

Memberships Hopefuls  
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Malama  
[REDACTED]  
96813

(12)

Mr. & Mrs. James Rajioke  
[REDACTED]  
Kailua 96734

Richard Dury  
Chief Investigator  
Hawaii Liquor Commission Honolulu Municipal Bldg.  
650 So. King  
96813

Mr. & Mrs. Paul Kena  
[REDACTED]  
Kaneohe 96744

Mrs. Barbara Watson  
Same as above 96744

Mrs. Kuelei Wu  
[REDACTED]  
Kaneohe 96744

Midge Mossman  
[REDACTED]  
Kaneohe 96744

Barney & Nani Meadows  
[REDACTED]  
Kona, Hawaii 96740

Attorney Wayne Luke

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Don. H. 92814

Ilona Wuerden

[REDACTED]

Milani 96789

Tommy Kearns

[REDACTED]

Rancho Mirage, CA 92270

Mrs. Leila Smyth  
Instructional Advisor

[REDACTED]

Panorama City, CA

91402

Marlene - I hope these will help boost our membership drive. My junkie typewriter's on the blink so I had to script. Hope you can read my writing. I'll be attending a conference + workshop before the 31st of Oct. Will try to do more recruiting there. Cecile

① Judge Patrick Lim

Kaneohe, 96744

Sure hope they respond.

② Dr. + Mrs. Takesue

Hon. 96821

③ Dr. + Mrs. Shigeaki Fujitani

Hon.

④ Judge Barry + Mrs. Rubin

Hon. 96819

⑤ Dr. Victor Kobayashi

96816

⑥ Dr. + Mrs. Teruo Fukumoto

96817

⑦ Capt. Herman Reis

Kilohana Pt. Kewalo Basin

Hon. 96819

⑧ Dr. Al Bloom

Hon. 96814

⑨ Dr. Ernest Oshiro c/o University of Hawaii  
Dept. of Business + Economics

Hon. 96822

9. Dr. & Mrs. Howard Flower

Kaneohe

96825

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10. Dr. & Mrs. John Kelly

Hon. 96816

11. Mrs. Keoni Dupont

96813

Hon.

12. Tom T. Suha

Kaneohe, Hi. 96744.

13. Naomi Katsurokatori

c/o Waiahole School

Waiahole Rd.

Kaneohe 96724

14. Colleen MuraKani

c/o Waipahu Intermediate School

Waipahu, Hi 96797

15. Maderith Carson

Hon. 96822

16. Rev. Will & Riyo Masuda

Hon. 96822



17. Joycelynn Kimura

Hon 968113

18. Mrs. Mr. Arlon Richardson  
c/o [redacted]

Hon 968117

19. Katherine Kany

Hon

20. Mr. + Mrs. Art Kimura

(new address)

96825

21. Hari Lee

96813

22. Elaine Errickson  
c/o Aurora for Lighting

Hon 96813

23. Allen Akana

96817

24. Bishop<sup>Mrs.</sup> Yoshiaki Fujitani  
Korpa Hongwanji Temple

Hon 96813

(also to)  
Patty Fujitani  
of the same address

96822

25. Keulei Aila

[REDACTED]  
Waimanalo, 96759

26. Mr. + Mrs. Puna Lee

[REDACTED]  
96826

27. Anna Pahk

[REDACTED] 96821

28. Ruth Tahrah

[REDACTED]  
Kamuela, Hi. 96743

29. Larry Kauaue Kimura

of University Hawaii

Indo Pacific Language Dept. 96822

30. Bernani Reis

[REDACTED]  
Waianae, Oahu 96792

31. Mr. + Mrs. Reginald Kehalepuna

[REDACTED] 96866

32. Mrs. Kekuewa of the same address

33. Nancy Ota Whiting

[REDACTED]  
Halewa, 96712 U

34. Richard + Florence Wasai

[REDACTED] 96744

*Kaneohe*

35. Steve + Ellen Vasconcellos

[REDACTED] 96817

36. Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Victor

[REDACTED]  
Kailua, Oahu 96734

37. Amy Takayama

[REDACTED] 96816

*Hon.*

38. Mr. + Mrs. Inoye

[REDACTED]  
Manoa

*Hon. 96822*

39. Brian + Susan Date

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi. 96817

40. Billie Mason  
[redacted]  
Providence, Rhode Island 02906

41. Helen Ekberg  
[redacted]  
Escondido, California  
92025

42. Charles + Joyce Wood  
[redacted]  
Wading River, N.Y.  
11792

43. Julia Chandler  
[redacted]  
Kahala, Hawaii 96752

44. Mr. + Mrs. Charles Budd  
Lacombe, Alberta  
Canada

45. Mauris Peralta  
[redacted] 96817

46. Keala Veto  
[redacted]  
Waianae 96792

47. Mr. + Mrs. Barry Chung  
[redacted] \*  
96822  
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48. Dulcie Inake

[REDACTED]  
Hon. 96814

49. Michael Hutchinson

[REDACTED]  
Sacramento, Ca. 95826

50. Mr. Kiyoshi Doi

[REDACTED]  
Hon. H. 96825

51. Rowena Keala

[REDACTED]  
96813

52. Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Marutani

[REDACTED]  
Hon. H. 96816

53. Mahealani Pascaia

[REDACTED]  
Hon. 96744

54. Mrs. Sayako Oumaye

[REDACTED]  
Hon. 96822

55. Dr. Barbara Hunt

[REDACTED]  
96817

56. Mr. & Mrs. Sozen Yogi

[REDACTED]  
Kahului, Maui 96732

57. Dr. & Mrs. Kellie Blaisdell

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi. 96817

58. Mrs. Setsuko Yoshida

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi. 96825

59. Mr. & Mrs. Eiichi Tanaka

[REDACTED] 96822

60. Mr. & Mrs. Michael Crozier

[REDACTED]  
96815

61. Ms. Kauli Keone

[REDACTED]  
Pearl City, Hi. 96782

62. Mr. & Mrs. Dottie Woy  
(same address as above)

63. John & Joanne Agard

[REDACTED]  
Aiea, Hi. 96701

64. Louis & Irma Agard (Agard)

[REDACTED] 96817

65. Walter & Aileen Burke

[REDACTED]  
Aiea, Hi. 96701

66. Eugene & Carmen Burke

[REDACTED]  
96701

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67. <sup>Aunt</sup> Kamelei Ching

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi. 96818

68. Francis + Angeline Jos

[REDACTED]  
Aua Hi 96781

69. James + Mary Kaleo

[REDACTED]  
Aua, Hi 96701

70. Vernie + Harriet Stanley

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi 96818

71. Patricia Sniffen

[REDACTED]  
Hon. Hi. 96818

72. Bev Orouse + Family

[REDACTED] 96817

73. Kairo Hale

[REDACTED] 96813

74. Iloauba Cambra  
% Kamehameha Schools  
Extension Division

96817 75.

[REDACTED]  
Sarah Quich  
% Kamehameha Schools  
High School Division  
96817

76. Nani Mary [REDACTED]  
% Kamehameha Schools  
High School Dept.  
96817

77. Jard Kealoha  
Ala like  
2828 Pāia St. Suite 3035  
96819

78. Rosalind Davis  
(same address as above) 96819

79. <sup>Assoc.</sup> Professor Rubelite Johnson  
of University of Hawaii 96822  
Indo Pacific Language Dept.

○ 80. Skipper Hamamoto  
[redacted] 96822

81. Mr. + Mrs. Francis Fusio  
[redacted] 96816

82. Mr. + Mrs. John Bennett  
[redacted] (new)  
Kaneohe, 96844

83. Mahala Rosehill  
of Kaneohe Schools 96817  
Extension Division

○ 84. Makia Awa  
[redacted] [redacted] [redacted] 96817





JULIUS SCAMMON RODMAN

1100 Carlyon Avenue  
Olympia, Washington 98501  
November 4th, 1979

Polynesian Voyaging Society

P.O. Box 19000-A

Honolulu, Hawaii, 96819

Dear Friends and Shipmates:-

I much regret that the invitation to the Annual Meeting of December 13th arrived here too late for me to either make plans to attend, or reply RSVP by December 3rd. I am glad to see the Polynesian Voyaging Society emerge from its initial difficulties to become a major cultural force. My intention is to get a copy of Mr. B. R. Finney's book, "Hokule'a: The Way to Tahiti, and wonder if it is an objective work.

Aloha-ly yours,

*Julius S. Rodman*  
Julius S. Rodman



Oct 24 '79

Dear Marlene,

I got your membership letter so I want to get it right back to you. When you get a newsletter made up you can send it to the address on the form.

Its getting cold here now. We have a snow storm going on outside now. Its sticking on the ground. Vikki sure had fun playing in it today. She really likes the snow.

We are settled and Im working. Prices sure are alot lower here.

We miss Hawaii but we like it here "

too. Say hello to  
everyone there for us.

Sincerely  
Larry

October 30, 1979

Ms. LaVerne Miller  
10144 South Delwood Road

Oak Lawn, Illinois 60450

Aloha LaVerna

Thank you for your note.

Hokule'a is being prepared for the 1980 voyage and she looks beautiful. The crew will be selected sometime in the middle of November and all plans are going smoothly.

Our office is under staffed (just me), so unfortunately only one newsletter has been published under Volume 6.

I have noted your change of address, and perhaps I will get to meet you in person someday.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

October 25, 1979

Miss Marlene Among, Secretary  
Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Dear Marlene,

I am writing today to give you my new address. Enclosed is a change-of-address card to help you correct your mailing list.

Thank you for sending me the 1979 membership card. I have only received one issue of the PVS Newsletter this year, and that was Vol. 6, No. 1. If there have been other PVS mailings, I would appreciate it very much if you would send them to me.

Best wishes again, and good luck to PVS and the Society's goals. When you get to see or visit HOKULE'A, please give her a pat for me.

As always,  
Sincerely,

*LaVerne Miller*  
LaVerne Miller

Enclosure

P.S. In my last letter to PVS, I called HOKULE'A "Star of the Sea" instead of "Star of Gladness". Sorry for the goof.

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**WAIALUA HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB**

P.O. BOX 396  
HALEIWA, HAWAII 96712

September 20, 1979

Polynesian Voyaging Society  
P. O. Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Aloha,

On behalf of the Board of Directors and members of the Waialua Hawaiian Civic Club, I would like to thank you for the informative letter on your activities in preparation for future voyages of the HOKULE'A.

It is in keeping with the traditions of our humble culture that we continue to support each other as we work toward the preservation of Hawai'i.

Please accept our modest contribution, and know that our mana'o is always with your society.

With warmest wishes to the continued success of the HOKULE'A -

'O wau no me ka ha'aha'a,

Tomi D. Chong  
Chairperson  
Hawaiiana Committee

Encl.

October 15, 1979

Mr. Jeff Stevens

Aloha Mr. Stevens:

Mahalo for your letter requesting a Hokule'a t-shirt.

Our stock of large sizes is depleted and we will not be reordering until later next year. Hokule'a will be making another voyage to Tahiti in March of 1980, so we are in the process of redesigning another t-shirt.

Please write me again around the first of the year. Until then, I have enclosed your check for \$6.00 and thank you for your interest.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

Marlene Among, Administrative Secretary  
 Polynesian Voyaging Society  
 Box 6037  
 Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Dear Ms. Among,

Please send me a Polynesian Voyaging Society t-shirt  
 size L 42-44. Please find a money order for \$6.00.

Sincerely,

*Jeff Stevens*  
 Jeff Stevens

P.S. LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE MORE THAN  
 ONE STYLE OF T-SHIRT.

THANKS, Jeff

*Aloha Jeff,*

*Mahalo for your letter requesting  
 a t-shirt. I'm sorry our stock of large  
 sizes is depleted & we will not  
 have large sizes until March 1980.  
 Thank you again for your interest.*

*the first of the year.*



Enclosed is your ck for  
\$ 6.00 and a PVS  
brochure.

Thank you again.

Mehals,

January 9, 1979

Ms. LaVerne Miller

Aloha Ms. Miller:

Please accept my apologies for the long delay in answering your letter.

As you requested, I have checked the mailing list and the records indicate that you are still on it.

Enclosed for your perusal are the newsletters that were issued in 1978. Unfortunately, it is incomplete. The Society was without employees for over a year and during that time correspondence was misplaced. The volunteers who did manage the office are slowly bringing their files back to the office. If the back issues of the newsletter do appear, I will certainly send them to you.

Again, mahalo nui loa for your interest and membership in the Society.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

encl.

Ocl. 28<sup>th</sup> '78

Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Hello Friends,

Thank you for sending my 1978 member-  
ship card - I was happy to receive it.

I have a favor to ask of you. Some of  
my personal papers have been lost, among  
them my 1978 PVS Newsletter. Would you  
please send me a complete set of 1978 PVS  
Newsletters so that I can stay up to date  
on happenings.

Enclosed are 3 stamps and a self-  
addressed envelope for your convenience.  
If that's not enough postage, please let  
me know.

Also, since it has been a long time since  
I've received a Newsletter, please check your  
mailing list to be sure my name is on it.

Thank you very much, and best wishes  
to all of you.

Sincerely,

Ledwene Miller

accept my apologies for the  
Please ~~excuse~~ the long delay  
in answering your letter.

As you requested, I have checked  
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to the records you are still  
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certainly ~~will~~ <sup>send</sup> to you <sup>members</sup>  
<sup>again, we have</sup> <sup>your interest in</sup>  
<sup>the Society</sup>

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card made

27 March 1978

Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Box 6037, Honolulu 96818

Aloha!

E kala mai ko'a hoolohi ana!  
I thought I had renewed my membership for 1978, but it seems I had confused good intentions with the fact. Enclosed is a check for \$25. to cover my dues for 1978 in the rating of Kālai Wa'a - a slight promotion from my previous grade of Holokahiki.

I was stunned when I heard of the swamping of Hōkale'a, and could not believe it at first. But I know everyone concerned is determined that Hōkale'a shall sail again, and as soon as possible. The loss of Eddie Aikanā was a tragedy - yet a fitting final act for one who had so many times before put

his life on the line to help others in trouble with the sea.

The ride I took on Hokulua in November lasted only 2 hours or so, but it was an experience I shall never forget. Nothing spectacular, of course. There were only moderate swells and a brisk breeze - but the manner in which Hokulua rode the swells made you feel that, once the sails were trimmed for the proper course, she would go on forever, to the end of the ocean. It was as if Hokulua had inherited the 'mana' of the ancestral canoes that carried the early Polynesians across the trackless stretches of ocean to settle the whole wide Pacific at a time when other peoples scarcely dared sail out of sight of land.

Hokulua will sail again, a worthy flagship for the renaissance of the Polynesian spirit and culture. I envy those who will have the priceless privilege of sailing with her.

Sincerely,

MacDonald C. Mains



June 27, 1978

## University of Guam

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES  
P. O. BOX EK AGANA, GUAM 96910

### FACULTY OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Att: Marlene Among, Secretary  
Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Dear Ms. Among:

Could you please check up on the status of my membership in the Polynesian Voyaging Society? My records show I sent a check for \$10.00 on April 1, 1978. But my April-May copy of the Society News (Vol. 5, No. 3) was sent to my former address at University of Oregon. It was forwarded to me here on Guam.

I believe you should show my membership up to date, and my current address as follows:

Dr. Rebecca Stephenson  
Dept. of Anthropology  
Univ. of Guam, P.O. Box EK  
Agana, Guam 96910

Also, could you please check up on the status of my parents' membership? They are:

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stephenson

Bemidji, Minnesota 56601

I think their membership has expired. I paid for their original membership. Could you please keep them on the membership rolls, so they will not miss any issue of the Society News, and then bill me for a renewal of membership for my parents.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

*Rebecca Stephenson*  
Rebecca Stephenson, Ph.D.  
Department of Anthropology/Geography

Tuesday, June 5th '78

Mr. Michael A. Tongg, President  
Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Dear Mr. Tongg:

Since the first newspaper item caught my imagination in 1975, I have followed with great interest the Voyage(s) of "Hokule'a."

I felt worried about "Hokule'a" this time and prayed too. But, I wasn't feeling well myself this past winter and spring, and thought maybe that's why I worried more.

Last Friday's mail brought the April-May 1978 Society News, and I was saddened to learn about the accident and loss of crewmember Eddie Aikau. Enclosed is a sympathy card for Eddie Aikau's family. Would you kindly address the envelope for me and drop it in the mail to his family. If, by the grace of God, he has been found in the meantime, please let me know.

The April-May newsletter was moving and sad, but very interesting and full of hope and plans for the next time. I was glad to receive it. With all the happenings, I can see there hasn't been time to acknowledge this year's membership application. I'll be looking forward to any news you have, especially any items about and pictures of the crewmembers.

Even though I'm a far-away PVS member and can only participate in a small way, I want you to know I care and hope that the goals for "Hokule'a" and what she symbolizes are realized.

With sincere good wishes to all,

*LaVerne Miller*

LaVerne Miller

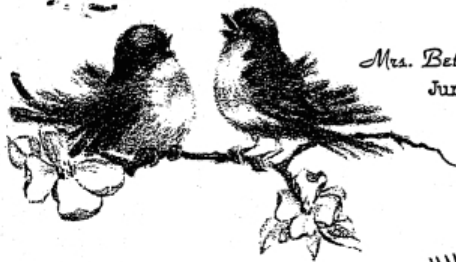


# MEMO

From

Mrs. Betty L. Johnson  
June 2, 1978

\$5.00



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I am a 1978 member, but I was positively stricken by the accident to the Hokule'a in March and the loss of Eddie Aikau. Your newsletter came yesterday (there is also a story in this morning's Honolulu Advertiser), so herewith is enclosed an extra \$5.00

Sincerely & aloha,

Betty L. Johnson

copy

Copy

May 27, 1978

Dr. Alan Ward  
Chairman for S. W. Pacific Studies  
LA TROBE UNIVERSITY  
Bundoora, Victoria  
Australia 3083

Aloha Dr. Ward:

It is with warmest mahalo we express our appreciation to you and your group of Pacific scholars at La Trobe University for their generous contribution.

Please accept the Aloha and gratitude of Captain Lyman and crew of Hokule'a and the Polynesian Voyaging Society. We are deeply appreciative of your Aloha spirit and indeed fortunate to have your support.

Ma kealoha pumehana,

Michale A. Tongg  
President  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

membership -  
join send  
card

Research Centre for S.W. Pacific Studies,  
16 May 1978.

The Secretary,  
Polynesian Voyaging Society,  
% Bishop Museum,  
P.O. Box 6037,  
Honolulu,  
Hawaii.

Dear Sir/Madam,

There is a group of Pacific scholars at this university who have learned of the Voyaging (Waialeale) efforts, and have followed reports of the first voyage with much interest. As a token of our interest I have arranged for our Finance Branch to forward the American equivalent of \$25 Australian by way of donation.

With best wishes for your next voyage.

Yours sincerely,

A. Ward.

(Dr. Alan Ward,  
Chairman).

Donated  
\$28.35

*[Signature]*

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BY AIR MAIL : PAR AVION



*The Secretary,*  
*Polynesian Voyaging Society,*  
*1/2 Bishop Museum,*  
*P.O. Box 6037,*  
*Honolulu,*  
*Hawaii, U.S.A.*

Approved by Postmaster-General for  
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From

*Dr. A. D. Ward,*  
*Research Centre for A.W. Pacific Studies,*  
**LA TROBE UNIVERSITY**  
**BUNDOORA**  
**VICTORIA**  
**AUSTRALIA 3083**

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June 16, 1978

Mrs. H. Androus

Dear Mrs. Androus:

Please excuse my delay in not getting back to you sooner. I did locate your membership card and your 1978 membership is due. The last recorded entry was on June 1976 for \$10.00.

If you would like to renew your membership, please fill out the enclosed card and return it to my office.

Thank you again for your inquiry, and sincerely hope you will renew your membership with the Society.

Me kealoha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION		JUN 1 REGD
NAME	Grace Conness	
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CATEGORY	the Wa'a	AMT. ENCLOSED \$10.00
OCCUPATION	Social Worker	VOLUNTEER <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
SPECIAL SKILLS	PHONE	

POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY  
P.O. BOX 6037/ BISHOP MUSEUM  
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96818

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**POLYNESIAN  
VOYAGING SOCIETY**

BOX 6037 / HONOLULU / HAWAII 96818

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December 29, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Maikai Gonsalves

Aloha Mr. and Mrs. Gonsalves:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Uli or Steersman for the period of December 1978 to December 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

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December 29, 1978

Ms. Pilialoha Gonsalves

Aloha Ms. Gonsalves:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of December 1978 to December 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

December 29, 1978

Ms. Kekaulike Gonsalves

Aloha Ms. Gonsalves:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

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Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 23, 1978

Mr. Terence Barrow

Aloha Mr. Barrow:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

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Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 13, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Daegling

Aloha Mr. and Mrs. Daegling:

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Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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## HOKULE'A NEEDS

## JOIN THE POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

Join this non-profit community group and be a supporter of HOKULE'A. Donations and membership fees are tax deductible. Open to everyone Hawaiian at heart.

### MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

<input type="checkbox"/>	Hoe wa'a (paddler) student	\$2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hoe wa'a (paddler) adult	\$10
<input type="checkbox"/>	Holokahiki (sailor)	\$15
<input type="checkbox"/>	Kālai wa'a (canoe maker)	\$25
<input type="checkbox"/>	Uli (steersman)	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ho'okele wa'a (navigator)	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Kahuna Kālai wa'a (master canoe maker)	\$250
<input type="checkbox"/>	A'o hōkū (astronomer)	\$500
<input type="checkbox"/>	Makua mae lokomaika'i (benefactor)	\$1000

### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME	<u>A.D. DAEKING</u>	
ADDRESS	<u>1111</u>	
STATE	<u>HAWAII</u>	ZIP
CATEGORY	<u>PADDLER</u>	AMT. ENCLOSED
OCCUPATION	<u>Pilot</u>	VOLUNTEER <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
SPECIAL SKILLS	PHONE	

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#### CHILDREN'S BOOKS ON POLYNESIAN VOYAGING

Wailani Bell

December 15, 1978

Mr. Charles W. Adcock  
~~2415 Alameda~~

Aloha Mr. and Mrs. Adcock:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

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Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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HOKULE'A NEEDS YOU

JOIN THE POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

Join this non-profit community group and be a supporter of HOKULE'A. Donations and membership fees are tax deductible. Open to everyone Hawaiian at heart.

*RENEWAL*

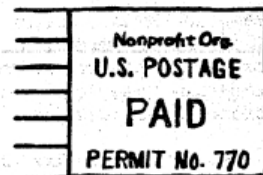
MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

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|---|--------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hoe wa'a (paddler) student             | \$2    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hoe wa'a (paddler) adult               | \$10   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hoiohahiki (sailor)                    | \$15   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kālai wa'a (canoe maker)    | \$25   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ulu (steersman)             | \$50   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ho'okete wa'a (navigator)              | \$100  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kahuna Kālai wa'a (master canoe maker) | \$250  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A'o hōkū (astronomer)                  | \$500  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Makua mae iokomaika'i (benefactor)     | \$1000 |

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME Charles W. Adcock  
 ADDRESS + Betty Lee Adcock  
 STATE HI  
 CATEGORY Hul 9821 ☐ YES ☐ NO  
 OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_ VOLUNTEER ☐ YES ☐ NO  
 SPECIAL SKILLS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

**POLYNESIAN  
VOYAGING SOCIETY**  
 BOX 6037 / HONOLULU / HAWAII 96818



Charles W. Adcock

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#### CHILDREN'S BOOKS ON POLYNESIAN VOYAGING

by Wailani Bell

As we browse through the reading materials available on the market today, we can't help but get excited with some of the books that are being offered. Authors of children's books are introducing new avenues of expression in writing about the lifestyles and environments of children everywhere. No longer are children limited in their choice of reading materials. Rather, they are exposed to a wealth of enrichment. . . books with meaningful stories. . . pictures and illustrations they identify with. Reading becomes an exciting adventure, enhancing the learning experience rather than a sterile academic exercise.

Here in Hawaii, there is a new upsurge of pride and interest in our cultural heritage. There is an impetus with the younger generation to look back at their origins, searching for a connection between themselves and their ancestors. In rediscovering their roots they are becoming more in touch with themselves. Island educators are developing educational materials built around the relevant interest of our island audiences.

A series of four books were written. The first three books. THE VISION OF MO'IKEHA, A CANOE FOR UNCLE KILA, and THE VOYAGE TO TAHITI sends the reader on a journey through the Polynesian's cultural past. It is based on the oral traditions and genealogy according to tradition of High Chief Mo'ikeha and his family, who migrated from Tahiti to Hawaii. The stories give account of this family. The fourth book is about the HOKULE'A, bringing the reader up to date. The Polynesian Voyaging Society builds Hokule'a and prepares for the 1976 voyage to Tahiti, leaving the reader with a feeling and commitment for the future. The reader is intrigued into thinking how he might feel journeying on the immense Pacific Ocean, the largest and deepest body of water covering more than a third of

December 14, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fukuoka

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Aloha Mr. and Mrs. Fukuoka:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

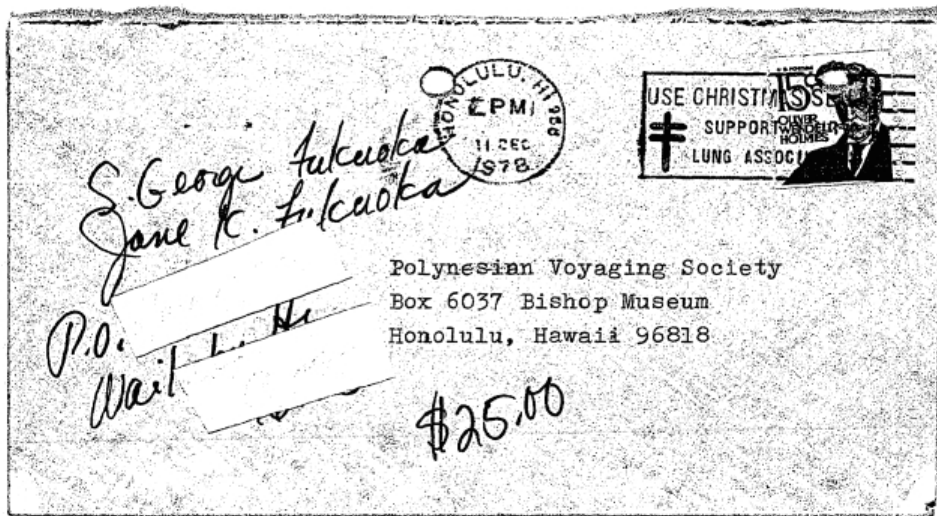
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Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 7, 1978

Dr. J. M. Yamamoto

Aloha Dr. Yamamoto:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

December 8, 1978

Ms. Rebecca White Carter

Aloha Ms. Carter:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Kalai wa'a or canoe maker for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

December 7, 1978

Ms. Marjorie Diffenderfer

Honolulu,

Aloha Ms. Diffenderfer:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 8, 1978

Mr. Byron Cleeland

Aloha Mr. Cleeland:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoʻokahiki or sailor for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 8, 1978

Ms. Virginia L. Worley

Aloha Ms. Worley:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support, and it was a pleasure meeting you at the Annual Membership Meeting.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY



December 7, 1978

Mr. Anthony J. Lopez

Aloha Mr. Lopez:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

December 7, 1978

Ms. Geraldina Marullo  
Mr. Roberto Liljestrang

Aloha Kakou!

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors (ho ho), I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution. (cheapoos)

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your support and concern.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
PRESIDENT  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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December 7, 1978

Ms. Paula Luv

Aloha Paula:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Ho'okele wa'a or navigator for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern. It was a pleasure meeting you at the Annual Membership Meeting. Come by and visit..

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 17, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Diehl

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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Diehl:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Ho'okele wa'a or navigator for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Mariene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 20, 1978

Ms. Barbara B. Smith

Aloha Ms. Smith:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Kalai wa'a or canoe maker for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and interest.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 20, 1978

Mrs. Lauretta Russell  
1416 Kaimukoo

Aloha Mrs. Russell:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Kalai wa'a or canoe maker for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and interest.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 16, 1978

Elizabeth M. Adams, M. D.

Aloha Ms. Adams:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Kalai wa'a or canoe maker for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 16, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Akana  
1777 17

Honolulu, Hawaii

Aloha Mr. and Mrs. Akana:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 14, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. John Among, Jr.

~~1001 Kamehameha Street~~  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

Aloha John and Bea:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 14, 1978

Mr. Larry Johnson  
1410 W. Walnut

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Aloha Larry:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of October 1978 to October 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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November 14, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Roger M. Kondo

Aloha Roger and Deborah:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of November 1978 to November 1979.

Again, mahalo for your support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

October 24, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce W. Howell

Aloha Bruce and Juanita:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a, or paddler for the period of October 1978 to October 1979.

Again, mahalo for your support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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October 24, 1978

Mr. Dominic Orsatti

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Aloha Dominic:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a, or paddler for the period of October 1978 to October 1979.

Again, mahalo for your support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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October 24, 1978

Pat Fox Levitz

Dear Pat:

On behalf of the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Holokahiki, or sailor for the period of October 1978 to October 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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September 6, 1978

Ms. Lucille H. Robinson

Dear Lucille:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Halaakala'a or canoe maker for the period of September 1978 to September 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant

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September 6, 1978

Mr. David W. Miles

Aloha David:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoa wa'a or student for the period of July 1978 to July 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant



September 6, 1978

Mrs. Jay E. Hammond and Leila Hammond

Aloha:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a and Kalai Wa'a for the period of July 1978 to July 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant

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September 10, 1978

J. Cannell

Aloha:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Uli or Steersman for the period of July 1978 to July 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Assistant

membership

August 30, 1978

Ms. Barbara Yamamoto

Dear Barbara:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me kealoha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

August 30, 1978

Mr. Geoffrey Moore Langdon

Aloha Mr. Langdon:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Holokahiki or sailor.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern for the Hokule'a.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

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August 30, 1978

Mr. Robert Camara  
2250

Aloha Bobby:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Holokahiki or sailor.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

August 29, 1978

TO: MAXINEOO./ALU LIKE  
FROM: MARLENE AMONG  
SUBJECT: LEAVE

Maxine, I will be on leave from September 11 - 22,  
1978 and will return to the office on September 25th.

Leon Sterling will be handing in my time sheets.

Thanks for everything.

August 30, 1978

Ms. Ruth M. Nishiyama

Dear Ms. Nishiyama:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of August 30, 1978 to August 30, 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

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August 30, 1978

Kelley Ross

Dear Kelley:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Holokahiki or sailor for the period of August 1978 to August 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

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August 29, 1978

Higgins & Sons

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Aloha:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a Hoe wa'a or paddler for the period of August 1978 to August 1979.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

July 27, 1978

Ms. Betty W. Stewart

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Dear Ms. Stewart:

Please excuse the delay in getting back to you.

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Holokahiki or sailor.

Again, mahalo for your continued support and concern for the Hokule'a.

Me kealoha pumhhana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

Wetty W. Stewart  
Donald P. Stewart  
421 Gr  
Chapel Hill, No

July 9, 1978

Marlene Among  
PVS  
P.O. Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

Aloha, again!

Sometime in April, before I received the latest PVS Newsletter about the accident, I sent you all a letter and a check for \$15.00 renewing my membership! I have not received my new membership card and am wondering if my letter + check got lost in the shuffle. I am sure you must have been swamped with mail about Hakele's Capsize about the time I sent my letter.

Please let me know if you did not receive it so that I can send another check. - Tho I am far away, my heart remains in Hawaii and belonging to PVS means very much to me, even tho I cannot

Contribute as much money as I would like. - I am newly divorced, still have 2 younguns, and my budget is stretched out of sight. -

I am trying to recruit some new members. - Have two good possibilities lined up! -

My best Aloha to one & all. -

Betty W. Stewart  
[REDACTED] (new address)  
Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514

April 17, 1948 -

Alaha,

Am a "little" late in renewing my membership, - wish I could donate more, but my heart & home are with you all. I don't know how I could Makua this far away, but if I can, please let me know.

Hawaii still lives in my heart and my dreams, and when the time is right, I will return. - I know that another meaning of Alaha is "Wait." -

I was delighted to note that Sam Ka'ai is on your Board. - I fell in love with her picture in the National Geographic - (April '46). He is, without a doubt, the happiest looking human I have ever seen! -

Hoping to hear from you soon. -

Betty W. Stewart

July 7, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Avery

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Avery:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

Your membership has been renewed from July 1978 to July 1979. Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me kealohe pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

Memberships file

Renewed

June 14, 1978

Ms. Priscilla Leong

Dear Ms. Leong:

On behalf of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution.

As a small token of appreciation, you have been enrolled as a member of the Society as a Hoe wa'a or paddler.

Again, mahalo for your continued support.

Me kealoha pumehana,

Marlene Among  
Administrative Secretary

(Similar letter written to those on attached list for 1978 members.)



**JULIUS SCAMMON RODMAN**  
Olympia, Washington  
June 3rd, 1978

JUN 7 1978

Jack Thielen, Treasurer:  
Polynesian Voyaging Society  
P.O. Box 6037/ Bishop Museum  
Honolulu, Hawaii, 96818



Dear Mate:-

In answer to your request for payment of my dues for 1978, I herewith enclose \$10.00 for a paddler's card of membership. Your circular carries mention of Captain Norman Pi'ianaia, which reminded me that I was several months on Baker Island with Abraham Pi'ianaia in 1935. I had charge of the survey of that island for Dr. Dana Coman, leader of the Panairways Oceanographic Expedition to the Equatorial Islands, aboard the Gloucester-built Kinkajou.

I hope the society will recover from the recent disastrous voyage, and that this modest fee will find a useful place in your budget for the next voyage.

All the best and Oia'i'o.

*Julius S. Rodman*  
Julius S. Rodman

*Answered  
6/14/78*



Steve Somsen  
150 Kamehameha Street

Jack Thielen, Treasurer  
and/or  
Cecilia Kapua Lindo  
Polynesian Voyaging Society  
Post Office Box 6037  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

17 February 1978

Dear Jack and/or Cecilia,

Enclosed please find my check for \$10.00 for membership in the Polynesian Voyaging Society for calendar year 1978. When sending my 1978 membership card in the mail, would you please include an acknowledgement of the \$100.00 check I sent to you on August 16, 1977. (Check number 487, First Hawaiian Bank of Kailua, deposited by you at the Bank of Honolulu on 18 September 1977, and paid by my bank on 20 September 1977.)

Sincerely,

*Steve Somsen*  
Steve Somsen

*membership*

# POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

BOX 6037 / HONOLULU / HAWAII 96818 / (808) 841-3966

March 2, 1978

**PRESIDENT**  
BENJAMIN B. C. YOUNG, M.D.

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AUGUST YEE

Mr. Steve Somsen  
150 W. ...

Dear Steve:

Please forgive me for not responding to you earlier. Your 1977 donation of \$100.00 and 1978 donation of \$10.00 is hereby acknowledged.

I have referred this matter to Moku Froiseth to expedite matters in getting membership cards to you.

I would appreciate you contacting me at your convenience should you have any questions or if I can assist you in any matter.

Thanking you for your time and cooperation.

Sincerely,

POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

By MICHAEL A. TONGG  
President

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21 May 1978

Polynesian Voyaging Society  
P.O.Box 6037  
Bishop Museum  
Honolulu 96818

Dear Sirs:

Since I am approaching the time in life when I am faced with the prospect of diminishing income the result of diminishing productivity; since, as an individual entrepreneur with no built-in retirement or cushion against the vicissitudes of old age, I must look to increasing frugality; and, since the government is imposing an ever-increasing tax burden upon us professionals, my wife and I have decided to budget our contributions to worthy causes to a list that we must pare drastically.

This is not to say that any of you are unworthy or not deserving of assistance from people who are dedicated to paying a tithe. However, we have to be realistic about our own capabilities to help others, in the face of avoiding the happenstance of our becoming burdens ourselves.

Therefore, please understand that our previous support of your commendable efforts to do good in this land of ours, must be passed on to the next generation.

Aloha,

J. I. Frederick Reppun

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Jean and Fred Reppun • Kahalu'u, O'ahu, Hawai'i

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