

OCC Paddlers Win Leeward Regatta

Sweeping the highest divisions for both adults and youngsters—senior men and women, and boys and girls 18 years, respectively—Outrigger Canoe Club captured the team championship of yesterday's Kia Aina o Hawaii Regatta. The Oahu Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association event took place off wind-blown Nanakuli Beach.

Outrigger's senior men's crew of Bob Riley, Bill Bright, Ed Pickering, Walter Guild, Marc Haine

and Brant Ackerman scored a 35.5-second victory over Hui Nalu. Likewise, Outrigger's senior women—Mary Franco, Muffer Scully, Kaiulu Downing, Donna Kahakui, Mary Ann Clair and Evie Black—beat Hui Nalu, but by a slim three-second margin.

Healani did not field crews in either of the senior races.

Outrigger placed first in seven events, including the prestigious senior competitions, and amassed

67 points to second-place Healani's six firsts and 61 points.

They were followed in AA division standings by Hui Nalu with 54 points, and last week's winning host club, Kailua with 51. Lanikai had 23; Anuenue, 16; Waikiki Surf, 10; Hawaiian Warriors, 6, and Leeward Kai, 3.

Hui Lanakila edged Kai Oni for A division honors, 23-22, followed by Waimanalo with 7 and Kukini Canoe Club with 3.