



## NYC NEWSLETTER \* JULY 2014

### July Calendar

**4 (Fri) — OFFSHORE SERIES RACE #4**  
~NAWILIWILI TO HANAIEI~ 9 am self start.  
No skippers' meeting. Take your own time upon finish.

**6 (Sun) — OFFSHORE SERIES RACE #5**  
~HANAIEI TO NAWILIWILI~ 9 am self start.  
Take your own time upon finish.

**10 (Thur) — RACE #1, HORSE AND PONY SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Speedy** hosts.

**12 (Sat) — Private Party.** 4 pm to 8 pm.

**15 (Tue) — Race Committee Meeting.** 5 pm.

**15 (Tue) — Board of Directors Meeting.** 6 pm.

**17 (Thur) — RACE #2, HORSE AND PONY SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Weatherly** hosts.

**24 (Thur) — RACE #3, HORSE AND PONY SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Fast Company** hosts.

**25 (Fri) — Deadline for submissions to the August Newsletter.** Please be on time. **Mahalo.**

**31 (Thur) — KCR Skippers' meeting at Kaneohe Yacht Club** at 6 pm.

### August Calendar

**1 (Fri) — Start of the 2014 KAUA'I CHANNEL RACE**  
~KANEIHEE TO NAWILIWILI~ 7 am.  
More details in the article below and at [nawiliwiliyachtclub.com](http://nawiliwiliyachtclub.com)

**2 (Sat) — 5 pm. Awards Presentation. Silent Auction. Dinner and Dance Party.** See page 2.

**3 (Sun) — Clubhouse Cleanup.** Hot coffee and pastries available for volunteers. 9:30 am.

**7 (Thur) — RACE #4, HORSE AND PONY SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Maeva** hosts.

**14 (Thur) — RACE #1, WAHINE SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Mapuana** hosts.

**21 (Thur) — RACE #2, WAHINE SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Ozone** hosts.

**25 (Mon) — Deadline for submissions to the September Newsletter.** Please be on time. **Mahalo.**

**28 (Thur) — RACE #3, WAHINE SERIES.** Warning flag 5 pm. **Papa a'u** hosts.

**30 (Sat) — OFFSHORE SERIES RACE #6**  
~NAWILIWILI TO HANAIEI~ 9 am self start.  
No skippers' meeting.

**30 (Sat) — Barbecue at Hanalei Pavilion.** Potluck and Bring-ur-own grill food to greet arriving sailors at 2 pm and have some fun.

**Mark your calendars!**

### September

**1 (Mon) — OFFSHORE SERIES RACE #7**  
~HANAIEI TO NAWILIWILI~ 9 am self start.



# KAUA`I CHANNEL RACE

FRIDAY, 1 AUGUST

The KAUA`I CHANNEL RACE begins at Kaneohe at 7 am on Friday, August 1. Race boats may begin to arrive at Nawiliwili at about 3 pm. The Clubhouse will be open at Noon. Join us for food and drinks and wait for the race boats to arrive. **Bruce Heckman** will be grilling. **Greeters** can wait for their boat to radio in their impending arrival and be ready to meet them at their assigned dock space. *This is so much fun!!! You don't want to miss any of it!!!*

# KCR DINNER DANCE & AWARDS PARTY

SATURDAY, 2 AUGUST

The Awards Party begins with drinks at 5 pm. Dinner, catered by **Mark's Place**, will be served from 5:30 to 7 pm. Awards will be presented at 7:30 pm. The "**Lost Pelicans Band**" starts playing at 8 pm. Your ticket for this dinner must be paid for in advance. No dinner ticket money will be collected at the door. Go to the website: [www.kauaichannelrace.com](http://www.kauaichannelrace.com) for instructions on how to buy your ticket. **All for the price of \$35: a delicious meal catered by Mark's Place, live band The Lost Pelicans, Silent Auction, and a great evening of fun.**

# KCR SILENT AUCTION

SATURDAY, 2 AUGUST

**Nina Peterson** would like our NYC members to please donate items for the Silent Auction. She is looking for gift certificates for golf, tour activities, dinners, and room accommodations (B&Bs, Inns, Vacation Rentals, etc.), nice white elephants, or unused cool items you have hanging around your house. Please be generous and help us put great goodies on the auction table. If you want Nina to pick up your gifts, call her after July 4th at 822-1726 (home) or 639-5477 (cell). **Mahalo!**

**Nina Peterson, Silent Auction Chair**

# KCR PARTICULARS

The Notice of Race and scheduled events are on the NYC Website under the KCR tab. *Volunteers are needed to greet boats, set up the facility and site for the party, and to take down and clean up after the party.* If you are willing to volunteer for any of these duties, please call **Doug Tiffany**, Vice Commodore, 808-652-8727 or **Ken Martinez**, Rear Commodore, 714-394-6913. Local members will receive more information and requests for help by email.

# KSA Fundraiser

## Fabulous Greek Dinner

Over forty friends and members of NYC enjoyed our Authentic Greek Dinner at the NYC on Saturday, May 31st. We feasted on succulent **Kaua`i Lamb on the Spit**, **Greek Salad**, garlicky **Tzatziki**, **Oven Potatoes**, **Mousaka**, and Greek Dessert **Loukoumades**, all freshly made by **Peter the Greek** (aka **Peter Vekinis**) and **Bobbie Habermann**. **Mahalo You!** Arriving adult guests were greeted with ice cold Ouzo or a choice of refreshments. We listened to Greek music during dinner, and then we danced the Syrtaki afterwards. **Mahalos: Kevin Meaney** for helping serve dinner; **Dick Olsen** who bartended; **Liz Olsen** our faithful Gatekeeper; **Koko Fytros** and **Liz Olsen** for providing the wonderful photos; and to all those who helped clean up and put things away after dinner.



# Welcome Aboard

\* **Ray & Betty Jean Woolard.** Ray is a longtime Kaua'i resident and lifelong sailor. He is no stranger to NYC — sailing aboard **Moana Kai, Fast Company,** and **Papa A'u,** to name a few. At 16, Ray sailed in and completed the **WHITBREAD AROUND THE WORLD RACE** — no small feat. When not on the water, Ray is a master with a Bobcat and is known to grow some great food as well.

\* **Amber Malia Alimboyoguen.** Amber is a student of Kaua'i Community College and joins us as a Student Member. She is very interested in sailing. She has a 30' Trophy named **Pilakai.**

\* **Elisabeth Biuk-Aghai,** of Kalāheo, is a surgeon and is friends with **Chris Jordan** and **Phil & Elizabeth Tanner.** She took sailing lessons with KSA and would like to continue sailing.

## Work Party

Mahalos go out to **Phil & Elizabeth Tanner, Jim Saylor, Ron Wagner, Carol Surratt, Phil O'Rourke, Sharon Gibson, Dick Olsen, Bruce Raymond,** and **Jeff Dorn** (and anyone else who forgot to sign in) for showing up June 14th for the NYC work party. We got lots done, including much needed cleaning of the Clubhouse, weeding and mowing the new lawn, and tending the garden. The outside staircase was walled in and the lighting/electrical work was completed. It was a very productive day. **Mahalo you** to all who helped out!

**Kaua'i Sailing Association  
Dinner for a Donation, a KSA fundraiser!**  
KSA's seven nights of dining for two on Kaua'i random drawing is back!

1 ticket: **\$20**

2 tickets: **\$30**

10 tickets: **\$100**

Tickets will be available for purchase on Thursday nights after racing.

If you are interested in selling a booklet, please see **Shale.** Proceeds will go towards our keiki sailing summer camp scholarship fund.

## Adult Class

Congratulations to our newest adult learn to sail class that graduated in June. The class

had four adults and two of the students are becoming new members of NYC!



The Toppers being sailed during summer camp!



The graduating class!

## Summer Sailing Camps

The first summer sailing camp was a smashing success! It was a week long, and Kaua'i now has twelve new sailors ages 7-16. Mahalo to **Melissa Burovac** who somehow managed to balance the launch of her new book '*Wandering*' and tirelessly helping the entire week. Mahalo to **Mark Brewer** who was an inspiration for the young boys in the group, and mahalo to **Carl Andersson** for preparing the coach boat and volunteering with the logistics of the camp. A special thanks to our five Junior Sailors who were instrumental in the success of the camp. *There are still two camps to come: Intermediate Camp July 7th to 11th and Beginner Camp July 21st to 25th.*

**Shale Shore, KSA Executive Director**

# Father's Day Keiki Fishing Tournament

June 15th turned out to be a beautiful day with nice tradewinds to keep everyone comfortable as the NYC members provided a fun event for close to 50 children.

Once again it was very successful. All the children were so excited with their catches from perch to crab to eels. After hot dogs and drinks, the judges brought out the list of winners for the top catches. Everyone went home with a prize.

Our mahalos go out to all the volunteers for the day. **Phil & Elizabeth Tanner** (set up, registration, drinks), **Ron & Toni Wagner** (set up, registration), **Ken & Jan Martinez** (set up, registration, cameraman), **Dave Biederman** (helper), **Jim & Paula Saylor** (set up, registration, MC), **Rhan Honjo** (set up), **Bill & JoAnne Georgi** (helpers), **Doug & Bonnie Tiffany** (set up, prize table, cooks), **Abi, Sadie, and Aleya Stearns** (prize set up, cooks), **Carol Surrat** (set up), **Edd & Sheri Schepker** (judges), **Dick Olsen**, (judge), **Jeff Dorn** (helper). All the support and help throughout the day was greatly appreciated.

**Bonnie Tiffany**



## Scuttlebutt

A 30' Islander II is leaving Oakland for Kaua'i on July 5th sailed by father and daughter. Mom is flying over and all are staying for a visit when the boat and crew arrive. The family is looking for a delivery crew to take the boat back to Oakland. If you are interested in this gig, please contact **Frances Holsinger**. Her email is [mama.pidge@gmail.com](mailto:mama.pidge@gmail.com) and her phone is 510-339-1741. She'll fill you in with all of the details.

## NYC Notice of Race HORSE AND PONY SERIES

Thursdays:

July 10, July 17, July 24, August 7

**RULES:** This series of races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). U.S. Sailing and HYRA prescriptions with NYC modifications will apply.

**ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:** The races are open to the following classes: Monohull & Multihull with LOA over 21' (3 boats are required to make a class) and Open (Monohull & Multihull) combined if individual classes are not established in both). This four-race series shall have two separate legs in each race. The first leg (Horse) will be sailed in a boat meeting the eligibility requirements for the Buoy Race Series (e.g. monohull or multihull with LOA over 21', the "Horse"). The second leg (Pony) shall be sailed in a Laser and/or Topper. The person at the helm of the Pony shall be a crewmember of the Horse, and shall, if using a Club Laser/Topper, be a NYC member in good standing who has been checked out in the Pony to be used by that member. The Pony to be used by each Horse will be selected by random drawing for use of NYC boats. The Ponies shall be rigged and ready to sail before the start of the Horse leg. The courses and starting sequence for the Horse leg shall be in accordance with the NYC Horse and Pony Series Sailing instructions.

**SCHEDULE:** Thursdays: July 10, 17, 24, and August 7. The 5-minute warning signal for the Horse leg will be at 1700 hours on each of the race dates. All classes start at 1705. The Pony leg will start at the race committee's discretion.

**SCORING:** Scoring will be Low Point using HYRA modifications and NYC 'Club Adjustment' scoring system.

**DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:** Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the race.

**FURTHER INFORMATION:** Please contact the **Rear Commodore Ken Martinez** (332-5041) or **Starting Officer Sharon Gibson** (742-2512).

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*We need chairs for the following committees, events, or activities:*

- Keiki Fishing Tournament (a very important annual event)
  - Fund Raising (plan drawings or events to raise money)
  - Youth Activities & Events (plan events and activities just for the kids)
- Please contact **Commodore Jim Saylor** if you are willing to help*  
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