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Parade, Canoe Race For Fourth

The Fourth of July weekend holds a lot of excitement for the sports enthusiast in Hawaii, including outrigger canoe races at Waikiki Beach, a bevy of sailboats scooting around the Koko Head end of Oahu, a polo double header on the North shore.

Closest to the visitor's eye will be the Walter J. MacFarlane Canoe Regatta, sponsored by the Outrigger Canoe Club in front of the Outrigger Hotel on Sunday, July 4 at 10 a.m.

Here visitors can get a first hand view of how the ancient Polynesians traveled from island to island in their sturdy koa craft, stabilized by the outrigger.

The event is named for the late Walter "Mac" Macfarlane, president of the Outrigger Club for more than a decade. Until

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1963 the Outrigger Club occupied the site of the Outrigger Hotel.

The eight member clubs of the Hawaii Canoe Racing Association will be participating in this regatta, but in each class only the top six teams from the recent Pokai Bay Canoe Regatta will be entered.

The Macfarlane Regatta course starts at the beach fronting the Outrigger Hotel and extends seaward through the surf for one-half mile, then returns to the finish at the beach. Feature race is that of the senior men's division which extends over a distance of three miles.

To the winning senior men's team goes Matson Navigation Company's sterling perpetual trophy, containing the names of winning teams since 1943. Defending champion in this division is the Waikiki Surf Club.

The Outrigger Canoe Club is defending champion for the overall regatta.

The entire program lasts from 3 to 5 hours, depending on surf conditions. Sometimes the ocean is as flat as a mill pond, and other times, rough surf causes overturned canoes and frustrating moments for many of the paddlers.

Sailboat racing will start near the Ala Wai Yacht Harbor at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, July 3, and the starchy-white sails will be seen

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proceeding around Diamond Head and on around the island to Kaneohe, where the boats will pull in at the Kaneohe Yacht Club.

This Saturday race, the Gaylord Dillingham Regatta, is sponsored annually by the Waikiki Yacht Club.

On Sunday, the Kaneohe Yacht Club will sponsor the Kaneohe Offshore Invitational Regatta, and billowing sails and bright colored spinnakers will be scampering around Kaneohe Bay starting at noon on the Fourth of July. They will be in plain and colorful view from the Nuuanu Pali, one of Oahu's most popular scenic spots.

On the north shore of Oahu, at Mokuleia Polo Farms, a double header polo match at 2 p.m. Sunday will delight regular fans and visitors, as the Culver-Yale team challenges Hawaii in the first round, then Mokuleia goes against Waikiki for the second four-chukkar contest.

Featured entertainment between the two games will be the Royal Fiji Military Forces Band, just returning to Fiji from a successful musical tour of British Columbia Canada.

The colorful 37-member band will add the island touch to the afternoon's sporting activity.

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Sports Shorts

The Walter MacFarlane Memorial Canoe Regatta will be held Sunday in front of the Moana Hotel.

The Regatta is sponsored by the Outrigger Canoe Club.



Waikiki Surf Club's boys, 12 and under, crew drives across finish line.

Advertiser Photo by Craig Kojima

Waikiki Surf first in canoe regatta

Waikiki Surf Club emerged with the team trophy in the annual Walter J. Macfarlane Memorial Outrigger Canoe Regatta yesterday off Waikiki beach.

But Hui Nalu captured the blue ribbon event, the men's senior six, over 2½ miles in 21 min. 19.7 sec. Waikiki Surf finished second and Outrigger third.

TEN RECORDS were broken during the regatta in beautiful weather. Outrigger's senior women and novice women (B) and Waikiki Surf's freshmen women, junior women and novice women (A) accounted for five of the new records.

Healani in the men novice, boys 18-under and boys 14 under; Hui Nalu in the boys 16-under, and Kai Oni in the

boys 13-under broke the other records.

Waikiki Surf scored 45 points, Healani 35, Outrigger 34, Hui Nalu 29, Lanikai 11 and Kai Oni 9.

Outrigger won a special 4-men race for the John D. Kaupiko trophy. Waikiki Surf, Healani and Lanikai finished in this order.

Results:

Boys 12-under (A), ¼ mile—1. Waikiki Surf Club; 2. Hui Nalu; 3. Healani. Time—1:51.4.

Boys 12-under (B), ¼ mile—1. Outrigger Canoe Club; 2. Healani; 3. Waikiki Surf; 4. Lanikai. Time—2:20.0.

Women Novice (B), ¼ mile—1. Outrigger Canoe; 2. Hui Nalu; 3. Healani; 4. Waikiki Surf. Time—2:03.3 (record).

Boys 13-under, ¼ mile—1. Kai Oni; 2. Healani; 3. Outrigger; 4. Waikiki Surf. Time—1:52.7 (record).

Women Novice (A), ¼ mile—1. Waikiki Surf; 2. Hui Nalu; 3. Outrigger; 4. Lanikai. Time—1:56.6 (record).

Boys 14-under, ¼ mile—1. Healani; 2. Kai Oni; 3. Hui Nalu; 4. Waikiki Surf. Time—1:58.4 (record).

Women Freshmen, ½ mile—1. Waikiki Surf; 2. Outrigger; 3. Healani; 4. Lanikai. Time—4:27.2 (record).

Boys 16-under, ½ mile—1. Hui Nalu; 2. Waikiki Surf; 3. Lanikai; 4. Kai Oni. Time—4:05.4 (record).

Boys 18-under, 1 mile—1. Healani; 2. Outrigger; 3. Hui Nalu; 4. Waikiki Surf. Time—8:30.0 (record).

Men Novice, ½ mile—1. Healani; 2. Outrigger; 3. Lanikai; 4. Hui Nalu. Time—4:04.7 (record).

Women Junior, ½ mile—1. Waikiki Surf; 2. Healani; 3. Hui Nalu. Time—4:49.2.

Men Freshmen, 1½ miles—1. Waikiki Surf; 2. Outrigger; 3. Healani; 4. Lanikai. Time—12:56.2 (record).

Women Senior, 1 mile—1. Outrigger; 2. Waikiki Surf; 3. Healani; 4. Hui Nalu. Time—9:29.1 (record).

Men Junior, 2 miles—1. Waikiki Surf; 2. Lanikai; 3. Hui Nalu; 4. Outrigger Canoe. Time—17:24.0.

Men Senior, 2½ miles—1. Hui Nalu; 2. Waikiki Surf; 3. Outrigger; 4. Healani. Time—21:19.7.