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HUI WA`A'S LONG DISTANCE SEASON CURRENTLY UNDERWAY

HONOLULU (March 2002)

Beginning in April, Hui Wa`a's Long Distance Races precede the regular regatta season, which begins in May. Races range from 4-10 miles. Special divisions such as Novice B and Masters are included in many races, in addition to the Open categories.

The first race of the season, sponsored by Waikiki Beach Boys, proves to always be extremely successful, with close to 100 crews entering.

The season schedule is as follows:

April 6	Magic Island	Waikiki Beach Boys
April 13	Kane`ohe Bay/Kailua	Kane`ohe Canoe Club
April 20	Poka`i Bay	Hui O Ikaika
April 27	Ke`ehi Lagoon	`Alapa Hoe
May 4	Magic Island	Koa Kai
May 18	Haleiwa	Kai Poha

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