

Lokahi Outrigger Canoe Center Newsletter

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Lokahi

Long Distance Races

Great job everyone who paddled in the Alcatraz Island race. There are 2 more long distance races before the season ends.

Tony Gora Memorial LD/Santa Cruz (August 22) - Always a beautiful place to paddle in Santa Cruz.

Kula Anela/Angel Island (August 29) - Tamalpais OCC race from the Golden Gate Bridge around Angel Island.

Lokahi OCC Year End Party

This year's year end party will be at the Petaluma Rec Center at Lucchesi Park on September 26th from 11AM until 2PM.

Look for details and updates on Facebook and via email—the celebration will include games, socializing, and great food!



Sprint Championships Regatta 2015

Congratulations to all for a successful sprint season - Lokahi OCC placed second for the day of championships and second overall for the season. Thank you to all members who helped and volunteered make this day happen! Many thanks and congratulations were sent from clubs and the NCOCA.

Special Thanks To The Following:

Natalie & Virginia Gutierrez for creating a beautiful design for the championship jerseys

Grant Kerr and Rich Lopez for their beautiful work on the trophies.

Kapua Browning for the opening regatta prayer in Hawaiian.

Pua Bredahl for selling jerseys for the club along with Natalie and Virginia.

Lynn Wong for donating all proceeds to Lokahi from the sale of her paddle, fish hook and turtle necklaces.

John George for towing the NCOCA trailer and Phil Dermond for towing Lokahi canoes.

Kimo Garrigan for rigging our club canoes and Shawn Galbreath for taking care of the NCOCA tents.

Trevin Pullan for setting up the sound system. Steve Takemoto for running parking and David Bell for setting all NCOCA flags.

Mark and Chris Howe for being Master of Ceremony and Corinne Kelly for securing race site and insurance.

All the Lokahi members that willingly took on roles to make the regatta happen!



Board Member Elections

Elections for board member positions will be occurring this month. Each of these board seats carries a two year term. Please submit your nominations to the email you received (from info@lokahi.us) with descriptions of each position no later than August 19th.



Championship Jerseys Available

If you would still like to get a championship jersey sizes Medium, Large, XLarge, 3XLarge and Youth Small are still available for \$25.00. Go to our website: www.lokahi.us under the 2015 Season tab (championship clothing)

Recreational Paddling Is Back!

Want to introduce a family member or friend to paddling? Recreational Paddle is on Saturdays from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and is a paddle upriver to downtown. Bring cash (and footwear) as the stop downtown includes the opportunity to get a coffee, enjoy a snack from a local restaurant and learn about the joys of paddling with Lokahi OCC. **Please remember to have anyone you invite fill out a waiver online prior to attending so that we can get right to the fun — PADDLING.