

# OCC Yacht Race

*By Betty Rogers*

The Sailing Committee is looking forward to the 1985 OCC Hawaiian Yacht Racing Association class boat invitational, Sunday, Oct. 20, when Sunfish, Lasers, Hobie Cats and Cal 20s will meet and race one design on assigned courses in front of the Club.

These classes will be competing as one design, which means that all boats in each class are identical in specified dimensions. Many of the Cal 20s and Lasers will be representing Waikiki and Hawaii Yacht Clubs, while Sunfish and Hobie Cats will mostly be from Outrigger and Kaneohe Yacht Clubs.

A Cal 20 is the largest ocean racing class in the state, even though the boats are only 20 feet in length. Lasers and Sunfish are small boats designed to surf or plane at relatively high speeds beyond the calculated length of waterline speeds.

Last year's race was well attended. Waikiki Yacht Club won the Outrigger Cup in 1984. The festivities afterwards were enjoyed by everyone and certainly made the entire day a lot more fun.

Interesting trophies, a departure from the usual designs, will be awarded for first, second and third places. These

trophies are designed by artist Claude Horan especially for the Sailing Committee of OCC.

The skippers meeting will be held at the Club on Oct. 19 at 8 a.m.

Any Club members interested in competing in the race should contact the Sailing Committee.

## No Questions Asked!

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the missing life preserver rings "Constitution" and "Cunard Countess" that were used to decorate the Club for the Cruise Party on July 20, is asked to call Dorie Smith or return the rings to the Front Desk at the Club.

The rings were borrowed from Theo Davies Marine Agencies and must be returned.

The "Constitution" ring was taken from the wall outside of the Ladies Room and the "Cunard Countess" from the Bar/Terrace area.