

Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club

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Nā Alaka`i O Ke Kai



Saturday, October 23 – Sunday, October 24, 2010

Regatta & Festival Events: 8:00am – 4:00pm (Daily)

Check-In/Registration For Paddlers Begins @ 6:30am (Daily)

APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR 2010! OCTOBER 15th

(Late Registration on Day of Race(s) will be accepted upon space availability)

Mail Registration & Payment to:

LVHCC

Attn: 2010 REGATTA COMMITTEE

P.O. Box 29237, Las Vegas, Nevada 89126

Phone: (702) 382-6939

NĀ ALAKA'I O KE KAI REGISTRATION

TEAM CAPTAIN INFORMATION

Team Captain/Coordinator Name:

Phone:	Cell Phone:	Email:
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Mailing address:

City:	State:	ZIP Code:
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TEAM INFORMATION

Team Name:

Phone:	Cell Phone:	Email:
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Mailing address:

City:	State:	ZIP Code:
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SIGNATURE

As Team Captain/Coordinator I agree to the terms and conditions listed under the WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY & ASSUMPTION OF RISK located on Page 3 of this Registration Application to participate in The Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club's 9th Annual Nā Alaka'i O Ke Kai ~ Regatta ~ Las Vegas ~, and hereby certify that all participants/paddlers that are scheduled to race as a member of the TEAM listed above, will sign the WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY & ASSUMPTION OF RISK AUTHORIZATION prior to paddling in any race on behalf of said TEAM.

Team Captain/Coordinator (Print Name):	Date:
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Team Captain/Coordinator Signature:	Date:
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SPECIAL NOTES

- Teams may utilize the same *Race Selection Listing* below and check as many races desired as long as the Paddlers for each specific race, sign a separate WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK FORM (See next page).
- All Paddlers must be registered and checked-in with Regatta Officials at least 30 minutes prior to Race Start Time for the specified race of choice. Race Times will be posted via LVHCC Website 14 days prior to Regatta and also on Race Day(s) at the Regatta Registration Tent.
- Bradley Racing Canoes will be provided for each racing team.
- It is the responsibility of Paddlers who are racing to provide their own Canoe Racing Paddle, as there is a very limited number of spare paddles available for use which are on a first come - first serve basis and cannot be guaranteed in advance.

RACE SELECTION LISTING

\$10.00 per/paddler ~ per race (\$60.00 per Canoe)

October 23 (Saturday)		October 24 (Sunday)	
Novice Mixed (All)	Mixed (18-34)	Nā 'Ōpio Mixed (12-17)	Corporate
Master Women (35+)	Masters Men (35+)	Open Women (Med Dist.)	Open Mens (Med Dist.)
Makua Women (45+)	Makua Men (45+)	Masters Mixed (35+)	Open Mixed
Open Women (All)	Open Men (All)	Makua Masters Mixed(45+)	

OFFICIAL USE ONLY: Check \$ _____ No. _____ Initials: _____

The 9th Annual Nā Alaka'i O Ke Kai ~ Regatta ~ Las Vegas ~

TEAM NAME: _____ **TEAM CAPTAIN:** _____ **RACE:** _____

WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

In consideration of the services of the Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club, its member clubs, their agents, owners, officers, volunteers, participants, employees, and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf (hereinafter collectively referred to as "LVHCC"), I hereby agree to release, indemnify, and discharge LVHCC of liability, on behalf of myself, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representative and estate as described below with respect to LVHCC activities, including but not limited to LVHCC races, fundraising events, community outreach events, practice and preparation for those races and events, at any location including but not limited to any location where such race or event occurs or where equipment for those races and/or events is placed or is in use.

1. I acknowledge that my participation in paddling and outrigger canoe entails risks that are known; unknown, anticipated, and/or unanticipated that could result in physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death or damage to myself, to property, or to third parties. I understand that such risks cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential and fundamental qualities of the activity. I assume those risks and release LVHCC of liability resulting from those risks. I understand that I am hereby relinquishing certain legal rights.

The risks include, among other things: boat capsize; tidal conditions and currents; travel in remote areas; collision with objects or other watercraft; prolonged exposure to cold water, hypothermia, accidental drowning; illness in remote areas; exposure to sun, strong wind, cold, storms, large waves, eddies and whirlpools; lightning; aggressive and/or poisonous marine life; wrist, arm, shoulder, and/or back injuries; slips and falls, including those occurring while getting in and out of the canoe; and rapidly changing adverse weather and water conditions.

Furthermore, I understand that LVHCC seeks safety, but is not infallible, it might be unaware of a participant's fitness or abilities, it might misjudge the weather, the elements, or the terrain, and that it may give inadequate warnings or instructions. I also understand that the equipment being used might malfunction. I expressly acknowledge, and promise to accept and assume all of these risks.

2. I acknowledge, agree and represent that I understand the nature of outrigger canoe paddling and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the activity.

3. I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in this activity. My participation in this activity is purely voluntary, and I elect to participate in spite of the risks.

4. **This agreement applies to any negligence alleged against LVHCC:** I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge and agree to indemnify and hold harmless LVHCC from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action which are in any way connected with my participation in this activity or my use of LVHCC's equipment or facilities, including any claims which allege negligent acts or omissions by LVHCC.

5. Should LVHCC or anyone acting on its behalf, be required to incur attorney's fees and costs to enforce this agreement, I agree to indemnify and hold them harmless for all such fees and costs.

6. I certify that I have adequate insurance to cover any injury or damage I may cause or suffer while participating, or else I agree to bear the costs of such injury or damage to myself. I further certify that I am willing to assume the risk of any medical or physical condition I may have.

7. In the event that I file a lawsuit against LVHCC, I agree to do so solely in the state of Nevada, and I further agree that the substantive law of that state shall apply in that action without regard to the conflict of law rules of that state. I agree that if any portion of this agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

By signing this document, I acknowledge that if anyone is hurt or property is damaged during my participation in this activity, I may be found by a court of law to have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against LVHCC on the basis of any claim from which I have released them herein. I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document. I have read and understand it, and I agree to be bound by its terms.

PARENT'S/ GUARDIAN'S ADDITIONAL INDEMNIFICATION

In consideration of (see names below) "Minor" being permitted by LVHCC to participate in its activities and to use its equipment and facilities, I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless LVHCC from any and all Claims which are brought by, or on behalf of Minor, and which are in any way connected with such use or participation by Minor. I agree to all of the terms above on behalf of Minor.

Paddlers Names (print):

Signature/Parent or Guardian & Date:

Home Address:

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