

# Ebsen sails a winner

Buddy Ebsen's "Polynesian Concept", the smallest catamaran in the multihull trans-pacific yacht race, was declared the winner yesterday on corrected time.

Ebsen sailed his 36-foot boat past the Diamond Head finish line at 1:30 a.m. yesterday, almost seven hours under the deadline set by its handicap as first place finish.

"Polynesian Concept" was the second boat to finish the race however. Fellow televi-

sion actor James Arness brought his 58-foot catamaran Seasmoke across the finish line Sunday evening.

Seasmoke was second in corrected standings.

The Lani Kai, which arrived around 7:30 a.m. yesterday took third place on corrected time. It was followed by Lance Reventlow's 50-foot cat "Manu Iwa" in fourth.

The Glass Slipper finished the race yesterday evening. Owner-skipper Jay Johnson

planned to beach his 50-foot Catamaran in front of the Outrigger Canoe Club. The award ceremonies will be held at the Outrigger Club Friday.

The rest of the fleet has berths at the Ala Wai Yacht Harbor.

The Imi Loa, which won the 1964 Multihull Transpac Race, was due in around midnight yesterday the only Trimaran in the contest—the 36-foot *Auriga*—was not scheduled to arrive until tonight.