Michele St. John.



Men 65 Derick Wong, Bill Johnson, Bill Meheula, Bill Bright, Tuarongo Cowan, Bill Lawson.



Women 70 Susan Heitzman, Marilyn Kiner, Barbara Bryan, Ann Buck, Carol Cook.



Mixed 40 Mike Fine, Carolina Davis, Malia Hirschmann, Peter Hirschmann, Rachel Bruntsch, Jon Everest.

Regatta Results

Father's Day Regatta June 17, 2018 Waimanalo Beach

Results

AAA Division: 1. Lanikai Canoe Club 210. 2. Outrigger Canoe Club. 167. 3. Hui Nalu 160. 4. Kailua 143.

Winning OCC Crews

Novice B Women (.25 miles): Beata Cseke, Brittany Johnston, Jessica Katinszky, Elaina Olson, Devon Roney, Olivia Schubert, 2:05.18.

Mixed Novice B (.25 miles): Micah Aiu, Carolina Davis, Tracy Gruenert, Sam Hartley, Lauren Paultz, Ricardo Tona III, 1:57.53.

Boys 16 (.5 miles): Vinny Ako, Kaimana Drago, Aukina Hunt, Adam Krivatsy, Punia Pale, Kaiko Torres de Sa, 3:53.99.

Freshman Men (1 mile): Kaihe Chong, Tuarongo Cowan, Harrison Deisroth, Kala Diaz, Travis Grant, Bronson Napoleon, 7:31.48.

Sophomore Women (1 mile): Angie Dolan, Aulani Hall, Rachel Kincaid, Shannon O'Neill, Kahala Schneider, Mary Smolenski, 9:03.20.

Junior Men (1 mile): Patrick Dolan, Ryan Dolan, Francesco Forti, Heinere Itchner, Indar Lange, Cory Nakamura, 7:39.02.

Mixed Men and Women (.5 miles): Zoran Cullinan, Breana Grosz, Billy Lawson, Bryce Meichtry, Caroline Turina, Mikela Yarawamai, 4:18.19.

Waimanalo Regatta June 24, 2018 Waimanalo Beach

Results

AAA Division: 1. Lanikai Canoe Club 215. 2. Outrigger Canoe Club 186. 3. Hui Nalu Canoe Club 152. 4. Kailua Canoe Club 134.

Winning OCC Crews

Boys 13 (.25 miles): Sebastian Ako, Cooper Beall, Kaoi Blaisdell-Higa, Tuarongo Cowan, Matias Durkin, Charles Niethammer, 1:48.41.

Girls 14 (.25 miles): Makenna Hohmann, Ariana Hunt, Marisa Kuriyama, Eleanor Orr, Ellen White, Amy Woodward, 1:57.92.

Boys 14 (.25 miles): Seth Allen, Tuarongo Cowan, Kekai Delmendo, Diego Hancock, Nathan Kane, Keaupono McGee-Lee, 1:45.52.

Mixed Novice B (.25 miles): Micah Aiu, Breana Grosz, Sam Hartley, Lauren Paultz, Ricardo Tona III, Amy Woodward, 2:01.55.

Men Novice B (.5 miles): Jimmy Austin, Stefan Cranston, Darin Davis, Jared Meers, James Stewart, Tommy Thompson, 3:56.95. Boys l6 (.5 miles): Vinny Ako, Kaimana

Boys I6 (.5 miles): Vinny Ako, Kaimana Drago, Aukina Hunt, Gavin Kondo, Adam Krivatsy, Kaiko Torres de Sa, 4:49.89.

Boys 18 (1 mile): Gabriel El Hajji, Joshua Gonzalez, Riley Kawananakoa, Aukai Manson, Christian Papapa, Craig Riley, N.T.

Women Novice A (.5 miles): Christen Kam, Ashley Kruse, Jennifer Lee, Mary Margaret Peterson, Linnea Schuster, Caroline Turina, 4:53.50.

Sophomore Women (.5 miles): Melissa Bitanga, Leigh Gatton, Aulani Hall, Hoku Keala, Kahala Schneider, Lisa Trumbull, 4:59.96. Mixed Men and Women (.5 miles): Julie Aio, Jamie Cook, Carolina Davis, Billy Lawson, Riley Martinez, Jayson Whitman, 4:54.00.

Macfarlane Regatta July 4, 2018 Waikiki Beach

AAA Division: 1. Outrigger Canoe Club 209. 2. Lanikai 199. 3. Hui Nalu 139. 4. Kailua 138.

Winning OCC Crews

Boys 12 (.25 miles): Kobey Damon, Ryder Swanson, Lyon Tang, Nello Yates, Asher Zimmerman, Simeon Ke-Paloma, 1:57.55.

Boys 15 (.5 miles): Izzy Ady, Evan Lee, James Morris, Blaize Nourrie, Max Pflueger, Tuarongo Cowan, 3:35.15.

Girls 16 (.5 miles): Tasia Gentry Balding, Dillyn Lietzke, Mimi Moody, GG Thomas, Madison Williams, Simeon Ke-Paloma, 4:20.91.

Boys 18 (1 mile): Gabriel El Hajji, Joshua Gonzalez, Riley Kawananakoa, Isaac Miller, Tyler Silva, Tuarongo Cowan, 7:39.65.

Mixed 18 (.5 miles): Zoran Cullinan, Blaise Espiritu, Kaya Lee, Christian Papapa, Kealoha Scullion, Amy Woodward, 4:11.49.

Men Novice A (.5 miles): Kaihe Chong, Rick Humphreys Jr., Kevin McCallum, Antonio Miranda, Mark Toohey, Keoni Watson, 3:42.74.

Junior Women (1 mile): Julie Aio, Kaitlin Allen, Melissa Bitanga, Liat Portner, Mikela

Yarawamai, Billy Lawson, 8:41.63. Junior Men (1 mile): Christian Bradley,

Patrick Dolan, Ryan Dolan, Heinere Itchner, Tyler Jaggers, Art Mallet, 7:42.08.

Senior Women (1.5 miles): Anella Borges, Angie Dolan, Hoku Keala, Shannon O'Neill, Amy Woodward, Jimmy Austin, 12:27.08.

Senior Men (1.5 miles): Kaihe Chong, Tuarongo Cowan, Harrison Deisroth, Riley Kawananakoa, Bronson Napoleon, Hunter Pflueger, 11:25.07.

Masters Men 70 (.5 miles): Michael Durkin, John Finney, Ron Hochuli, Uli Klinke, Kimbal Thompson, Jimmy Austin, 4:18.37.

Masters Men 65 (.5 miles): Bill Bright, William Johnson, William Lawson, William Meheula, Derrick Wong, Tuarongo Cowan, 4:01.81.

Masters Women 60 (.5 miles): Katy Bourne, Kaiulu Downing, Tana Feeley, JoAnne Klinke, Laurie Lawson, Billy Lawson, 4:23.13.

Masters Women 55 (.5 miles): Deborah Deshais, Karin Hansen Del Rey, Lisa Livingston,

Marcie Nowack, Lindsay Shinall, Billy Lawson, 3:45.31. Masters Men 40 (.5 miles): Michael Beyer,

Kaihe Chong, Bret Chuckovich, Byron Ho, Stewart Kawakami, Bill Pratt, 3:33.88.

Women Open 4 (.5 miles): Kelsey Barden, Skylar Fritz, Jennifer Lee, Heinere Itchner, 4:22.56.

Men Open 4 (.5 miles): Jimmy Austin, Tuarongo Cowan, Heinere Itchner, Brady Piercy, 3:41.72.

Mixed Men and Women (.5 miles): Breana Grosz, Mindy Hartstein, Heinere Itchner, Billy Lawson, Carter Mesker, Amy Woodward, 3:53.41.