

**KAMEHAMEHA CANOE CLUB**

Presents its

**36th Annual Business Canoe Regatta**

Co-Sponsored by



**Date: Sunday, April 7, 2019**

**Time: 8:00 am until finish**

**Place: Hilo Bay**

**Entry fee: \$125.00 per crew; 2<sup>nd</sup> crew from the same business \$100.00**

**Divisions:** Business Women    Intermediate Women    Open Women  
Business Men    Intermediate Men    Open Men  
Business Mixed    Intermediate Mixed    Open Mixed  
Open Mixed Teens    Open Senior Mixed Masters

**Note: See the back of this sheet for explanations of these categories**

**How to Enter:** Complete and mail the entry/waiver and Release of Liability together with your \$125 entry fee (check made payable to Kamehameha Canoe Club) to: Kamehameha Canoe Club, 336 E Palai Street, Hilo, HI 96720.

**Deadline for entries and waivers:**

Entry/waiver and release of liability forms, together with your entry fee must be received by Thursday, March 28, 2019. **Entries received after March 28 fees will be a \$150. Entries received after April 4 will be at \$175. No entries will be accepted after April 5.**

**All paddlers must fill out the individual HCRA waivers before they can enter the canoes for practice/race. Both adult and minor waivers are included.** Please make copies as needed.

**Mandatory Pre-regatta meeting:**

A mandatory informational meeting for the representative from your business will be held at 5:00 pm Friday, April 5 at Kamehameha Canoe Club's halau. **Confirmation of team entries, divisions, and starting times will be made at this meeting. NO CHANGES WILL BE ALLOWED after Friday night.**

**Practice** begins on Monday, March 25 through Friday, April 5 from 4pm till 6pm. The practice site is at the Kamehameha Canoe Club halau at the Suisan end of Hilo Bay. Because of

the large number of entries expected, practice is limited to two (2) sessions per crew. To arrange practice times, please call Jill Dawrs Chiropractic at 935-0004.

### EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES

**Business Men and Women:** Each crew is allowed five paddlers and three alternates. Each person entering this division must NOT have had ***\*PRIOR PADDLING EXPERIENCE EVER INCLUDING HIGH SCHOOL PADDLING***. Steerspersons will be furnished by KCC and paddles are provided. No personal paddles are allowed.

**Intermediate Men and Women:** Each crew is allowed five paddlers and three alternates. A crew entered in this division may not use more than two persons who have paddled for a canoe club at any time within the last five years. ***This division is also for new paddlers who are practicing with canoe clubs or sports groups\****. ***We encourage those businesses that have been practicing for any longer length of time than the two weeks allowed for practice please enter this division.*** Steerspersons will be furnished by KCC and paddles are provided. No personal paddles are allowed.

**Open Men and Women:** These events are open to everyone. Each crew is allowed six persons and two alternates. The crew may have its` own steersperson. The open division is the only division allowed to use personal paddles during the race.

**Open Senior Mixed Masters:** This event is open to all men and women 50 years and older. Each crew is allowed six persons and two alternates. The crew may have its` own steersperson. Each crew will consist of three women and three men.

**Business Mixed, Intermediate Mixed, and Open Mixed:** In line with the rules above, each crew must be made up of three women and two men, with the exception of Open Mixed and Open Mixed Senior Masters, which must be made up of three women and three men. A steersperson will be provided for the Business and Intermediate divisions.

**Open Mixed Teens Division:** This event is open to all 18 & under boys and girls. The team must consist of three females and three males. All paddlers entered in this division must have age verification (photo copy of driver`s license, school verification, or student I.D.) attached to parental or guardian signed waiver prior to race day. A copy for parental or guardian signature is enclosed. Please make copies for each of your teen paddlers.

**\*RACE OFFICIALS OF Kamehameha Canoe Club RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CATEGORIZE CREWS AND PADDLERS AS THEY DEEM APPROPRIATE.**

**Awards:**

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place crews in each event. Individual award ribbons will be given to each crew member for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place finishes in each event. **PERPETUAL TROPHIES** will no longer be given to a crew that wins their category for three years in a row. Instead, we will allow the company to take it with them for the year and we will put your name on a plaque and the trophy must be returned to Kamehameha Canoe Club before next years Business race.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

Please be sure to secure your drinking permits from the Police Dept. by Friday, April 5 prior to the Business Race. Kamehameha Canoe Club will not be responsible for drinking at the beach. There may be a possibility of police patrol at the beach to check on drinking permits.

Also, please remind your members that the beach area is a **NON-SMOKING** area.

## **REMINDER**

Please be sure that all paddlers on your crew fill out the individual HCRA waiver before they **enter any canoe for practice/race**. The combined adult and minor waiver is included. *These forms must be turned in before the first practice.* Please make copies for your crews.

Please remember that the informational meeting to be held on Friday, April 5 is **MANDATORY**. After Friday night there will be **NO CHANGES ALLOWED!**

**Parking:** Designated parking stalls, grass area on Highway okay. Grass area from inside gate to ditch must remain clear for Emergency vehicles. **REMINDER:** *Cars are not allowed in the gated area and the gate will be locked at 8am. If your car is inside of the locked gate, you will be locked in for the duration of the Business race. Please advise all of your members. Thank you for your cooperation*

# Entry Form - 2019

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SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM CAPTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_ PH: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Clearly Paddlers Names

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

7. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete one Entry Form per crew. Please turn in entry form one week before the Business race.**



**Yamada & Sons**

**C&A Generators**

**Jill Dawrs  
Chiropractic**

**Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association Insurance Program  
Adult and Minor Waiver and Release of Liability  
January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019**

Canoe Club:  
Kamehameha-Hilo

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association and its member organizations' athletics/sports programs, and related events and activities, the undersigned:

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular skills, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will re-move myself from participation and bring such to the attention of a coach or supervisor immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS The Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association, its member associations, its affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches, and other volunteers or employees of the organization, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct the event (Releasees"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to per-son or property associated with my presence or participation, WHETHER ARISING GROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The undersigned custodial parent or legal guardian acknowledges that he/she is also signing this release on behalf of the minor participant, that he/she is waiving certain rights on behalf of the minor participant that the minor participant otherwise may have and that the minor participant shall be bound by all of the terms of this release. By signing this waiver and release without a parent's or guardian's signature, the participant represents he/she is at least 18 years of age, or, if signing as the parent or guardian of the participant, signer represents they are the custodial parent or legal guardian of the minor participant.

**THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT THEY HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.**

Paddler Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_ Sex  F  M

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phones: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell/Pager \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**IN AN EMERGENCY CONTACT:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If a minor, Printed Name of Custodial Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Adult/Paddler Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Paddler or Minor's Guardian)

(Adult