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Races Set For Memorial Day In Conjunction With Hui Makani Meet

The annual Honolulu Star-Bulletin Memorial Day swims, composed of the one mile swim for junior and senior men and the half mile open swim for women, are scheduled to be conducted in conjunction with the final program of the coming Hui Makani outdoor swimming meet.

The Hawaiian association of the A. A. U. has granted the Hui Makani the right to sponsor a meet on May 28, 29 and 30, Memorial Day. The club will hold the first two thirds of the three day competition in the evenings at 7:45 at the War Memorial natatorium.

However, on the third date, the meet will be continued in the afternoon and will be interwoven with the annual Honolulu Star-Bulletin swims.

Those desiring entry blanks for The Star-Bulletin swims are requested to report at the sports department of The Honolulu Star-Bulletin where such blanks can be procured.

Metric System

In the case of the Hui Makani meet, Harvey Chilton, coach of the club team, has announced that the events on the program for the Hui Makani meet will all be staged in the metric system with the customary Olympic games distances being in use.

Last year Mildred Slight Hooper of the Outrigger Canoe club set a new record of 13 minutes 18 3-5 seconds in the half mile open race for women, the first of two records to go.

The one mile junior swim for contestants under 18 years of age was won by N. Hamada of the Hui Makani team in the fast time of 23 minutes 37 3-5 seconds, breaking the record of 23 minutes 57 4-5 seconds that was established by Harold Sexton of Punahou in 1932.

Time Better

In this year it happened that Hamada's junior mile time was much better than the time made in the senior swim. Maurice Furusho, also of the Hui Makani, won the senior mile event in 23 minutes 46 seconds.

The Honolulu Star-Bulletin inaugurated the Memorial Day swimming program exactly 10 years ago. On that occasion there were some 39 swimmers entered and of this number, 27 actually swam and all but one or two completed their swims.

Large gold, silver and bronze medals are in store for the victors of The Star-Bulletin swims this year in which a fast field is expected to compete.