

10 Events In First Postwar Paddling Test

The Outrigger Canoe club will present a colorful 10 event canoe racing program as its contribution to Hawaii's first postwar July 4 sports celebration, it was learned today.

Scheduled to begin at 10:30 in the morning, the open waters at Waikiki adjacent to the OCC will feature boats from the Outrigger Canoe club, Hui Nalu, and Natatorium in a replica of the Kamehameha Day pageantry.

The committee in charge has fashioned an order of events giving youngsters, today's stars old timers, and females a chance to show their prowess with the ancient paddle.

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Blue ribbon event of the day will be a senior six paddle race over a four mile course. A canoe tug of war in front of the stands will be a novel feature of the program. Special races will show women paddlers in a six paddle one and three quarter mile test, and boys under 14 years in a five sixteenths mile paddle. Old timers over 40 will show in a one and three quarter mile six paddle race.

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The order of events as released by Gay Harris of the Outrigger Canoe club follow:

1. $1\frac{3}{4}$ mile Junior 6 paddle open
2. $5/16$ mile Senior 2 paddle
3. $1\frac{3}{4}$ mile Women 6 paddle (male steersman allowed)
4. $1\frac{3}{4}$ mile Senior 4 paddle open
5. $5/16$ mile Junior 2 paddle open
6. 4 mile Senior 6 paddle open
7. $5/16$ 6 paddle boys under 14
8. Tug of War 6 or 8 paddle (elimination)
9. $1\frac{3}{4}$ mile 6 paddle men over 40
10. 4 mile relay (2 6 paddle crews each club)