## OCC Repeats in Challenge

Challenge Race title yesterday, taking more than an hour off last year's winning time in the 24-mile Haleiwa-to-Pokai Bay outrigger

The fiberglass Manu Ula led from the start and crossed the finish line in three hours, seven minutes and 53.6 seconds. Hui Nalu was second in their Uhane to head the koa division entries

year," said Henry Ayau, a member of the winning nine-man crew. "In fact, about five miles after the start our steersman told 34.1 seconds. us to unzip (the protective canvas). Thank god he said that—

The 14 canoes had little diffi- Molokai to Oahu

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MENAGE A TUES.: The dollars and

cents repercussions of a pro football

pubs with TV screens count on big crowds for Mon. Night Football games

and will be missing much anticipated

strike will be felt way out here in the

middle of the Pacific. For starters, lots of

revenue . . . And the three local network

affiliates will lose thousands of dollars in ad revenues. Last year, for instance, Ch. 9 lost about \$30,000 when it couldn't

carry its scheduled Sun. games because of

satellite problems . . . And there are lots

running pools . . . Then there are even

more guys like me who won't be losing a

dollar or two every week in those same

bought a table (for \$200) at the Salute to

Hawaii's Olympians luncheon (Wed. at

of giving the tickets to club members.

kids who participate in the Junior

Olympics and Special Olympics 🗆 🗆

the Princess Kaiulani Hotel) and instead

g.m. Ray Ludwig is turning them over to

pools . . . The Outrigger Canoe Club

of guys who pad their incomes by

chapman

Outrigger Canoe Club success-fully defended its Kaena Point only finding turbulent swells while rounding Kaena Point.
While the rest of the tightlygrouped field chose to outside
the rocks at Pohaku O Kauai, Hui Nalu took a chance to make up some ground on OCC and went in between the rocks. They found the going rough and gained little from their daring move.

In the 91/2-mile iron-woman's race, OCC again the led the field. turning in a 1:04:16.4 winning time over the course from Pokai "It was smoother than last Bay to Makaha Beach and back. The koa Hokulele of Lanikai

The next outrigger event sched-uled is Sunday's Na Wahine O Ke Kai, a 38-mile women's race from

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canoe results

KAENA POINT CHALLENGE
Oahu Hawalian Canoe Racing Association
Women's 9.5-mile race — Koa division. 1,
Lanikai 1 04-50.5 2, Makaha Canoe Club
1:25:52.2 Fiberglass: 1, Outrigger 1:04-16.4 2,
Outrigger 1:07:03.3 3, Lanikai 1:08-51.6,
Men's 24-mile race — Koa division: 1, Hui
Nalu 3:10:49.8 2, Lanikai 3:12:19.5 3, Waikiki
Surf Club 3:15:38.7, Fiberglass: 1, Outrigger
3:07:53.6 2, Outrigger 3:16:48.0 3, Kailua
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Paddling Long Distance Haleiwa Beach Park-Pokal Bay 24-miles

MEN Koa Division—I. Hui Nalu (Kala Kukea, George Kissner, Nalnoa Thompson, Tommy Connors, Joe Speilman, Bill Hunt, Rocky Hig-gins, Myron Thompson, Herman Clark) 3:10:49.8 2. Lanikai CC 3:12:19.5, 3. Waikiki Surf Club 3:15:38.7

Pokai Bay-Makaha Beach-and-Glass Division—1. Outrioper Ce (Muffer Scully, Sue Oldf, Raiulu Downing, Donna Kahakul, Paula Carbone, Mary Franco) 1:04:16.4. 2. Outrigger CC 1:07:03.3. 3. Lanikal CC 1:08:51.6. 4. Healani CC

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### SEP 2 4 1982 Molokai Channel Test

Crossing the Kaiwi Channel is the goal Sunday for 15 women's (The National Weather Service crews in the third annual Na Wa-

Two-time champion Outrigger Canoe Club will be out to improve its 1979 record time of six hours, 35 minutes and 14 seconds but, according to race director Hannie Anderson, it's anybody's

"You really can't pick a winner in this," she said yesterday. "No one crew is better than another. The goal really is to cross safely.' No one is more concerned about the safety of the paddlers than Anderson. She was the one who broke the news to the 1980 entrants on Hale O Lono beach that the race was canceled due to

22-foot waves and 35-mph winds. "The Coast Guard again tried to get us to cancel last year because of the rough conditions," she said, "but after talking to the cisco's Newport Beach and Off coaches, we decided to go on Shore and San Diego's Hanohano). with it." Seventeen crews finish—By Cindy Luis

hine O Ke Kai outrigger canoe race from Molokai to Oahu. 25 knots.)

Noticeably absent from this year's entries will be Healani Canoe Club which helped organized the first women's channel crossing in 1975. "It's sad but three of their girls had to go back to college. They wanted to go again badly," said Anderson.

The 38-mile race is scheduled to start a 7 a.m. from Molokai's Hale O Lono Harbor.

Competing this year are teams from eight Oahu clubs (OCC, Waikiki Beach Boys, Hawaiian Warri-ors, Lanikai, Kailua, Waikiki Surf Kamehameha and Hui Nalu); four from Neighbor Islands (Molokai, Maui's Na Pili and Kiheni, and Hanalei Civic from Kauai) and three California clubs (San Fran-

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Paddling Na Wahine

O Ke Kai

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#### MAUI NEWS SEP 2 7 1982 **Hawaii Sports Briefs**

#### Hui Nalu paddles to win

HONOLULU (UPI) - Hui Nalu won Sunday's third Na Wahine O Ke Kai, the Women's Molokai-to-Oahu canoe race, crossing the choppy 40-mile channel in their koa canoe in a time of 6:43. Maui's Napili finished fourth with a 7:14.00 clocking.

Second place in the grueling race, considered the supreme test for outrigger canoe paddlers, went to Outrigger Canoe Club with their 6:58 performance. The two-time champion of the event used a fiberglass

Hanohano came in third with a time of 7:08.

Molokai race today

are favored today in the third Na Wahine O Ke Kai, the women's Molokai-to-Oahu outrigger canoe race.

Sixteen crews will leave Hale O Lono Harbor on Molokai's south shore at 7 a.m. The first canoes are expected to cross the finish line at Fort DeRussy Beach between 1 and 2 p.m.

Three California clubs are among the 16 entered. The race covers 40 miles

across the Kaiwi Channel and is considered the ultimate test for paddlers.

OCC won in 1979 and 1981.

Two-time champion Outrig- The 1980 race was cancelled ger Canoe Club and Hui Nalu because surf in the channel was too rough.

"The race is growing," race director Hannie Anderson said. "The challenge of the Kaiwi Channel is something the women thrive on."

Each crew has 12 paddlers with six paddling and six in reserve on a chase boat at any one time.

Crews make changes by dropping two or three relief paddlers in the water ahead of their canoe. As the canoe passes by, several paddlers jump out to one side and the relievers climb in.

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# Froiseth paddles canoe club into shape "I didn't feel a woman should be a head coach," she said. "I'd always been next day and show you they can pad-

By Andy Yamaguchi Advertiser Staff Writer

You've come a long way, wahine canoe paddlers. You raced in distance events for the first time in 1973. Then, in 1975, you did what men said you couldn't - cross the 40 miles of ocean

between Molokai and Oahu. And this summer, another breakthrough: a female head coach, Luana

Froiseth of the Waikiki Surf Club. But while some women might make the Molokai crossing to show they have as much endurance as men, Froiseth didn't take Surf Club's reigns to prove

anything. "Personally, I don't go for this women's lib stuff," said Froiseth, 27, who will be paddling tomorrow in the third Na Wahine O Ke Kai, the women's Molokai-to-Oahu canoe race

coached by men.

"But as the season got closer, I felt maybe I should take control of the club." Froiseth said she felt Surf Club was falling into disarray under the old regime, so she applied for the head coaching job and was elected by the club's board of directors.

"Luana did a good job," said Derrell DeMello, a Surf Club member who will paddle in the men's Molokai race Oct. 10. "The club was falling apart and she pulled it back together. And she's really

good with the young kids." Said Froiseth: "I enjoy working with kids. I like rotten kids, I like kids who answer you back, 'cause they're going to make good paddlers. Be firm with them and they're going to be so angry with

Froiseth said there were moments when it felt "kinda weird" to be the boss, but she might be the most qualified person for the job. Her parents, Wally and Moku Froiseth, have been with Surf Club from the beginning. Luana, the fourth of their five children, has paddled with the club since she was

"I like the water. I used to surf a lot before all the contests turned professional," she said. "Paddling is still a relaxed

'What really got me interested was women's long distance racing, nine miles instead of the one- or two-mile races in regattas. If you lost a regatta race, you were a loser. But if you complete a distance race, you've accomplished some-

"Women (in the Molokai race) aren't trying to prove anything to the men. They're just showing they can go the distance, too. The first crossing brought a lot of women together. It was just a beautiful experience.'

Sixteen canoes will leave Molokai's Hale O Lono Harbor at 7 a.m. tomorrow, and the first finishers are expected in around 1 p.m. at Fort DeRussy Beach.

Outrigger Canoe Club, winner in 1979 and '81 (rough weather scratched the '80 race), and Hui Nalu are the favorites.

The only differences between Na Wahine and the men's Molokai Ho'e are that the women go across two weeks earlier - to avoid the onset of heavy winter seas - and the women use 12 paddlers (six paddling, six resting) to the Luana Froiseth



A head coach at 27

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WAITING FOR THE WEEKEND: A nice story gets better: I itemed earlier this week that the Outrigger Canoe Club



had bought a table for \$200 at the Salute to Hawaii's Olympians luncheon and donated the table to the Special Olympics. At that luncheon, a free trip to the '84 Olympics in Los Angeles was given away in a drawing - and it went to one of the 10 children at the luncheon, thanks to the OCC . . Speaking of happy

Keane children: The wide-eyed children in Margaret Keane's paintings seem to be much happier in her recent works than in earlier ones. An exhibition of her paintings begins today at Center Art Gallery-Ala Moana . . . Lots of fishermen and women have been coming home happy this week - mahimahi have been biting in unusual numbers for this time of year and the Oahu blue marlin fishery continues to challenge Kona's fleet . . Master mixologist Benny Supnet at the Top of Waikiki has just concocted a new drink - the Blue Marlin, with vodka, amaretto, blue curacao and something secret 🗆 🗆

DIS AND DOT: Downtown voters aren't seeing double. It's just that twin sisters are campaigning - Ellie Kupau for OHA trustee and Frances Kupau Schuman for the state House of Reps

. Did you know that the state Health Dept. rents a room in the Polynesian Apts. (above the semi-infamous Lollipop) for an air pollution monitoring device that must be kept air-conditioned? Rent is \$385 per month . . . Send in the punter dept.: Talk about preserving Polynesian ways: Bill Cravens, v-p and g.m. of the Polynesian Cultural Center in Laie, and his wife, Karen, have just had their 12th child, Rebekah Saumasina. As if that's not enough, Bill's assistant, Carl Fonoimoana, and wife, Nalani, can field a baseball team with their nine children. 

ISLE STYLE: The best laid plans etcetera dept.: Hyatt Kuilima food and beverage mgr. Charly Abou-Assaly introduced a Mon. Night Football special - the price of drinks go down when a team scores — in Trotters Lounge the day that pro football players went on strike . . . The Punaluu Punster read here yesterday about the Marijuana Ohana, Big Island parents who include their children in the harvesting of pakalolo, and said: "The family that picks together sticks together?". Cablevision magazine is already plugging the Laff-Off with Andy Bumatai -"People were on the floor crying," one cable exec is quoted - although the special won't be broadcast until winter

. Honolulu PR consultant Eileen Mortensen, in Anchorage and Fairbanks to conduct workshops at the U. of Alaska, visited former islanders Tony and Lynette Nakazawa and baby daughter Amber and brought along their order of three dozen manapua from Yong Sing's-Alakea. As Hawaii coordinator for the Nat'l Organization of Women, Eileen was also asked to speak at the Alaska NOW convention 🗆 🗆

DOTS ALL, FOLKS: Fellow lovers of fine champagne can also look forward to Chateau St. Jean premiering its new



years making champagne for Korbel, he's esp. excited about doing things his way . . . Who says Mexican food and All-American country & western music don't go together? They do, and very well at La Paloma-Pearlridge, where

sparkling wine this time

next year. That's the word from Chateau St.

Jean president Allan Hemphill at a wine tasting. Having spent 17

DeAnne Horn and band hold forth Wed. through Sat. . . . Ray Sweeney at KHVH is looking for U. of the Pacific grads to help house the UOP golf team when it plays UH . . . A benefit concert to pay for repairs to St. Andrew's Cathedral will be held Sun. evening at the cathedral it's free, but contributions are encouraged . . It's powwow time in Honolulu: The

ninth annual Hawaii Council of American Indian Nations' powwow at Thomas Square will be a two-day affair (Sat.-Sun) and tribes from thoughout the Mainland West will participate . . . John Kelsh, Fawcett McDermott Cavanagh sr. v-p and architect of the State Tourism Plan, is leaving to open his own tourism consulting firm