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January 17, 1978

Dear Aikane:

The Education Committee of the Polynesian  
Voyaging Society will have its next meeting on  
Friday, February 3, 1978 at Kamehameha Schools.  
Please meet at Gordon Pi'ianaia's office (in the  
Administration Building) at 3:30 p.m..

Thank you kindly for your cooperation. Hope  
to see you there!

Aloha,

Cecilia Lindo  
Chairman, Education Committee

CL:ka

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26	BEN FINNEY				
27	BENJAMIN YOUNG				
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29	PAT & JACK THIELAN	7/8	VIA WAILANI		
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 DR. BENJAMIN YOUNG  
 DR. CHARMAN AKINA  
 HERB KANE

To: Kapua Lindo  
\* Please return.

TELEPHONE COMMUNIQUE

TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1978 : CALLS MADE TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS.....

MICHAEL TONIG  
PAIGE BARBER  
SIEGFREID RAMLER  
J.L. LUCAS  
LINDA MCCRERREY  
MEHEALANI PESCAIA  
ELAINE TAKENAKA  
KEALI I LAU'A *did not get b.k.*  
ANTHONY GUERRERO

(RENEE MILLER *These did not get book*)  
MOKU FROISETH

BARBARA HUNT

✓ MARION KELLY *Gave me her ideas about book*

JO ANNE STERLING

IN CONFERENCE - LEFT MESSAGE TO CALL BACK  
WILL CALL BACK TOMORROW- NOT FINISHED CRITIQUING BOOK  
NOT IN OFFICE - LEFT MESSAGE TO CALL BACK  
IN CLASS - LEFT MESSAGE TO CALL BACK  
ON VACATION TODAY - NOT ABLE TO REACH  
WILL DROP OFF BOOK TOMORROW  
OUT OF OFFICE - LEFT MESSAGE TO CALL BACK  
NO ANSWER  
NOT AT DESK - LEFT MESSAGE TO CALL BACK  
\* ASK ABOUT POSTAGE  
NOT IN - LEFT MESSAGE ON CODE, A, PHONE  
WILL DROP BOOK OFF AT HER PLACE TONIGHT. MAY NOT BE ABLE TO  
FINISH.... WILL DO AS MUCH AS SHE CAN  
WILL BE ON VACATION TO MIDDLE OF AUGUST. NOT ABLE TO  
CRITIQUE BOOK BECAUSE OF FAMILY ACTIVITIES ALREADY PLANNED.  
ON VACATION - NOT ABLE TO CRITIQUE BOOK

SPOKE WITH HER ON ULU MAU VILLAGE ACTIVITY ON JULY 25, 1978.  
ASKED HER IF SHE WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN PRESENTATION.  
SHE SUGGESTED LEON SINCE HE HAS MORE TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE  
ABOUT HOKULE'A. I SUGGESTED THAT THEY BOTH GO AND EACH CAN  
SHARE THEIR OWN EXPERTISE AND MANA ON THE HOKULE'A.  
SHE WILL CHECK SCHEDULE AND RETURN CALL TOMORROW AS SHE MAY  
BE INVOLVED WITH GOLF FOR THAT EVENING.

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 DR. KENNETH EMORY X  
 DR. BENJAMIN YOUNG X  
 DR. CHARMAN AKINA X  
 HERB KANE  
 Elaine Takenaka

None  
 Gordon  
 Will Kyselka  
 Marion Kelly  
 Pat Thielan

} These did such a superb  
 job of critiquing - I think  
 I'd rather send them out to  
 them once more.

July 7, 1978  
Friday, 5:10 p.m.

Aloha Kapua,

Enclosed are : Letter from the Dep't of Education which I don't fully understand. *filed*

Form I put together for you to fill out so that I can zerox a copy for myself, of how, when and where we distributed the manuscripts to each individual. This way we can have a record of when they received and returned it.

I also have received a requisition and purchase order from Kula Elementary School requesting books. I would like to check with you to see if I have done the invoice correctly as far as clerical procedures. They requested 4 sets of Four Na Puke Huaka'i Kamali'i, and Whilene and I didn't know which books they were. They also requested a Book Project set and Curriculum Guide.

The cost of the zeroxing came up to \$2.18 and the cost of 30 stamps = \$4.50. Total for dissemination of minutes cost \$6.78.

I will be delivering the manuscript to August Yee at Holiday Mart as he is unable to pick it up here at the HS. If I wait till he is able to, he won't have sufficient time to read and evaluate it.

Well that's about it. Have a nice weekend.

Mahalo and aloha,

Wailani

P.S. WE FORGOT TO INCLUDE IN THE MINUTES THAT WILL KYSELKA WAS ASKED AND AGREED TO JOIN OUR EDUCATION COMMITTEE AS A MEMBER RATHER THAN JUST A CONSULTANT. *next month*  
THE ACCOUNTABILITY OF DISTRIBUTION FORM I'M SENDING TO YOU, PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION IN PENCIL SO THAT I CAN TYPE OVER IT WHEN YOU SEND IT BACK.

MAHALO!





# MEMOS

and mana'o from wailani

## THINGS TO DO: PVS

- ( ) Pick up pictures from Photo Arts for display posters
- ( ) Drop off books at Kaimuki Intermediate School
- ( ) Finish Roladex card file
- ( ) Type media resource - Roladex
- ( ) Type out Education Committee Report
- ( ) Deliver negatives to Longs
- ( ) Fill out Employee Car Registration for Kamehameha Schools
- ( ) Send \$20.00 to Kahaluu Coalition  
47-232 Waihea Rd.  
Kaneohe
- ( ) Write draft to Alu Like on request for extension of positions  
Attn: Lehua Henion
- ( ) Draft Speaker's Bureau Forms
- ( ) Draft agenda for Speaker's Bureau
- ( ) Update Speaker's Bureau Calendar
- ( ) Call Goodman (Island Heritage) for Herb's article, request permission to reprint
- ( ) Send memos to authors....ask for authorization and license for editors  
to rephrase sentences
- ( ) Write out Goals & Objectives of Education Committee
- ( ) Design Speaker's Bureau handouts; packets and worksheets to give at presentations
- ( ) Mail Education Committee Report
- ( ) Write to Herb Kane about prints of work
- ( ) Work on slide presentation
- ( ) Collect monies from boys (seamen) to reimburse Leon for monies spent on navigational materials for Navigation Course \$31.09 each boy owes
- ( ) Work on developing materials for presentations
  - . intro
  - . migrations
  - . canoes
  - . fish hooks
  - . sennit
  - . food preparation
- ( ) Call Nancy to check on records from Book Project
- ( ) Set up accounting system for accountability of books sold and on inventory
- ( ) Set up inventory system.....take physical inventory
- ( ) Call on retail stores to check on their inventory....what's on consignment and what has already been depleted
- ( ) Design sales voucher to record cash sale, consignment purchases and on account (voucher/invoice) sales



## THINGS TO DO

\*\*\*\*\*=Priorities

### TYPING

- \* ☒ Na Hana Huaka'i - articles
- \* ☒ Na Hana Huaka'i - excercises

### CORRESPONDENCE

- ☒ "Thank you" notes for Big Island Trip
- ☒ Answer requests for presentations

### WRITING

- ☒ Letter for Newsletter requesting slides
- ( ) Letter to D.O.E. announcing presentation services
- ( ) Form for presentations - handouts
- ( ) Letter to book companies asking for inventory
- ☒ Form for reply of requests for presentations
- ( ) Speaker's Bureau members for presentations

### REPORTS

- ☒ Big Island Report to Gordon/ budget
- \* ☒ Submit report to Gordon and Cecilia
- \* ☒ Inventory and marketing assessment on Book Project
- ☒ Submit report to Anthony
- \* ☒ Education Committee Report for March 8th meeting

### WORKSHOPS

- \* ☒ Write letter to Manpower committee
- \* ☒ Write letters inviting individuals to participate in workshops
- \* ☒ Re-type Cecilia's drafts on workshops
- \* ☒ Coordinate:
  - ☒ Art Book & Film Festival Saturday, March 17, 1979
  - ☒ Marine Ocean Fair Mon. - Fri. April 9 -13
  - ☒ Earth Day Celebration Friday, April 27, 1979

### ZEROX AND MAIL

- ☒ Education Committee Report
- ☒ Letter announcing Ed. meeting
- \* ☒ "History" for Wally & Tommy
- \* ☒ Letters to:
  - ☒ Noelani Mahoe
  - ☒ Nainoa Thompson
  - ☒ Peter Apo
  - ☒ Hinano Paleka
  - ☒ Michael Tongg
  - ☒ Sterlings
  - ☒ Nancy Mower
  - ☒ Tommy Holmes
  - ☒ Wallace Froiseth
  - ☒ Kapua LIndo
- ☒ Na Hana Huaka'i articles for Cecilia ( whole book)

### COMPLETE

- ☒ Roladex
- ( ) Tapa book forms with accountability of presentations, job responsibilities, etc.....
- ☒ Update cork board and calendars
- ( ) PVS photo albums of activities and presentations
- ( ) Activity Study book and box on Hawaiiana
- ( ) Update yellow folders
- ☒ Presentation handouts
- ☒ Update filing cabinet/ tab folders

### CORRESPONDENCE -continued

- ( ) Lyman House Memorial for Book Project
- \* ☒ Calif. Dep't of Education for Book Project bid
- \* ☒ Letters to Gordon, Tommy and David and Bob for slide presentation

### PROJECTS

- ( ) 3 posters for hotels/ Mike Tongg
- ( ) Posters for advertising books

### FOR MARLENE

- ☒ Activity report for March/ April
- ☒ Remind her to send S & R letter out

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August 16, 1978

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MEMO: TO Leon Sterling, Vessel Supervisor

Aloha Leon,

Enclosed are copies of the letters concerning the Makahiki Celebration on Sept. 23, 1978.

Per prior conversations relating to the proposals of PVS's participation in it, I would like to request the support of you and your seamen in helping me plan and set it up.

I will inform you on the progress of "what's happening" as I continue to communicate with John Reppun, Co Chairman.

Please consider and deliberate on innovative ideas as to how we can both make the exhibit a success. With a combined effort of the Education Committee and Canoe Committee we should be able to produce a well thought out and effective display.

Mahalo,

Wailani Bell  
Education Coordinator

cc: Cecilia Kapua Lindo  
Gordon Pi'ianaia

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BICENTENNIAL VOYAGE OF REDISCOVERY  
HOE AKU I KA WA'A

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To LEON PAOA STERLING

FROM WILLENE WAILANI BELL

WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE TO HAVE THE SEAMEN MAKE TWO  
MINATURE CANOE PADDLES, A CLEATH, A TEAR DROP AND A MINATURE  
REPLICA OF A DOUBLE HULLED CANOE FOR THE PVS OFFICE?

MAHLO,

*Willene Bell*

WAILANI BELL

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BICENTENNIAL VOYAGE OF REDISCOVERY  
HOE AKU I KA WA'A



MEMO: TO LEON STERLING  
FROM WAILANI BELL

LEON,

NANI LYMAN, CECILIA LINDO, AND MYSELF WOULD LIKE YOU TO WRITE AN ARTICLE FOR NA HANA HUAKA'I ON INTERISLAND VOYAGES. WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO DO A MAP EXACTLY LIKE THE ONE YOU OUTLINED FOR THE OFFICE. WE THINK IT'S GREAT AND VERY EDUCATIONAL. ALSO WRITE AN ARTICLE OUTLINING THE DIFFERENT TRIPS YOU MADE BETWEEN ISLANDS, HOW YOU TACKED, INCIDENTS WHICH OCCURRED WHICH MADE YOU HAVE TO CHANGE COURSE, I.E. WIND AND CURRENT TURBULENCE (UNEXPECTED), ETC.,..... GEAR IT DOWN TO THE LEVEL OF A YOUNG AUDIENCE. MAKE IT INTERESTING. I HAVE A NUMBER OF FOLDERS FILED ON INTERISLAND TRAVELING AND POLYNESIAN AND WESTERN SAILING THAT YOU CAN REFER TO. PLEASE RETURN THEM WHEN YOU ARE THROUGH.

MELISSA KIM IS STARTING TO TYPE PRINT THE BOOK TODAY, SO IF YOU AGREE TO WRITE THE ARTICLE AND CHART A MAP FOR THE BOOK, THEN YOU HAVE TO START WORKING ON IT RIGHT AWAY SO THAT YOU CAN HAVE IT FINISHED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

ALSO WOULD YOU PLEASE NUMBER THE CHARTING ON THE WALL MAP FOR THE OFFICE. I HAVE THE PLASTIC NUMBERS THAT YOU CAN USE.

THE ARTICLE YOU WILL WRITE WILL BE CALLED:

INTERISLAND CANOE VOYAGES

by Leon Paoa Sterling  
Vessel Supervisor, HOKULE'A

Make it about <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> 3 pages long + a charted map of routings used.

KAPUA AND NANI FEEL THIS ARTICLE IS MUCH NEEDED FOR THE ACTIVITY BOOK AND ARE HOPING YOU WILL AGREE TO DOING IT.

ALSO IF YOU HAVE TIME COULD YOU WRITE AN ARTICLE ON THE OHANA SPIRIT IN POLYNESIAN VOYAGING. YOU CAN TALK ON HOW DIFFERENT INDIVIDUALS CONTRIBUTE THEIR OWN "MANA" TO THE SUCCESS OF THE CANOE.

mahalo,

Wailani  
8/16/78 (10:15a.m.)

Articles you may want to use as a resource: Please return files.

AUTHOR

Herb Kane  
Herb Kane  
Will Kyselka & Nainoa Thompson  
Gordon Pihandana  
Dave Lyman

ARTICLE

INTERISLAND LOG OF HOKULE'A  
SEEING BY STARS AND THE SEA  
KEALAIKAHIKI TRIP  
KEALAIKAHIKI TRIP  
POLYNESIAN AND WESTERN SAILING  
INTERISLAND TRAVEL 1976

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Wednesday Afternoon

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## ALOHA 'AUIINALA!

Welcome to our office open house! Please enjoy yourselves! If for a tender moment you feel like Dorothy Lamour or John Hall cruising through the movie "HURRICANE" as you enter our office porthole, it is just an extension of our incurably romantic hula girl backgrounds that managed to seep through our interior designs. We really didn't intend for it to come out looking like "Don the Beachcomers", it just sort of turned out that way!

We felt, our office, like our canoe, needed to be refitted and refurbished. Taking immediate action we took it upon ourselves to give it a gentle facelift and add some spice and pazazz to it. With imagination and the cooperation of our Hawaiian Vikings, we finally accomplished our objectives.....well almost! We could still use piped ocean sounds from Muzack.....

Marlene (Ms. Onassis) and yours truly (Madame Rockefeller), the PVS philanthropists, absorbed most of the refurbishing costs as a personal contribution to our PVS office and as an end-of-the-year tax write off to keep us in the low income bracket. As you might note, we are sacrificing champagne and caviar this month and dining rather on sardines, poi, 'opae and Maui onions so that we could afford this feat. We also did the refitting on our own time, after work and on weekends.

As executive administrative secretary, Marlene tried to keep her side of the office looking administrative, and did her decor in conservative and tasteful tones of brown. As the education coordinator, I wanted to give my side a "classroom" effect, using tapa and the colors of the rainbow to give my area a creative and stimulating atmosphere. Well, in a world of individuals comparison is a useless activity!

In trying to keep our office theme nautical, we sought the talents of our crafty Vikings and would like to extend laurels to each and everyone who lent a hand in dressing up our office. Wally Froiseth, our canoe chairman, who carved our majestic PVS name plaques in koa which you see on the facade of our building and above our office door. Love his hieroglyphics....so creative! Mahalo Wally! A special accolade to Bishop Museum electrician Ken Miyazake, and his assistant, Edgar Akina, for their free services and fixtures.

To Leon Sterling and his seamen, in alphabetical order, Kalepa Baybayan, Abel John, Keola Jones, and Anthony Nali'ielua for all of the nautical decor they contributed. They did a splendid job! We're very proud of you! Mahalo!

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THE HAWAIIAN GUILD OF TALENTED TITA'S AND HAWAIIAN VIKINGS

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HULA LA-HO-LEI PRODUCTIONS

-presents-

COME AND JOIN THE FUN! .(FUND???)

"As I dance away into Kaneohe Bay,  
on my Hobie Cat which I sail,  
I, Ms. Sailor-ette, will return one day,  
to tell you an exciting tale."

MS.  
SAILOR-ETTE

"The summer wind came blow-  
ing in from across the  
"Let the good times sea..."  
Be HAPPY!" *ROLL*

"I have known adventures in  
Paradise....."

THE POLYNESIAN VOYAGING

MERMAIDS

SEAMEN

VESSEL SUPERVISOR

and

NAVIGATOR

ms.  
KA  
LEO  
O  
KAPAHULU

WELCOME  
YOU

ON BOARD OUR  
OPEN HOUSE

ENJOY YOURSELVES!

Sept. 6, 1978

Maui  
Among

Pondaleo  
Bull

To Ben Young, for designing our desk name plates which should be arriving any time now.....mahalo! To Michael Tongg, Anthony Guerrero Jr. and Gordon Pi'ianai'a for contributing to our fund raising campaign. Mahalo!

We hope that our enthusiasm and initiative for refitting and refurbishing our office will act as a catalyst in rekindling the alacrity you have all shared in the past in keeping the spirit of our Polynesian Voyaging Society a living entity in research, education, and experiential canoe voyaging.

With well directed energy, open lines of communication, and a sharing of each other's mana'o, we can achieve full fruition of our objectives. Hōkūle'a, our esteemed and seaworthy double-hulled canoe, whom we have all experienced our own personal love affair with, will continue to open up new avenues of expression in Hawaiian studies.

If we continue to emulate the intense drive and dedication of our charter members who researched, loved and shared the whole experience of Hōkūle'a, our PVS will continue to serve as an important constituent of our Hawaiian culture. Through the combined efforts of our past, present, and future members, we will continue to witness Hōkūle'a redefine our Hawaiian heritage, enhancing the pride and dignity of our Hawaiianess.

With ALOHA we can hold together the OHANA of our PVS! Each and everyone of you are needed and valued. Let us all discover our mana'o and have fun in the process! E Kipa Mai E Ho'olaule'a a Pū Kākou! (Come and Let's Celebrate Together!)

Having an open house this afternoon will give everyone an opportunity to rediscover each other. We extended invitations to the press also because we would like to let the media know that we are a vital and growing organization. We have a dynamic and innovative society and we would like to extend ourselves and our services to the whole community in Polynesian voyaging and other Hawaiian related areas.

I have put together a "TIME MANAGEMENT HANDBOOK" to give all of you as an "open house" favor. It serves a number of purposes:

☺ Because I love all of you, and wanted to leave you with a token of ALOHA for just being yourselves.....warm, loving and caring individuals, each a unique entity in God's scheme.

☺ To introduce myself to those who haven't already met me and to "show off" (ho'oio i'au noho'i) a sampling of my "abilities" to plan and coordinate.

☺ I thought you might enjoy using this plan. It can be fun and effective.

☺ To hopefully give you an incentive to come to tomorrow's PVS meeting filled with creative and innovative NOTES TO THE PVS and MEMOS FOR THE EDUCATION COORDINATOR. (P.S. You don't need to be an educator or on the Education Committee to come up with an educational idea. So please share your mana'o!

☺ To publically acknowledge with a NUI, NUI ALOHA the committee that hired me. They were courageous...and ran the risk....they could have played it a lot safer and hired a more conservative individual. More than often the "colorful" me masks the more serious side of my nature. I appreciate their faith in me and hope that I will reinforce the convictions of their selection. I have thoroughly enjoyed working with them these past months. They are an inspiring and beautiful group of human beings and I am very proud to be part of their hui.

☺ To throw a graceful hint to ALU LIKE that our office is bustling with productive activities and we are needed after September 30th.

HERE IS A SNEAK PREVIEW OF WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OUR OFFICE OR ABOUT TO HAPPEN! I would love feedback and constructive suggestions on any of the following. My interpretation of being a coordinator is not only to create and disseminate educational materials and programs, but also to put together the best of all of the ideas and suggestions from the whole of the society.



The office is in the process of developing:

- A Polynesian Voyaging Society brochure
- Display posters for the Children's Book Project to be placed in:
  - ☐ The Planetarium display case of Hōkūle'a
  - ☐ The Bishop Museum gift shop
  - ☐ The PVS office
  - ☐ Commercial outlets that will lend us shelf space
  - ☐ Workshops and exhibits
- 30 minute slide presentations for:
  - ☐ School audience
  - ☐ General audience
  - ☐ Business organizations and fund raising projects
- Large easel pad presentation visually depicting information on the PVS and its activities and accomplishments, past, present and future.
- Photo collage (already on display today) on the PVS Ohana. \*I need photos to complete it so that I can laminate it. I will be photographing you today. No shame (no hīlahila)! Keep smiling!
- Collating newspaper articles in a bound binder on the activities of Hōkūle'a that can be used as a resource for anyone interested in researching the voyages of Hōkūle'a.
- Promotional and educational handouts that will be given out at workshops.
- Updating presentation materials already on hand and developing new materials.
- \* Maps and charts on currents, wind, stars, foods and other related subjects on voyaging. These will be developed on cardboard backing with acetate overlays.
- Updating "Speaker's Bureau" with a calendar of scheduled events and speakers.
- Building a working model to scale of Hōkūle'a with 3 feet hulls that can be used at lecture presentations at the schools.
- Continually developing a centralized resource filing system (color coded), that can be used and utilized by everyone as a nucleus where all unified and comprehensive data on voyaging can be located. \*If any of you have any materials at home that you would like filed in the office please let us know. We'll be happy to add them to our resource center. Also any photos, slides, documentations, models of Hōkūle'a, well just "any kinds of stuffs" you might have on hand, we'll certainly welcome your sharing it with us.
- Assisting Jerry Muller with the PVS newsletter, since Jerry will be overwhelmed with homework assignments now that he's begun law school.
- Different media and marketing promotional which are still bouncing around in the "alpha/delta" sphere of my subconscious.....soon they should surface.

I could go on ad infinitum, there are all kinds of activities that our PVS committees are and will be developing. The Education Committee hopes to have our Activity Resource Book, NA HANA HUAKA'I (The Voyaging Works), on the market before the end of the year. Cecilia Kapua Lindo has donated endless hours working to have the book completed as soon as possible.

The canoe committee will be scheduling inter-island voyages as soon as Hōkūle'a is ready to sail. Again Hōkūle'a will be used as a "floating classroom".

I don't want to burn your attention span out with our accomplishments..... enough is enough...for now....so before this turns into an elongated term paper or doctoral dissertation, may I end with.....

Let us all work together to make our Polynesian Voyaging Ohana an instrument of education and personal growth, helping to develop the new and initiate whatever can improve the quality of human existence making this a better world that is ready to be born.

I wish you continued or renewed relationships with those persons who make up your universe, and I hope you can add new members to your circle of love. May your participation in our society enrich your experience of the miracle of life and widen your dimensions in the miracle of love.

Let us all nurture our potential and learn new and effective ways to make our Polynesian Voyaging Society a tremendous success! May your mana continue to shine as you voyage through life. Look up to heaven when you voyage and pay homage for the experience life

aloha pumehana,

*Wailani*

Willene Wailani Bell  
Education Coordinator

SEPT. 8, 1978

TO: LEON STERLING

FROM: WILLENE WAILANI BELL

SUBJECTS: LETTER OF INTRODUCTION FOR TAPI KOAHOU  
MEMOS FOR PVS ACTIVITIES

Per television broadcast Sept. 6, 1978 and newspaper article on Sept. 7, 1978, the PVS has been receiving a number of telephone calls by persons interested in the navigation course and workshops for different educational institutions which we have available.

Tapi is interested in signing up for the course and I am sending her to see you so that you can give her information on the course and take whatever action is needed to sign her up. I will refer all applicants up to your canoe workplace to sign up for the courses unless you instruct me otherwise.

I also have a number of other messages for you but Tapi is in the office and I don't want to keep her waiting as I type out all of the memos. Please contact me, as soon as you can.

Buddy McGuire was up here this morning and is looking for you. I can't find the materials you told him I had.

I also have a reimbursement check of \$16.00 for the refurbishing of the canoe.

mahalo,

*Wailani*  
Wailani  
Education Coordinator

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TO: KADAIKA KAPAHULEHUA  
FROM: WILLENE WAILANI BELL  
SUBJECT: SMALL SCALE MODEL OF HOKULE'A

Aloha Kawika!

This past week, I have been receiving a number of calls from the schools and the community requesting lectures and presentations on Polynesian voyaging. I am anticipating even more requests since my appearance on Channel 9, on Sept. 6th, informing the media that we do have materials available to service the general public with.

I have been working on developing a number of different presentation materials to be used at these workshops and lectures. I am in need of a small scale model of Hokule'a. I was hoping that I would be able to find one or have someone build one with approximate 3 feet long hulls and a 2 scale model.

I was told that you have a replica of the Hokule'a and offered to loan it to our Society. If so, I would really appreciate your offer. Please contact me at the office so that I can make arrangements with the schools that we do have one available. They have inquired about it. I will take good care of it.

I hope you enjoyed our "Open House" gathering on Wednesday. Your pictures came out really nice. In the souvenir booklet I left with you, page 2 was missing. I have enclosed it in this envelope.

Will be looking forward to hearing from you. I need to start scheduling my presentations beginning next week.

Aloha and mahalo,

*Wailani*

Willene Wailani Bell  
Education Coordinator

cc; Michael Tongg  
Cecilia Lindo  
Gordon Pi'ianaia  
Wally Froiseth  
Leop. Sterling  
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## SAMPLE OF CORRESPONDENCE

September 29, 1978

SENT TO CONFIRM

WRITTEN REQUESTS ~

*This is basic format  
of letter.*

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Carol Chiswell  
President  
COAST GUARD OFFICERS' WIVES' CLUB  
1311 Tampa Drive  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96819

RE: REQUEST FOR GUEST SPEAKER AT OCT. 19th LUNCHEON

Aloha Carol;

Received your letter, requesting a speaker and a slide presentation of Hokule'a's voyage to Tahiti. We are pleased to know that your club is interested in knowing more about the activities of the Polynesian Voyaging Society.

Our Voyaging Society has been enormously enriched through its association with groups of fine women that are interested in maritime activities, and we appreciate your calling upon us to share our experiences with your group.

We are trying to touch the lives of those interested in seamanship and we try to cover a wide spectrum of concerns about Polynesian voyaging.

The following are different programs and materials we have to offer:

- FILMAGE:
- 90 minute film on Hokule'a's voyage to Tahiti by the National Geographic Society.
  - 30 minute film on the Launching of the Hokule'a produced by Tip Davis.
  - 15 minute film on THE COMING OF THE POLYNESIANS produced by George Tahara. Half of the film is about Hokule'a.

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#### SLIDES

- 30 minute slide presentation on the activities of the Hokule'a from her birth to her voyage back from Tahiti.

#### CHARTS & VISUAL AIDS

- Maps, photos, large posters, charts, chalkboards, handouts, exercise sheets, etc...on canoe construction, sailing and navigation skills, riggings and lashings, food preparation and plants for sea voyaging, coconut basket weaving and sennit making, bird flight patterns and non-navigational nature signs. Sennit cordage, fishhooks, coconut cups, kukui nuts, samples of lashings and food preparation materials, etc...and other related artifacts.

You may want to consider the different materials we have to offer at our presentations and choose the program you feel will be most functional and effective for your group in the time allotted for your program.

Leon Paoa Sterling, who served as 1st mate on Hokule'a's second voyage to Tahiti will be the guest speaker available on the 19th of October. Leon is also the Vessel Supervisor responsible for refurbishing parts of the canoe presently up at the Kamehameha Schools' Industrial and Workshop Area. Leon's expertise in canoe construction and voyaging skills will serve as an excellent resource for any members that may have questions to ask.

I will be accompanying Mr. Sterling to assist with the presentation. I usually do a five minute presentation on the educational dimensions of our Voyaging Society.

We hope that you will continue to look to us for more resource information on Polynesian voyaging in the future. We are a non-profit organization supported by memberships, donations, grants, public funding, and other monies. Staffing for the PVS is supported by Alu Like. Contributions are always welcome!

We are looking forward to meeting with you on October 19th, at 11:30 a.m. at the Ala Moana Americana Hotel, Summit Restaurant.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

*Willene Wailani Bell*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR  
Polynesian Voyaging Society

*This is  
letter of acknowledgment  
from Coast Guard  
Officers' Club.  
rec'd  
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To: Dave Lyman  
FROM: Willene Wailani Bell  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL RESUME

Aloha Dave!

Camilla Alulē from Hawaiian Holiday Tours (941-0511), would like a professional resume on your nautical experiences and a profile on your public speaking credits. She is corresponding with the National Association of Boat Manufacturers in New York City.

The Board of Directors of the National Association of Boat Manufacturers have no knowledge on who and what the Polynesian Voyaging Society is all about. The amount of salary you will be given and the opportunity for an individual, (such as the education coordinator to assist you on Maui), will be depended on the information we send to the association.

They need this information right away!

The dates of the convention are from Nov. 4 thru Nov. 9th. You are requested to speak on Nov. 8th at 9:30 a.m. Your plane fare, car, and hotel accomadations including meals, will be qrranged by Hawaiian Holiday Tours and picked up by the National Association of Boat Manufactures.

Please submit a resume to me as soon as possible. I will appreciate an immediate response.

My aloha's' and mahalo's'

Willene  
Wailani Bell  
Education Coordinator

cc; Michael Tongg  
Cecilia Lindo  
Gordon Pē'ānā'a

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Buddy McGuire

Aloha Buddy:

Cecilia Kapua Lindo would like to invite you to  
attend our next Education Committee Meeting.

DATE: Monday, March 26, 1979

TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
Lunch at 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: Cecilia's residence

PHONE: [REDACTED]

RSVP: PVS Office  
841-3966/734-1016 (CODE-A-PHONE)

Cecilia will be informing committee members about the  
educational plans for the year 1979-80. Plans will  
also be discussed for two workshops being held this  
year.

**MOKULEIA WORKSHOP**  
June 15, 16, 17, 1979  
Friday, Saturday, Sunday

**DISCOVERS' DAY WORKSHOP**  
October 9, 1979  
Tuesday

Your presence and mana'o will be greatly appreciated.  
Looking forward to seeing you!

'Owau me ka'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Willene*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR  
Polynesian Voyaging Society

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## Goals

Hokule'a - refurbishing

Hoatation gear

Sheet lines

Decking - needs reeding

Replacing bamboo - people to lash 1 yoke at 8 hrs -

Section of lashing to manufacture

top priority

lashing in 1976 -

no security -

Recom: - relocate Hokee -

\*230 - Keehi - Amfai Marie -

standing  
morum  
for verbal 62ft.

Compensation from Henry Walker -

Recom: canoe washed after every sail,  
sail lowered,  
lowering gift & broom

Captain's Checklist / Warnings - Logging -

Recommendations: Distribution of Responsibilities  
Between -

Renee - pech -

Master Log - Starboard 5

Read Captain's Checklist

Section D

Extension Programs

STUDENTS	GRADES	ADULTS	TOTAL	TIME IMPACT	COMMUNITIES	COOPERATING AGENCIES
--	--	--	--	On-going	All State	DOE/Bishop Museum/Other Haw'n clubs/Iolani Palace/Interested groups and individuals
19,463	K-12	11,746	31,209	2-hour presentations; visitations to Hoku'e'a	All State	DOE/Sea Grant/PVS/Bishop Museum/Other comm. groups, pvt. schools.

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Make list of office supplies needed

also make —

Make annual Report —

NOT A VALUE TO RECEIVED

Section D

Extension Programs

CULTURE-BASED PROGRAMS . . . cont'd

ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	NON-KS HAWAIIANS	NON- HAWAIIANS	KS HAWAIIANS
Development of Hawaiian Instructional Materials	Planning, researching, and packaging of instructional materials for the classroom. Conducting workshops for schools, agencies, associations seeking to strengthen elements of their Hawaiian culture programs.	--	--	--
Ocean-Marine	Support of the studying of Polynesian voyaging as a means of approaching the teaching and learning of Hawaiian culture. Included planning, research and the development of instructional materials and curriculum in addition to support provided for the sailing of the canoe, Hokule'a. Presentations and workshops provided upon request.	--	--	--

NOTES TO.....

✓ Gordon: see if he can purchase slide projector

paddle: was it ceremonial?  
do Tahitians have any?

List of all paddles presented - were they all  
used on the trips

Call Swalesi - [redacted] to give answer,

Aukake 29, 1978  
Molokai

Alaka Kaka,

I was very pleased to hear from a friend that the Polynesian Voyaging Society has been and will continue it's efforts in producing educational resource materials.

Here on Molokai there is being formed a new education / cultural facility, Ke Kula Ho'onaau'ao o Molokai.

We would be very grateful if a listing of available materials and any cost information could be forwarded to our educational co-ordinator, MR. KEVIN LOPES, MOLOKAI HAWAIIAN ACADEMY OF KNOWLEDGE, RH. 208 Molokai Ranch Bldg. Kaunakakai, Molokai 96748

Mahalo for your kokua.

answered  
10/23/78

Glenn Kanemitsu  
Exec. Director, Ke Kula Ho'onaau'ao o Molokai



TO: WILLENE WAILANI BELL

FROM: PETER GOODBODY  
COORDINATOR: PALAMA INTER CHURCH COUNCIL

YVONNE KAIHUA  
SEC'T TO COORDINATOR: PALAMA INTER CHURCH COUNCIL

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY PARTICIPATION IN  
"HO'IKE HAOULI CELEBRATION" ON NOV. 4TH, 1978.

THE PALAMA INTER CHURCH COUNCIL REQUESTS YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THEIR  
HO'IKE HAOULI CELEBRATION ON NOV. 4TH AT 1:00 P.M. TILL 8:30 P.M.  
YOUR PARTICIPATION WILL TAKE PLACE BETWEEN 1:00 P.M. TILL 6:30 P.M.  
AT 6:30 P.M. THERE WILL BE A LANTERN PARADE FOLLOWED BY DIFFERENT ETHNIC  
ENTERTAINMENT GROUPS TILL 8:30 P.M.

WE WILL HAVE A PARISH HALL WHERE YOU CAN SHOW YOUR SLIDE PRESENTATION  
AND FILMS. WE WILL SUPPLY YOU WITH A FILM PROJECTOR. THE CELEBRATION  
WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE BANYAN MALL AND THE KAUMAKAPILI CHURCH GROUNDS  
NEXT TO 720 NORTH KING ST. YOU MAY ALSO HAVE EXHIBITS OUTSIDE ON THE  
BANYAN MALL WHICH IS A CITY PARK TO BE OFFICIALLY DEDICATED THIS MONTH.

YOU HAVE OUR PERMISSION TO SELL YOUR BOOKS, TEE SHIRTS AND MEMBERSHIP  
CARDS, HOWEVER WE WOULD APPRECIATE A DONATION TO OUR CHURCH OF 20% OF  
YOUR PROCEEDS FOR THE DAY.

IN CASE THERE IS A TREMENDOUS RESPONSE OF DIFFERENT CANOE GROUPS AND  
OUR CHURCH GROUNDS CANNOT ACCOMODATE EVERYONE WE WILL BE MOVING THE  
CELEBRATION TO AALA PARK. WE WILL NOTIFY YOU OF THE CHANGE SHOULD IT  
OCCUR.

THIS IS NOT A RELIGIOUS EVENT BUT INSTEAD A HAPPY PEOPLES FESTIVAL FOR  
THE PALAMA COMMUNITY. ALL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SCHOOLS IN PALAMA WERE  
INVITED TO PARTICIPATE SO WE ARE EXPECTING PARTICIPATION FROM A NUMBER  
OF DIFFERENT SCHOOLS.

AT PRESENT WE HAVE FOUR DIFFERENT CANOE CLUBS THAT HAVE ALREADY COMMITTED  
THEMSELVES. THEY ARE THE FOLLOWING:

ELEU ALU LIKE KAI (SAND ISLAND)  
KANEHOE CANOE CLUB (KANEHOE)  
HUI O KAI KOO (NATATORIUM-WAIKIKI)  
HUI O KOOLAULO (KAHANA BAY)

LAST YEARS THEME WAS PANIOLA COUNTRY WITH EMPHASIS ON OLD TIME HAWAI'I.  
THIS YEAR OUR THEME WILL BE HAWAIIAN CANOEING.

IF YOU KNOW OF ANY COMMUNITY GROUPS THAT ARE INTERESTED IN MAKING LANTERNS,  
PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR EXCEPTIONAL LANTERNS AND LANTERN MAKERS ARE  
EXPECTED TO MARCH IN THE LANTERN PARADE.

YOU MAY START SETTING UP YOUR EXHIBITS AT 8:00 IN THE MORNING. PLEASE  
CONTACT HENRY AARONA AT KAUMAKAPILI CHURCH.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR CHANGE OF PLANS PLEASE CONTACT 841-6287 AND  
ASK FOR PETER OR YVONNE.

MAHALO,

*Peter Goodbody*  
PETER GOODBODY

WNB wwb.

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Assistant to Director in Operations, Bishop Museum

P.O. Box 6037

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Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

RE: POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY NEWS RELEASE FACT SHEET

Aloha David;

This letter is a follow up on the last letter I sent you on October 11th, addressed to Emmy Tomminbang KITV 4, and per last telephone conversation on October 25th with you, whereby we discussed my submitting a NEWS RELEASE FACT SHEET that you would then develop into a press release to be sent to all the major TV and radio stations and newspapers for coverage on November 3rd.

As we discussed, it might be more effective to focus singly on the Polynesian Voyaging Society presentation to the Kamehameha School second graders on Polynesian Voyaging at the Kamehameha Schools' Canoe Workshop with Channel 4.

In planning for coverage with the other networks and newspapers we would zero in on the presentation of contributing monies by the Kamehameha Schools' children to the Polynesian Voyaging Society during the single-hulled canoe presentation on the grounds of the Bishop Museum. At this time, simultaneously, coverage may also be taped on the guided DOCENT TOUR for the children inside the Exhibit Halls.

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To make the coverage more dynamic and interesting, separating the day's events into three individual features although tied into one theme---the enthusiasm for more public support of non-profit organizations in the perpetuation of Hawaiian cultural programs and education, may prove more appealing to the media. This would eliminate having all networks tape a repetitious coverage of events and would allow more viewing time for coverage of each facet of the day's events if it is divided amongst each Channel.

In reference to my letter of October 11th, I would like to qualify that the building of the single-hulled canoe is a Kamehameha Schools' Project under the supervision of Wright Bowman., kalai wa'a (canoe builder). The canoe is under the proprietorship of Kamehameha Schools and the planning, financing and construction of the single log canoe is under their auspices while being built on the grounds of the Bishop Museum. The Bishop Museum in reciprocation houses the canoe, and gives members of the community and visitors of the Museum the opportunity to observe its construction. Wright Bowman, Jr. will be at the presentation assisting Leon Paoa Sterling as they speak to the Kamehameha Schools' children on the differences between a single and double hulled canoe.

I would also like to qualify that the monies collected for the refurbishing of Hokule'a is a joint project between three second grade classes and one third grade class. Our Speaker's Bureau already gave the second grade class a demonstration on canoe making and Polynesian voyaging on September 13th, up at the Elementary Division Lanai and the Kamehameha Schools Canoe Workshop. We will be repeating the presentation simply for TV and other media coverage that morning.

Enclosed is the Press Fact Sheet. If more information is needed please contact me at [REDACTED]. Would you please send me a copy of your Press Release so that I may file it in our records. Enclosed also is an information handout on the Polynesian Voyaging Society.

I am hoping that the press will respond to our request for news coverage and am looking forward to November 3rd.

'Owau me ka 'oia'ii'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Willene Wailani Bell*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR  
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Fat Edmondson, Docent Coordinator, Bishop Museum  
Dr. Kenneth Emory, Senior Anthropologist, Bishop Museum

\*\*\*\*\*Aloha Dave;

It's 2:55 p.m. and I just spoke with Emmy Tommingbang and she is interested in covering the presentation up at Kamehameha Schools and the presentation of the collected monies to the Polynesian Voyaging Society on the Bishop Museum Grounds.

She will call me as the date approaches to confirm whether they will be able to give news coverage on that morning because 8:15 a.m. may be too early for the camera men. We may have to change the Polynesian Voyaging Society presentation on canoe building and voyaging to a later hour, but will keep the presentation of collected monies to the Polynesian Voyaging Society on the Bishop Museum Grounds at 9:30 a.m.

I will call you as soon as I hear from her again.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

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TO: David Lee  
Assistant to Director in Operations, Bishop Museum

FROM: Willene Wailani Bell  
Education Coordinator, Polynesian Voyaging Society

RE: POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY FACT SHEET to be used for a  
Press Release

Aloha David;

Here is the Fact Sheet you requested. I hope that I have covered all of the information that you will need. Should you need more information, please contact me at the office (841-3966) or you may call me after 5:30 p. m. at my home [REDACTED].

Included also is a zeroxed copy of the Bishop Museum Docent Program which I took out of my Docent Handbook as I am taking the training. Because I am just getting my feet wet in the Program, I suggest that you contact Pat Edmondson, Docent Coordinator at [REDACTED] ext. 149 for more information and a DOCENT PROGRAM FACT SHEET.

Me ka aloha pumehana,

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RE: TV COVERAGE OF POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY SCHOOL  
PRESENTATION TO KAMEHAMEHA STUDENTS

Aloha Emmy;

I am writing to you in reference to our phone conversation on the evening of September 6th, when you called me to notify us that the coverage of our "Open House", which you covered that afternoon, would not be aired that evening because of a defective sound mechanism. You mentioned at that time the possibility of a "follow up" coverage which would be designed into a public interest feature on a presentation that our Polynesian Voyaging Society gives in the school classroom on Polynesian Voyaging. You felt coverage in a school classroom would be an effective feature of public interest.

The second grade class of Kamehameha Schools has for the last month been involved in a campaign which they initiated to raise monies toward the refurbishing of Hokule'a, our seaworthy double-hulled canoe. They started a collection of newspapers and aluminum cans for recycling and with the remuneration which they will be receiving, they plan to donate it to our Voyaging Society. Their commitment to this project has been very inspiring! Perhaps you may want to film one of the classrooms which is stored with the collected newspapers and tin cans.

On November 3rd, we are giving a presentation on the Hokule'a at the Kamehameha Canoe Shop where parts of the Hokule'a are presently being refurbished. The presentation will be held at 8:45 a.m. At that time the monies collected will be presented to the Polynesian Voyaging Society.

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At 9:30 a.m. following the presentation, the whole second grade class will leave Kamehameha Schools and be bused over to the Bishop Museum Grounds to view our office, and the main exhibits at the Museum. The group will split in half, and while one group will be inside of the Museum, the other half will be outside at the Canoe Work Shed where Leon Paoa Sterling, Vessel Supervisor for the Polynesian Voyaging Society, will be giving them a presentation on the single-hulled canoe that Wright Bowman, Jr. is presently building on the Bishop Museum Grounds in cooperation with Kamehameha Schools. The single-hulled canoe is being built with just one log that was brought over from the Big Island. Both presentations will be repeated as the groups exchange places.

I have already spoken with the Kamehameha School Administration about the possibility of you coming over to cover the activities that morning. They have given me permission to go ahead and arrange for TV coverage. We are trying to touch the lives of those interested in Polynesian Voyaging and have been very active in putting on school presentations and community exhibits to date. Enclosed is a copy of this month's calendar of events. More presentations may be scheduled as requests continue to come in daily. One of the most effective ways of reaching the public and letting them know the availability of materials and services we have to offer is by the news and TV media.

I have also spoken with Barbara Hunt, Education Specialist for the Bishop Museum, and David Lee, assistant to David Huffman, assistant to the Director in Operations, and we thought perhaps you could at the same time do an added feature on the Kamehameha School children going through the Docent Tour of the Bishop Museum. Pat Edmondson, the Docent Coordinator for the Docent Training Seminar Series, trains volunteers of the community to be Docents for the Bishop Museum, taking visitors and guests of the Museum through Docent Guided Tours. At present I am attending the Training Seminars and I find it to be a very valuable medium of growth in Hawaiian Studies with added appreciation for our cultural heritage and the efforts of the Bishop Museum in preserving and perpetuating its legacy. Having the public become more aware that such a program does exist may be an impetus for more participation of individuals in the community to volunteer their time and services with the Service Board of the Bishop Museum Association. Some of the guest speakers at the Seminar Training Program include: Dr. Kenneth Emory; Dr. Dan Binkley; Dr. Pat McCoy; Dr. Donald Mitchell; Dr. Roger Rose; Homer Hayes; Jim Bartels; Leinani Bortles; Lokomaika'i Sankenbery and Keola Cabacungan.

\* One of the main functions of the docent program is to work with private school youngsters - ex. KS youngsters.

(OTHERS) Lecture

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Perhaps you might want to cover the Hokule'a presentation at Kamehameha Schools as one separate feature; the presentation of the collected monies by the children for the Hokule'a on the site of the single-hulled canoe on the Bishop Museum Grounds as a second feature and the children going through the Docent Guided Tour of the Bishop Museum as a third and separate feature or combine all three.

I would appreciate it if you would give me a call or write me as soon as you decide whether you will be able to cover the events or not so that I may continue to make the necessary arrangements should you decide to go ahead and cover them.

I am looking forward to hearing from you.

Me ke aloha pumehana,

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Aloha Kakou,

This packet I'm sending to all Board Members pertains to some of the issues on the AGENDA for our Board Meeting, THURSDAY, Nov. 2, 1978, at ALU LIKE. I hope you are all planning on being there! It's important!

I felt sending you materials that you can read in the comfort of your home and on your leisure time, will give you an opportunity to digest what is on print, rather than skim and rush through it during a BOARD MEETING. Keeping you informed on the issues prior to our meeting will give you more time to brainstorm before you cast your vote.

The topics that need to be carefully thought through, are:

- (1) ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AND PLACE
- (2) SERVICE BOARD CONCEPT
- (3) PROFESSIONAL EXHIBIT MATERIALS
- (4) FUNDING
- (5) FUTURE DIRECTION OF PVS NEXT YEAR
- (6) TERMINATION OF ALU LIKE FUNDING
- (7) ENTHUSIASM AND PARTICIPATION OF MEMBERS IN SOCIETY

For starters, I'd like to begin this letter with my own personal touch. It is not meant for dramatic effect....on the other hand my style is not "quiet" to be effective" either! It will not be written in the formal structure of a professional, business letter to be documented and filed, but rather written from the heart, as a member of our Ohana, wanting to communicate with you, as light and low-keyed as possible, yet getting my messages across. In essence, I want to prod you to really think seriously about the status of our Polynesian Voyaging Society and its viability as a dynamic and purposeful organization.

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I came on board our Polynesian Voyaging Society as Education Coordinator on June 13th, this summer, coming into the office Mondays through Fridays, 7:45 a.m. and leaving 5:30 p.m. or later. Within this time span it is inevitable to have developed strong feelings for our Polynesian Voyaging Ohana, and my own frame of reference about who we were, what we did, where we are, and in what direction we're heading. I would like to take the liberty now of expressing some of my own personal opinions....no 'ei'a ku'u na mana'o....for these are my thoughts. I speak not only as the Education Coordinator, but also as a "keiki o ka 'āina", who wants to see a very vital organization keep its vitality as it lives on as the finest educational center on Polynesian voyaging.

I am deeply concerned!

Before reading on, STOP, go fix yourself a cup of coffee, relax, and then sit back and take stock of what our Society has accomplished this past year, how much you have contributed, and then re-evaluate your own goals and objectives as a contributing Board Member. Then ask yourself; "Just how much can we do to best perpetuate our Polynesian Voyaging Society inspite of the obstacles that have occurred?"

As some of you have already witnessed, I developed a souvenir handout for our OPEN HOUSE on Sept. 6th. It was done light-heartedly, because I wanted to let the members know what we (Alu Like Staffing) were doing without seeming too braggadocious. While it was meant to be entertaining, it was also meant to inspire you to attend the Board Meeting the following evening, filled with "NOTES FOR THE POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY" AND "MEMOS TO GIVE TO THE EDUCATION COORDINATOR", Also filled with INNOVATIVE AND CREATIVE IDEAS....SUGGESTIONS....CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS....PROJECTS....notes for next meeting...1st THURSDAY of each month.

For those who weren't able to attend our OPEN HOUSE, I've enclosed a copy of my "light-hearted spoof" on two hula dancers with the aid of a Polynesian Viking and his crew, attempting to throw a grandiose OPEN HOUSE with a very limited budget to work with.

Since I ran off 100 copies (at my own expense), hoping that the whole State of Hawai'i would be attending our gala event, I can't bear to see 75 left over copies sitting on my shelf to feed the termites. So I've enclosed copies to everyone. It would absolutely delight me and put me in a state of euphoria if we have a 100% attendance at our Board Meeting, Thursday, and all of you show up with your packets that you've just received with lots of notes and memos to turn in to me marked with a bright red felt pen. Please surprise me and respond to anything I've written... I thrive on constructive comments....they give me the opportunity for growth and self improvement. Cecilia Kapua Lindo will be editing all of the formal correspondence I will be sending out.

#### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AND PLACE

As we all know, we have the options between the HYATT REGENCY or PRIMO GARDENS, and possibly THE WILLOWS. I would like to give my pros on why I feel the HYATT REGENCY would be effective.

My first reason is strictly emotional and non-rational.....Marlene Among is my very dear friend, I love her dearly and observed how much time and effort she put forth to getting the Ballroom for us free of charge. Besides being free, she was able to talk the President into giving us the pupu's at cost. Have you ever seen the pupu spread they put out? It's nothing to turn yours noses away from!

The following reasons are a little more rational:

- (1) It is convenient. Waikiki is closer for most people because of its central location. It is also easier to find, for members who aren't familiar with the Aiea area.
- (2) We will have a no host "cocktail hour" around the pool area with music, and then the meeting will be held in the ballroom. We will have signs in the hotel showing our function. This is good publicity.
- (3) It is easier to entice the press to give news coverage to the Regency rather than Primo Gardens or the Willows. That's just the way the country operates....images are made on Madison Avenue.
- (4) Speaking of images....The Hyatt Regency gives a first class image that we should be cautious about passing up. The news media hasn't been too kind in the past with the activities of our Society, and we could use a gentle face lift. If the public sees that the Regency thinks enough of our Society to give us the ballroom free for the evening and pupus at cost....this might say something positive for us.
- (5) It will be held a month away from Christmas, and the hotel and the rest of Waikiki will probably be already dressed in Holiday decor. This lends a spirit of Christmas and giving and ohana, etc....it also gives everyone a nice excuse to get all dressed up and to be in their glory.
- (6) It just might attract some individuals with "monies" to donate.
- (7) About our members being more comfortable at Primo Gardens .....well I really think all of our members can also handle the Hyatt Regency. It might also attract outside island members to fly in to attend the gala event of the year. "Gala event" seems more appropriate in describing an affair at the Hyatt rather than elsewhere.

My last reason is again more biased than rational. Marlene and I felt that as part of our membership drive campaign, we would write personal letters and make personal calls to our personal friends and acquaintances and try to invite them into joining our Society. Knowing our comradery, they would probably find an event at the Hyatt Regency more appealing than the Primo Gardens and therefore we might have an easier time of recruiting them as members.

I hope you all have 10 cons to counter-act my pros. I think open and honest discussions are healthy and everyone should say what they feel within reason. Wherever the Board decides is O.K! But lets decide so that Marlene can continue on with her plans. She has to confirm her reservations right away.

P.S. SUGGESTION: You can write your cons on the back of this sheet of paper in a bright red pen and bring it to the meeting Thursday...this may just be the "psychological trigger device" to get you there. Remember, we're voting on this issue. If you're not there, you don't get to vote!

# SERVICE BOARD CONCEPT

This is my brainchild. I borrowed the idea from the Bishop Museum. They have a SERVICE BOARD and it is quite effective. I am now a member of it and it's handled very professionally. I would like to try it out with our Society. Many of our members have the attitude that you have to be a Board Member to be actively involved with the Society. Many of these members, I'm sure, would probably like to become actively involved with the Society but don't know where to begin. If we sent the letter I've drafted out, after it's been approved and edited...we just might receive a response with it. We can at least attempt to have our members participate more with our Society. I have put together all the necessary paperwork...all I need is your approval on it. I have even volunteered to stay on if our positions terminate week after next, and organize and direct the activities of the SERVICE BOARD. Bear in mind though, that I am a single parent and sole bread winner as head of household. I have to split myself thin trying to be a dedicated mother, aspiring career woman, and TOTAL WOMAN. I won't have as much time as I do now to carry on as I would like to as the volunteer education coordinator-part time. Just trying to keep ahead of housework, cooking, washing, ironing, dusting...ad infinitum a la Cinderella chores without a Fairy Godmother to help out or a "Sugar Daddy" to sponsor maid service, is sometimes overwhelming, but I'll try my best to give as much spare time as I can possibly fit in to running the SERVICE BOARD should our jobs end.

An example of why we need a SERVICE BOARD. Enclosed is a letter I typed out for Peter Goodbody which he signed. I like to document all of the requests given to our Society, and so to save time I typed it for him as he made his requests. The event will be this coming Saturday, Nov 4th, and I have a sneaky suspicion it's going to be a one woman project. I will put up the booth by myself, work it by myself, etc....unless some of you want to give up your Saturday afternoon to help me. I am a natural ham, and I enjoy a large audience, but I think the public would like to see more than a one man show. If you want to come and work the booth with me, I promise not to "upstage" you. All kidding aside, I really do need volunteers to work exhibits and workshops with me. This is why we desperately need a Service Board. Although it is my job to represent the Society as the Education Coordinator, we don't want to let the public feel that the Society has only one active member, the Education Coordinator. You are all invited to help out.

In the past months, I have had the help and cooperation of the Canoe Supervisor and his seamen. Now that they are busy refurbishing the Hokule'a with the release of monies, I can't depend on them solely for help like I have in the past. We need a SERVICE BOARD!

# PROFESSIONAL EXHIBIT MATERIALS

With regret, I must admit that I was secretly relieved that the American Banker's Association canceled our requested exhibit at their Convention last week because their itinerary was filled. Carol Love, Convention Coordinator, called me in June to see if we would be interested in participating in the convention.

It was an informal request, because Carol Love is an associate of a long standing friend of mine, Josephine Flanders, who I use to dance hula for. We were just tossing the idea around since the Banker's had their last convention here when the idea of Hokule'a had just been born. Herb Kane gave a presentation to them, and they donated a large sum of money to her construction. Carol thought it would be nice to have the people hear about Hokule'a after she accomplished her successful voyages.

Let us take a realistic inventory of what professional exhibit materials we have on hand as a Society. In the past, different groups put together presentations using their own materials that they developed, but as these groups disbanded, the materials weren't all donated to the PVS. As a result we don't have that much of available materials to tap on as we should. I am in the process of developing different materials, but they cost money, and they take time to develop, because research has to be put into it, and the printing takes time.

For instance if I want to use different kinds of fishhooks in future exhibits....where do I get them from? In the past Leon Sterling has been using his on the presentations we have been giving, but they're his, he's fond of them, and he shouldn't be asked or expected to part with them. Where can I obtain fishhooks? Who can make them? Do we have the money to pay for them? This is just one example.

According to my own standards, a professional exhibit at the Sheraton Waikiki for the Banker's Convention would have needed the following:

- (1) film and slide projector
- (2) PROFESSIONAL BROCHURE depicting the background, accomplishments and needs of our Society  
Also showing the materials we have available for purchase
- (3) extra large, giant size, professionally done wall charts on voyaging
- (4) miniature replica to scale of Hokule'a
- (5) artifacts used by the ancient Polynesians on their voyages
- (6) well planned advertisements for our products.... books, tee shirts, posters, etc...
- (7) individuals to man the booths on a round robin bases for three days from 8:30 a.m. till 3:30 p.m.

We need volunteers to help with exhibits. Some of these items are now being developed by Marlene, Leon and myself. We still could use more volunteers though to help out. If staffing ends shortly, development of these materials will take longer.

#### FUNDING

We need money! Need I say more? We need grants, grants and more grants! We also need effective and successful fund raisers.

Marlene Among, our executive administrative secretary, has come up with her own brainchild. Due to her business association in the travel and airline business's in the past, she has taken 5 major companies in the islands and will test run her promotional campaign on raising monies for the refurbishing of the Hokule'a with them.

The following experimental companies are:

- (1) Dudley-Child's Inter-Island Resort
- (2) Calvin Lui's Hawaiian Adventures
- (3) Hiro-Kaminura Jet Hawai'i
- (4) Thomas Held Aloha Hawai'i Travel
- (5) Thomas Anderson Travel Arrangements

Marlene has done an inventory of items needed for the refurbishing of Hokule'a and has put an approximate price value on each item. She will give a list of these items to the different companies and let them choose which item they would like to purchase and donate to the PVS so that Hokule'a will once again get under sail. Their remuneration will be seeing Hokule'a sail once again bringing to the people of Hawai'i a better understanding of our Heritage. We will try to give publicity and public acknowledgements to these companies if possible. I will be assisting Marlene on this project if it is approved by the Board.

If this is successful then it will be developed on a larger scale. The next venture would be the fashion industry. For example, companies that might be tapped upon for support are:

- (1) Carol & Mary
- (2) Liberty House
- (3) McInerny
- (4) other kamaaina firms

For their donations their models may be photographed on the Hokule'a for their brochures.

Enclosed is Marlene's letter of introduction to these companies.

#### FUTURE DIRECTION OF PVS NEXT YEAR

We can all spend some time brainstorming on this issue!

#### TERMINATION OF ALU LIKE POSITIONS

As you well know, Alu Like staffing lays in abeyance. We were notified yesterday, Oct. 30th, that we will be extended for another 15 days. Which means should we be terminated in 15 days who will volunteer their time, energy, and efforts to man the office, keep things rolling, do the P'R'ing, and refurbish the canoe? As it is, it is difficult to get people out to the Board meetings once a month. Is everyone prepared to take over where the staff will leave off? Do we keep the office fixed up as it is? Is there enough security? For those of you who never came to our OPEN HOUSE, do come and see the office when you can. It may inspire you! Dr. Ben Young, what happen to our name plates? We are waiting for em!

#### ENTHUSIASM AND PARTICIPATION OF MEMBERS IN PVS SOCIETY

I leave this to everyone's own conscience. Our Board is made up primarily of many individuals who have professional jobs that are very demanding and absorb a great deal of their time. This is quite understandable. We should consider in this next election adding members on to the Board that have more time to give. Again, and not to be redundant, having an active SERVICE BOARD may be a catalyst for more enthusiasm and participation of members in our Society.

If you are still reading through my memos, you deserve to be congratulated if you are still with me on page 7. I hope you have given some thought to our meeting Thursday, and the future of our Polynesian Voyaging Society.

I hope to see you all there. Filled with positive thoughts and innovative ideas! Don't forget to bring your packets with you filled with comments in red ink.

I also wanted to mention that I received a thank you note from the Coast Guards' Wives. I have enclosed it. The admiral and his wife were most gracious and he commented that he wanted to work very closely with the PVS in helping Hokule'a get in tip top shape again and ready for a long voyage.

As they took us through a tour of their home, as they showed us their master bedroom, Sam Kaai mentioned to his wife that he felt very flattered that they would show us through their bedrooms which he felt was personal. She replied that she felt honored that members of our Society were guests in her home and she felt we were children of the land and had every right to be shown through their home because in her heart it belongs to all of the Hawaiians. She was most gracious and delightful. Sam was most charming. Since they have been in the islands we were the third guests that they've shown through the lighthouse.

The Coast Guard wives were very impressed with Leon and Sam. I think this is very important! It helps to rebuild our image with the public. Catherine Lauth, the Admiral's wife had our books displayed on her glass table in the parlour. This is good advertisement for our books. Later, Carol Chiswell called and mentioned that more wives would like to purchase our books.

The more we promote the accomplishments of our Society with the public, especially with key people in the community, perhaps the better opportunity we may have of securing contributions for our Hokule'a and our PVS.

Let me end my letter with love,

*Willene Wailani Bell*

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P.S. It is 3:21 p.m. Nov. 1, and I am hoping that this reaches you by tomorrow morning. No time to go over and correct typographical mistakes and grammatical errors. Please excuse!

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Pō aōno (Saturday)

PVS PARTICIPATION IN HO'IKE HA'ULI CELEBRATION  
Palama Inter Church Council, Banyan Court Mall

Aloha Kakou!

It's Wildlani reporting from the "coconut wireless" with more "memos" for the hiding menehunes. Aue noho'i e!

MAHALO for the positive responses I received from the packets I handed out at the BOARD MEETING, Thursday night. It was comforting to know that you are concerned about the viability of our voyaging Ohana.

I have enclosed the following pages on needed materials to be developed for our PVS. Please look through them thoroughly.

If you're beginning to feel "ad nausea" looking at all there is to read, STOP!, instead of fixing yourself a cup of coffee, have a "toot" instead...okolehao on the rocks or a bottle of beer!

To conserve paper, due to the paper shortage, I'm using up old stationery and writing on both sides of the paper. Don't forget to "huli da paypa owa"! (Howsit Gordon!)

I am entertaining the notion that you will find this letter as humorous as you did the last. Be happy! I drop a little humor here and there as bait to keep you reading through the heavy stuff, waiting for my next pun.

Yesterday morning I met with Kaipō Kauka at his office, The State Foundation of Culture and the Arts. There I was able to pick up different materials on proposals and grant writing along with Kaipō's brain, including a GRANT WRITING HANDBOOK.

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Hopefully, this letter and the grant I will be writing with Paige Barber's assistance, will keep us on board until more CETA FUNDS are available in January. This again is dependent on whether Ceta will allocate monies to us then, resting upon their judgement as to the significance of our positions and whether they feel we should be supported.

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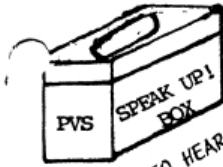
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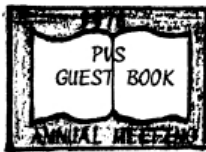
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ANY SUGGESTIONS???? I HAVE SOME! AUE NOHO'I E!  
Our OFFICE is always open for innovative and creative ideas.



We LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Perhaps each Board Member and Advisors can write letters or make personal phone calls to at least 10 friends or associates they feel will be interested in becoming active members. Those of you who know of individuals that contributed large donations or time to our Society and you feel merits a **LOVELY** invitation that Marlene has put together, please call Marlene and give her their names and addresses as **SOON AS POSSIBLE**.



It would be nice to have a GUEST BOOK to record who attends our GALA EVENT of the YEAR. Does anyone want to release their creative energies and put together a GUEST BOOK for that evening? If not, Marlene and I will do it. Let us know fast! If I make it, you can be sure it will be in tapa or colors of the rainbow.



Herb, Sam, Maka'ala, John and Keani!

Are you flying over to be with us that evening? We sure hope so! I'm looking forward to seeing you....hope you can come. If not by plane, try a CANOE!

For elegance! A GALA EVENT can't be without the touch of splendid decor. Anyone who would like to donate flower arrangements .....Hawaiian or Christmas are welcome. (Howsit JoAnne!) We would surely appreciate a couple of gorgeous flower arrangements.

We also need persons to go to the mountains on Tuesday to gather ti leaves and other wild foliage to decorate the tables and room with. (Howsit Leon!) We also need persons to carry decor over to the Ballroom and other display items, for example...books, tee shirts, etc..



MELE KALIKIMAKA!

**PRESIDENT VICE PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER CHAIRPERSONS**

Name plates.....aha, that would be nice! (Howsit Ben!) Perhaps some member would like to make name plates (i.e., PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, ETC....for the head table.) It can be used each year if we don't inscribe names on it, but rather just titles.

**ANYTHING YOU WANT TO CREATE OR ADD FOR INTEREST OR PAZAZZ PLEASE DO!**  
I am hoping that I will be able to complete the collage I started of the PVS Ohana for that evening. I cannot finish it unless everyone sends in their snapshots. It would be nice if the Brochure I'm throwing together will be finished by then. It depends on the printers schedule. It takes 10 days to be printed up and I need monies to pick it up with.

How do you feel about making bumper stickers and decals of our Society? Just asked!

I will have a table on a CHRISTMAS SALES PROMOTION of our EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS, TEE SHIRTS, and POSTERS. Would anyone like to cover that table during the cocktail hour to receive orders? Please let me know.

Again, let me reiterate, it would be really nice if we have a large turn out, since the Ballroom is large and lovely, and we need more members!  
Looking forward to seeing you there sharp at 6:00pm.

SIGNING OFF WITH ALOHA,

Willene Waitani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR



# POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

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## POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY FACT SHEET

DATE: Friday, November 3, 1978

PLACE: Kamehameha Schools Elementary Division Lanai  
Kamehameha Schools Industrial and Workshops Area  
Polynesian Voyaging Society Office, Arts and Crafts  
Building on the Bishop Museum Grounds  
Bishop Museum Hala'u Wa'a  
Bishop Museum Exhibit Halls

TIME: 8:15 a.m. till 11:15 a.m.

EVENTS: 8:15 a.m. Presentation on canoe building and voyaging by the Speaker's Bureau of the Polynesian Voyaging Society to three second and one third grade class of Kamehameha Schools. The first portion of the presentation will be a lecture by Willene Wailani Bell, Education Coordinator, and Leon Paoa Sterling, Canoe Supervisor, on the different aspects of ancient Polynesian voyaging.

Visual charts and a replica of Hokule'a will be used. Marlene Among, Executive Administrative Secretary, and the three seamen, Michael Keola Jones, Abel John and Anthony Nali'ielua will assist in the presentation. It will be held on the Elementary Division Lanai, next to the childrens' classrooms. Following the first portion of the presentation, the children will walk up to the Industrial and Workshops Area where parts of Hokule'a are being refurbished. Further demonstrations on canoe building will be given by Leon Paoa Sterling and his seamen.

The children have been collecting newspapers and used cans since Sept. 13th, to be sold at the Recycling Center. The proceeds from their remunerations will be given to the Polynesian Voyaging Society to help with the financial support needed for the refurbishing of Hokule'a, Hawaii's double-hulled canoe. The classrooms, to date, are stacked with newspapers and used cans. Some classes have already sold

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what they have collected to the Recycling Center because they ran out of storage space and are now collecting their second batch.

- 9:10 a.m. The same children attending the presentation will be bused down to the Bishop Museum Grounds.
- 9:20 a.m. The children will gather in front of the Polynesian Voyaging Society Office at the Arts and Crafts Building of the Bishop Museum where the children will present to Leon Paoa Sterling, PVS Board Members and Staff, the monies collected from their campaign towards the refurbishing of Hokule'a.
- 9:30 a.m. The children will then walk over to the Bishop Museum Proper, where they will split in half. One group will gather around the Halau Wa'a where the single-hulled canoe that is being built by Wright Bowman, Jr. for Kamehameha Schools is housed. 50 of the children will listen to a presentation by Leon Paoa Sterling and Wright Bowman, Jr. on the differences between a single and a double-hulled canoe.

The other group of 50 children will go into the Bishop Museum and attend a guided DOCENT TOUR given by Pat Edmondson, Docent Coordinator. The tour will be in the main Exhibit Halls. After each presentation ends, the groups will exchange places and the presentations will take place again for the new groups of children.

**BACKGROUND  
INFORMATION:**

The Speaker's Bureau of the Polynesian Voyaging Society services the schools and community, giving lecture presentations on Polynesian voyaging and related areas in Hawaiian Studies. The guest speakers are usually crew members who have voyaged on Hokule'a. Since June, 1978, the Education Coordinator, an elementary school teacher, has assisted in these presentations.

After Hokule'a proved her seaworthiness through her long and successful voyages to Tahiti and back in her 1976 Bicentennial Voyage of Rediscovery, she was used as a "floating classroom" on Oahu and the neighboring islands. Members of the Speaker's Bureau reached an audience of over 17,000 children and adults during 1976-77 servicing the schools and community throughout the State.

The public has responded very favorably towards these presentations and the Speaker's Bureau to date is still tapped upon to lecture throughout the State. The three main target groups are (1) the schools, (2) the general community, and (3) the professional associations.

The following are available for presentations;

- FILMAGE:
- 90 minute film on Hokule'a's voyage to Tahiti by the National Geographic Society
  - 30 minute film on the Launching of the Hokule'a produced by Tip Davis and narrated by John Kruse, Hokule'a crew member
  - 15 minute film on THE COMING OF THE POLYNESIANS produced by George Tahara. Half of the film is about Hokule'a.
- SLIDES:
- 30 minute slide presentation on the activities of the Hokule'a from her birth to her voyage back from Tahiti.
- CHARTS & VISUAL AIDS
- Maps, photos, large posters, charts, chalkboards, handouts, exercise sheets, etc...on canoe construction, sailing and navigation skills, riggings and lashings, food preparation and plants for sea voyaging, coconut basket weaving and sennit making, bird flight patterns and non-navigational nature signs. Sennit cordage, fishhooks, coconut cups, kukui nuts, samples of lashings and food preparation materials, etc....and other related artifacts.

The Polynesian Voyaging Society is dedicated to research, education and experiential Polynesian sea voyaging. The Speaker's Bureau is under the umbrella of the Polynesian Voyaging Society Education Committee and is an active arm in educating the public on the activities of the Society. They are trying to touch the lives of those interested in voyaging and other related Hawaiian Studies and cover a wide spectrum of concerns about Polynesian voyaging.

The Education Committee under the Chairpersonship of Cecilia Kapua Lindo and Co-chairperson Gordon Pi'ianai'a are continually developing and disseminating educational materials on Polynesian voyaging and other related subjects.

A series of four children's books, Na Puke Huaka'i Kamali'i, conceived by Dr. Kenneth Emory and created, directed and edited by Nancy Mower, were completed in October, 1976 and is still available to the public for purchase. They are used in over 170 schools locally and on the mainland. A resource Curriculum Guide on Polynesian Voyaging, was written by Cecilia Kapua Lindo to accompany The Children's Book Project.

A resource/activity handbook, Na Hana Huaka'i (The Voyaging Works), edited by Cecilia Kapua Lindo and to be published by Kamehameha Schools will be completed and on the market in the near future. It is a rich storehouse of information and exercises for the teacher and student on Polynesian sea voyaging and related areas in Hawaiian Studies.

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TO: The following individuals mentioned in this request for photos.

FROM: Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR

re: MOOD COLLAGE OF HOKULE'A, CREW MEMBERS AND NA KĀLAI WA'A  
also CHRISTMAS PROMOTIONAL POSTER OF PVS PRODUCTS FOR PURCHASE AS  
CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Aloha 'ehu kakahiaka kāua!

I am putting together collages regarding the above. I need your immediate assistance in this project! Please kokua! I have tried reaching you by phone but have been unsuccessful in finding you in, so this letter may reach you faster. Please call me at the office or my CODE-A-PHONE [REDACTED] at home. I need these photos right away as time is of the essence before our ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING. I hope you will cooperate with me and agree to being photographed.

The first collage is a mood collage of Hokule'a, crew members and na kālai wa'a (canoe builders). The dimensions of the photos are outlined in black ink. 7X5, black and white, glossy finish with white borders to match photos already available of other individuals.

The collage will have the following:

- A 20 X 16 color photograph of Hokule'a with crew members at a distance....can't see faces.
- National Geographic photos of:
  - \* Buffalo in an ancient helmet and pili grass cape
  - \* Kimo with an adze working on the canoe
  - \* Kimo showing the ki'i to a child on the canoe
  - \* 7X5 candid, mood, close-up shots of: Milton Kanehe, Billy Mitchell, David Kapulehua, Kai Coito, and Tommy Heines.

**7x5  
BLACK & WHITE  
GLOSSY FINISH  
WHITE BORDERS**

I need PHOTOS (7X5) glossy finish, black & white with white borders of the following:

TURN SHEET OVER..SEE BACK

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\*\*\*\*The following individuals that are not on the island or unable to be photographed because of a heavy schedule, if you will send me a black and white close-up photo, not posed looking, or the negative, I will have it developed to (7X5) glossy finish with a white border for the collage. I need it right away. mahalo!

- Herb ☐ Herb Kane, sitting in front of drawing board sketching plans of Hokule'a. Please send by mail.
- Ben ☐ Ben Finney, either with lots of papers writing, or close-up photo with book case in background, or just close-up.
- Tommy ☐ Tommy Holmes with no shirt on sailing Hokule'a.
- Kenneth ☐ Dr. Kenneth Emory, close-up photo with Bishop Museum facade in background.
- John & Maka'ala ☐ John Kruze and Maka'ala Yates in face only close-ups. No background. Pensive expression on face. Please send by mail.
- Leon ☐ Leon Sterling with palaka "pirate styled" headband and no shirt working on canoe at Kamehameha Schools' Industrial Area. Mood shot, candid, no posed expression. Effect wanted is anatomical muscularity and strength of an ancient canoe builder and the intensesness and concentration of his facial expression while working on canoe. Side pose showing flexed arm and headband.
- Gordon ☐ Gordon Pi'ianai'a with blue palaka shirt working on canoe showing front view looking down. Have hair wild.
- Dave ☐ Dave Lyman with lauhala hat and palaka tie around neck on Hokule'a with three quarter view pointing with hand outstretched as though giving a direction or pointing to the winds.
- Nainoa ☐ Nainoa Thompson with no shirt pointing to the stars on Hokule'a or at Planetarium looking at charts or using telescope.
- Michael ☐ I need Michael Tongg to photograph these shots as he is an expert with photography and has the necessary equipment to shoot the photos and achieve the desired effects that I am aiming for. If Michael is unavailable to photograph all of you I will do it myself.

The inscription will read as follows:

*The building and launching of Hokule'a created a rare opportunity for scientific research into ancient Polynesian ways and occassioned a true renaissance of Pacific culture. The dramatic creation and epic voyage of Hokule'a, is an accomplishment of great magnitude and lasting effect. Without the enormous cooperation by countless individuals, Hokule'a could not have been built and the voyage would not have been possible. The pioneer spirit, conviction, and pride of the Polynesian Voyaging Society's family or Ohana are still kept afloat and is ready to face other voyages and challenges.*

*The impact it made on cultural awareness and appreciation continues to inspire the development of many projects about Polynesian voyaging. At present our Education Committee is engaged in a dynamic educational program to promote the resurgence of interest in Hawaiian studies and perpetuate our Hawaiian legacy. The canoe herself is serving as a floating classroom to be visited and experienced by everyone interested. Hokule'a will continue to be instrumental in uniting various islands, races and cultures.*

Cecilia Kapua Lindo  
EDUCATION COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON  
Polynesian Voyaging Society -1978

If you are unable or unwilling to be part of this collage, please let me know as soon as you can so that I will not hold up laminating it, as I would like it for our ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING. Our office has mailed out over 500 invitations and I would like to develop this collage as I feel it would be interesting to look at. The more interesting and effective materials we have to show, the more incentive for non-members that will be attending to join our OHANA.

The next collage will be a Christmas promotional poster. As I mentioned in previous COMMUNIQUE, we will have a display table with our products to sell as Christmas gifts. Marlene has just put together lovely stationary cards that will be on sale that evening. \*\*Bring extra cash as we are sure you'll want to purchase some after you've seen them.

The poster will be on red 28X42" poster board. It will have a large green Christmas tree on it of construction paper. On that Christmas tree I would like to put photos of your children and grandchildren cut into Christmas tree ornaments.... round balls. Next to the tree will be photos and write-ups of all of the merchandise available. The theme will be in bold letters...**FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS HO'OKUJU**...  
HO'ONU'A....

I need 3X3½ or jumbo size color photos of your keikis or mo'opunas reading the books from NA PUKE HUAKA'I KAMALI'I (The Children's Book Project). If you have a polaroid camera, that will be the fastest. I have a polaroid, 35 mm, and instamatic, and I am willing to go to your homes and photograph your children if you are unable to do it yourself and submit it to me by Tuesday as the absolute latest.

PHOTOS NEEDED OF:

Children of:  
Michael Tongg  
Anthony Guerrero  
Kaipo Kauka  
Buddy McGuire

Sam Kaai  
Gordon Pi'ianai'a  
Paige Barber

Grandchildren  
of:  
\*Kapua Lindo  
JoAnne Sterling  
Moku Froiseth

Photos needed in tee shirts of:

**3x3¼ or 4x3¼  
COLORED - any finish**

Marlene Among, on Hokule'a  
Keola Jones, with coconut hat  
Herb Kane's children  
Ben Finney's children

The collage of the crew I will take with me to school presentations and community exhibits. The public ~~are~~ always interested in the crew as it lends a human interest into the voyages of Hokule'a.

I really appreciate your cooperation in helping me put this together by Wednesday, Nov. 29th. mahalo! I realize it's short notice!

**Children looking at  
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'Owau iho no i ke kākō'o,

Wailani

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event of our PVS year, because it can mean more memberships and a larger Ohana, is  
our ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING on Wednesday, Nov. 29th, at the Hyatt Regency Ballroom.  
Our office hopes that it will be successful in adding more members to our roster as  
our treasury is very low in funds, and we definitely need more memberships. The life  
line of any non-profit organization sustains itself on the new blood that they bring  
in. We also hope to reactivate inactive members, once again having them become  
interested in the activities of the Society.

We are planning on having Hawaiian entertainment for the cocktail  
hour. Moku Enoseth is asking the Hawaiian Air Promotional Group to play. I am  
writing to the Mayor's Office on Culture and Arts requesting their 7 piece Royal  
Hawaiian Band Glee Club, and Marlene is trying to round up the different hula-halau  
groups to entertain for our cocktail hour. (How is Jerry and Keli?)

I will send a Press Release Fact Sheet to the media for press cov-  
erage a week before the meeting.

We are planning on developing a display table showing all of the  
accomplishments of our PVS in the past. We are asking your cooperation to KOKUA in  
anyway you possibly can. With the combined efforts of our entire OHANA, we should  
have a very EFFECTIVE and SUCCESSFUL ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP EVENT. Any idea call us.

Marlene has rounded up a mixed diff group to entertain for our  
cocktail hour. You'll see who they are when you receive the  
inv. that she put together. Note she addressed all invitations  
by hand - how Haki's class. Of course, she didn't have a list  
of names as in a list.

She said the committee was the only one who was invited to the meeting by  
the committee and not the other way around.

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Nowemapa 4, 1978

Pō aōno (Saturday)

PVS PARTICIPATION IN HO'IKE HAULI CELEBRATION

Palama Inter Church Council, Banyan Court Mall

Aloha Kakou!

It's Wildlani reporting from the "coconut wireless" with more "memos" for the hiding menehunes. Aue noho'i e!

MAHALO for the positive responses I received from the packets I handed out at the BOARD MEETING, Thursday night. It was comforting to know that you are concerned about the viability of our voyaging Ohana.

I have enclosed the following pages on needed materials to be developed for our PVS. Please look through them thoroughly.

If you're beginning to feel "ad nausea" looking at all there is to read, STOP!, instead of fixing yourself a cup of coffee, have a "toot" instead...okolehao on the rocks or a bottle of beer!

To conserve paper, due to the paper shortage, I'm using up old stationery and writing on both sides of the paper. Don't forget to "huli da paypa owa"! (Howsit Gordon!)

I am entertaining the notion that you will find this letter as humorous as you did the last. Be happy! I drop a little humor here and there as bait to keep you reading through the heavy stuff, waiting for my next pun.

Yesterday morning I met with Kaipo Kauka at his office, The State Foundation of Culture and the Arts. There I was able to pick up different materials on proposals and grant writing along with Kaipo's brain, including a GRANT WRITING HANDBOOK.

At 1:00 p.m. Marlene Among and I met with Michael Tongg to discuss the LETTER OF CONSIDERATION FOR EXTENSION OF CETA POSTIONS and also our ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING. With Kaipo's and Michael's input, I put the letter together, Marlene typed it out, and Paige Barber picked it up at 4:30 p.m. How's that for concerted team effort!

Hopefully, this letter and the grant I will be writing with Paige Barber's assistance, will keep us on board until more CETA FUNDS are available in January. This again is dependent on whether Ceta will allocate monies to us then, resting upon their judgement as to the significance of our positions and whether they feel we should be supported.

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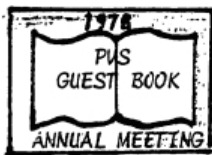
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We LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

ANY SUGGESTIONS???? I HAVE SOME! AUE NOHO'I E!  
Our OFFICE is always open for innovative and creative ideas.

Perhaps each Board Member and Advisors can write letters or make personal phone calls to at least 10 friends or associates they feel will be interested in becoming active members. Those of you who know of individuals that contributed large donations or time to our Society and you feel merits a LOVELY invitation that Marlene has put together, please call Marlene and give her their names and addresses as SOON AS POSSIBLE.



It would be nice to have a GUEST BOOK to record who attends our GALA EVENT of the YEAR. Does anyone want to release their creative energies and put together a GUEST BOOK for that evening? If not, Marlene and I will do it. Let us know fast! If I make it, you can be sure it will be in tapa or colors of the rainbow.



Herb, Sam, Maka'ala, John and Keani!

Are you flying over to be with us that evening? We sure hope so! I'm looking forward to seeing you.....hope you can come. If not by plane, try a CANOE!

For elegance! A GALA EVENT can't be without the touch of splendid decor. Anyone who would like to donate flower arrangements .....Hawaiian or Christmas are welcome. (Howsit JoAnne!) We would surely appreciate a couple of gorgeous flower arrangements.

We also need persons to go to the mountains on Tuesday to gather ti leaves and other wild foliage to decorate the tables and room with. (Howsit Leon!) We also need persons to carry decor over to the Ballroom and other display items, for example...books, tee shirts, etc..



MELE KALIKIMAKA!

PRESIDENT VICE PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER CHAIRPERSONS

Name plates.....aha, that would be nice! (Howsit Ben!) Perhaps some member would like to make name plates (i.e., PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, ETC....for the head table.) It can be used each year if we don't inscribe names on it, but rather just titles.

ANYTHING YOU WANT TO CREATE OR ADD FOR INTEREST OR PAZAZZ PLEASE DO!

I am hoping that I will be able to complete the collage I started of the PVS Ohana for that evening. I cannot finish it unless everyone sends in their snapshots. It would be nice if the Brochure I'm throwing together will be finished by then. It depends on the printers schedule. It takes 10 days to be printed up and I need monies to pick it up with.

How do you feel about making bumper stickers and decals of our Society? Just asked!

I will have a table on a CHRISTMAS SALES PROMOTION of our EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS, TEE SHIRTS, and POSTERS. Would anyone like to cover that table during the cocktail hour to receive orders? Please let me know.

Again, let me reiterate, it would be really nice if we have a large turn out, since the Ballroom is large and lovely, and we need more members. Looking forward to seeing you there sharp at 6:00pm.

SIGNING OFF WITH ALOHA,

Marlene Waikani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR



• letter for father's picture - sent 11/21/78

TITLE AND DATE OF CORRESPONDENCE

DATE MAILED

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BOARD - Executive

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- ✓6 Sam Kaai *Tommy Holmes Co. 7/1/20*
- ✓7 Herb Kane *Co.*
- ✓8 Gilbert Kauhi *n/w*
- ✓9 Po'omai Kawanakoa
- ✓10 Ed Kealanahale
- ✓11 John Kruze
- ✓12 Francis Lee
- ✓13 Gordon Pi'ianai'a
- ✓14 Maka'ala Yates

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Mauron Lyman  
Buzzy Reiner  
Buddy McDaniel*

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EDUCATION COMMITTEE

- 1 Cecilia Lindo
- 2 Gordon Pi'ianai'a
- 3 Willene Wailani Bell
- 4 Keola Beamer *11/20*
- 5 Neil Hannahs
- 6 Homer Haynes
- 7 Barbara Hunt
- 8 Alyce Ikeoka
- 9 Rowena Keaka
- 10 Marion Kelly
- 11 Melissa Kim
- 12 Will Kyselka
- 13 Tim Lucas
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- 16 Don Mitchell
- 17 Mahealani Pescaia *11/20*
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- 19 Elaine Takenaka
- 20 Keali'i Tau'a

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Hawaii to Lohi  
 Lohi to Hawaii  
 Hawaii to Lohi

CORRESPONDENCE

Packet - 11/2  
Follow-up 11/4  
~~Letter for annual~~  
w/ calendar & cl. -

Seaside Branch sheet  
Calendar + book review - 500

Letters to friends - 200

Letters to crew -

Letters to crew applicants

Letters to teachers



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Sent correspondence to the following on letter of Nov. 2nd, given to members at the Board Meeting that evening.

1. Michael Tongg
2. Jo Anne Sterling
3. Anthony Guerrero
4. Paige Barber
5. Moku Froiseth
6. Wally Froiseth
7. Jerry Muller
8. Marlene Among
9. Leon Sterling
10. Kip Kauka
11. Kapua Lindo
12. Gordon Pi'ianai'a

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- Mailed to:
1. Renee Miller
  2. David Lyman
  3. Nani Lyman
  4. Sieg Ramler
  5. August Yee
  6. Ben Young
  7. Charman Akina
  8. Sam Kaai
  9. Herb Kane
  10. Ed Kealanahale
  11. Francis Lee
  12. Buddy McQuire
  13. Nainoa Thompson
  14. Makaala Yates
  15. Marion Lyman
  16. Ben Finney
  17. Tommy Holmes
  18. Fred Cachola
  19. Kenneth Emory
  20. Gilbert Zulu Kauhi
  21. Carla Beach
  22. Self
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Total 23 letters  
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Aloha Kahou!

I went to the Post Office to have these mailed yesterday. To guarantee that you would receive this packet by today, I would have had to have mailed it first class. After the postal clerk quoted me the price (over a dollar per packet), I felt it was just too expensive and decided to disseminate it at the meeting this evening, giving everyone a short recess to read it when I give my Education Committee Report. That would save \$15.00 on postal costs.

For those who are not attending, I will drop your packet in the mail, with third class postage which is a lot cheaper (53¢ per packet). Although this letter was meant for tonight's meeting, perhaps if you read through it, it may inspire you to attend next month's meeting, the last meeting for the year 1978.

We are looking forward to seeing all of you at the Annual Membership Meeting on Nov. 29th. Please mark your calendars! The place the meeting will be held at will be voted upon this evening.

Due to the heavy rains this week, tomorrow's TV coverage of the Kamehameha Schools presenting the Polynesian Voyaging Society with their collected monies from the Recycling Center and their tour of the Bishop Museum will be canceled till a later date. I have called all three channels to have it canceled and every channel mentioned that they were planning to cover it tomorrow.

We have chosen a tentative date for rescheduling it for Dec. 5th, a Tuesday morning. We couldn't schedule it any earlier due to the full booking schedule of the Docent Tours and the bus obligations at Kamehameha Schools.

It would be nice, if those of you on the Board who are free that morning attend the presentation, especially the Executive Board and the Committee Heads.

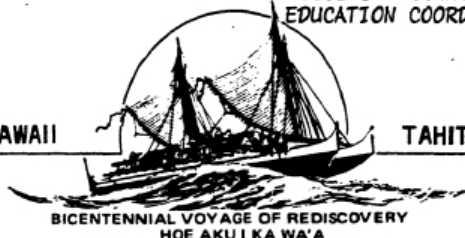
Me ke mahalo,

*Willene Wailani Bell*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR

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December 1, 1978

TO: LEON PAOWA STERLING  
FROM: Willene Wallani Bell  
RE: MEMOS as of Friday, Dec. 1, 1978

Aloha Leon;

The following are memos from today. Perhaps by the time these memos are received by you, they are already obsolete. I left a message twice on the phone for either you or Jo Anne to call me. I called at 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. I am writing the press releases for the Kamehameha Schools presentation on Tuesday, Dec. 5th and I have to have it in the mail before midnight tonight so that the stations will receive it in adequate time to prepare for coverage should they decide to give us any.

It's 10:50 p.m. now and I hope I will make it in time so that the stations will receive it by tomorrow, Saturday. I have to make my nightly run to the airport.

These are the following messages that were left for you today. Since I am sending you a copy of the press release I might as well enclose these messages. I called Moku after I couldn't get in touch with your home and told her to relay some of the messages to you, so you can see by the time you receive this letter you will have already heard them.

(1) You may not get your pay check next pay day, on the 10th because you didn't hand in your time sheet and the boys sheets today. Maxine said there's a possibility that you may not receive them as scheduled. Please hand them in the first thing on Monday morning when Alu Like opens so that she may get them out in time so you can get your money on the 10th.

(2) Kalamaha Kalama, the hula teacher upstairs of our office is making food, beverages and supplying beer for the workers on Saturday. Someone needs to get in touch with her to deliver the food for lunch. I won't be going down to the pier so you'll have to send one of your boys to pick up the food.

(3) Dominic Orsatti came in this afternoon and left a gift and a script for you.

(4) Avon Bean (a seaman, called me this evening on my home phone to tell me that he read the article in tonight's paper on Hokule'a (It's on the first page of Section B), and he went down to look at the canoe and said her sails are 15 degrees off kilter. I told him to go down tomorrow and speak with either Wally or you about it, and maybe he would also like to help out. I gave him both yours and Wally's phone numbers and he said he would call and also go down to help. You can reach him at the above number.

(5) Ants called and said if there is any left over money from the \$300.00 he gave you, buy food for the workers with it.

Ants called again to say that he needs receipts for the 257.31 bill that you have. I have the notice on my desk at work and can't remember the exact figure.

Aloha,

Wallani

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Aloha,

This is a follow-up letter regarding TV COVERAGE OF POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY SCHOOL PRESENTATION TO KAMEHAMEHA STUDENTS that I sent you on October 26, 1978. I called you on Thursday, November 2nd to inform you by phone that we were canceling the presentation for Friday, November 3rd because of the heavy rains that week. Since half of the presentation was planned for outdoors, it wouldn't have been feasible or practical to have gone through with the presentation on a rainy day.

We are rescheduling the presentation for Tuesday, December 5, 1978. The collected monies from the Kamehameha Schools second and third grade classes will be presented to the Polynesian Voyaging Society at 9:30 a.m. in front of the canoe halau on the grounds of the Bishop Museum.

The presentation on Polynesian sea voyaging and canoe building of Hokule'a will be held at the Kamehameha School Grounds, Elementary Division Lanai at 10:45 a.m. This is part of the Speaker's Bureau Service that our PVS sponsors to all interested schools and community groups.

Please contact me if you will be able to cover the presentations for that morning. I have enclosed the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY FACT SHEET that I sent you on October 26th with the necessary adjustments for the rescheduled presentation Tuesday morning, December 5th. You may reach me at [REDACTED]

Mahalo nui loa,

*Willene*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR

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Merry Christmas!

Friday, December 29, 1978 at 10:00 a.m. we are holding our Education Committee Meeting at the Hawai'i Foundations for History and Humanities. The address there is 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 233.

One of the topics on the agenda for discussion is the Proposal for a grant from the Ethnic Heritage Studies Program which we are in the process of writing. The deadline to have our proposal sent to Washington is January 5, 1979.

I will be calling you on the phone to check whether (1) you are still interested in serving with our Education Committee for our next year, (2) to check if you will be coming to our meeting on January 5, 1979, and (3) to check if you will be attending our Christmas luncheon.

If I am not able to reach you by phone before Tuesday, January 19th, would you please contact me at the office (841-3966) or my home [REDACTED]. You may leave a message on my CODE-A-PHONE if I am not in.

Enclosed is a calendar of events for the month of December. Also enclosed is an ANNUAL ASSESSMENT SHEET which I put together primarily for the Board Members who have attended the monthly PVS meetings in 1978. I am enclosing a copy for you because it would be beneficial to hear your feelings towards our PVS 'ohana from an educator's point of view. Some of the questions may not be applicable but I would appreciate your input on most of them. Please don't sign your name to the questionnaire but do mark "Education Committee Member" on the sheet so that we may distinguish it from the Board Members when reviewing the responses after they're all been returned. You might also want to write down your feelings about our Education Committee.

Cecilia Kapua Lindo and I are hoping you are still planning to serve with our Education Committee and we are looking forward to a productive and creative year. Have a Merry Christmas and we hope to see you at our December 29th meeting, Friday at 10:00 a.m.

Me ke aloha pumehana.

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Willene Wailani Bell

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## POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY FACT SHEET

DATE: ~~Friday, November 3, 1978~~ Tuesday, December 5, 1978

PLACE: Kamehameha Schools Elementary Division Lanai  
Kamehameha Schools Industrial and Workshops Area  
Polynesian Voyaging Society Office, Arts and Crafts  
Building on the Bishop Museum Grounds  
Bishop Museum Halau Wa'a  
Bishop Museum Exhibit Halls

TIME: ~~8:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.~~ 9:30 a.m. till 11:30 p.m.

EVENTS: 8:15 a.m. Presentation on canoe building and voyaging by the Speaker's  
10:45 a.m. Bureau of the Polynesian Voyaging Society to three second  
and one third grade class of Kamehameha Schools. The first  
portion of the presentation will be a lecture by Willene  
Wailani Bell, Education Coordinator, and Leon Paoa Sterling,  
Canoe Supervisor, on the different aspects of ancient Poly-  
nesian voyaging.

Visual charts and a replica of Hokule'a will be used.  
Marlene Among, Executive Administrative Secretary, and the  
three seamen, Michael Keola Jones, Abel John and Anthony  
Nali'ielua will assist in the presentation. It will be  
held on the Elementary Division Lanai, next to the childrens'  
classrooms. Following the first portion of the presentation,  
the children will walk up to the Industrial and Workshops  
Area where parts of Hokule'a are being refurbished. Further  
demonstrations on canoe building will be given by Leon Paoa  
Sterling and his seamen.

The children have been collecting newspapers and used cans  
since Sept. 13th, to be sold at the Recycling Center. The  
proceeds from their remunerations will be given to the Poly-  
nesian Voyaging Society to help with the financial support  
needed for the refurbishing of Hokule'a, Hawaii's double-  
hulled canoe. The classrooms, to date, are stacked with  
newspapers and used cans. Some classes have already sold

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what they have collected to the Recycling Center because they ran out of storage space and are now collecting their second batch.

- 9:10 a.m. The same children attending the presentation will be bused down to the Bishop Museum Grounds.
- 9:20 a.m. The children will gather in front of the Polynesian Voyaging Society Office at the Arts and Crafts Building of the Bishop Museum where the children will present to Leon Paoa Sterling, PVS Board Members and Staff, the monies collected from their campaign towards the refurbishing of Hokule'a.
- 9:30 a.m. The children will then walk over to the Bishop Museum Proper, where they will split in half. One group will gather around the Halau Wa'a where the single-hulled canoe that is being built by Wright Bowman, Jr. for Kamehameha Schools is housed. 50 of the children will listen to a presentation by Leon Paoa Sterling and Wright Bowman, Jr. on the differences between a single and a double-hulled canoe.

The other group of 50 children will go into the Bishop Museum and attend a guided DOCENT TOUR given by Pat Edmondson, Docent Coordinator. The tour will be in the main Exhibit Halls. After each presentation ends, the groups will exchange places and the presentations will take place again for the new groups of children.

BACKGROUND  
INFORMATION:

The Speaker's Bureau of the Polynesian Voyaging Society services the schools and community, giving lecture presentations on Polynesian voyaging and related areas in Hawaiian Studies. The guest speakers are usually crew members who have voyaged on Hokule'a. Since June, 1978, the Education Coordinator, an elementary school teacher, has assisted in these presentations.

After Hokule'a proved her seaworthiness through her long and successful voyages to Tahiti and back in her 1976 Bicentennial Voyage of Rediscovery, she was used as a "floating classroom" on Oahu and the neighboring islands. Members of the Speaker's Bureau reached an audience of over 17,000 children and adults during 1976-77 servicing the schools and community throughout the State.

The public has responded very favorably towards these presentations and the Speaker's Bureau to date is still tapped upon to lecture throughout the State. The three main target groups are (1) the schools, (2) the general community, and (3) the professional associations.

*Really  
around 30,000*

The following are available for presentations;

*18 minute film*

FILMAGE: - 90 minute film on Hokule'a's voyage to Tahiti by the National Geographic Society  
- 30 minute film on the Launching of the Hokule'a produced by Tip Davis and narrated by John Kruse, Hokule'a crew member  
- 15 minute film on THE COMING OF THE POLYNESIANS produced by George Tahara. Half of the film is about Hokule'a.

SLIDES: 2 - 30 minute slide presentation on the activities of the Hokule'a from her birth to her voyage back from Tahiti. X

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VISUAL AIDS - Maps, photos, large posters, charts, chalkboards, handouts, exercise sheets, etc...on canoe construction, sailing and navigation skills, riggings and lashings, food preparation and plants for sea voyaging, coconut basket weaving and sennit making, bird flight patterns and non-navigational nature signs. Sennit cordage, fishhooks, coconut cups, kukui nuts, samples of lashings and food preparation materials, etc....and other related artifacts.

The Polynesian Voyaging Society is dedicated to research, education and experiential Polynesian sea voyaging. The Speaker's Bureau is under the umbrella of the Polynesian Voyaging Society Education Committee and is an active arm in educating the public on the activities of the Society. They are trying to touch the lives of those interested in voyaging and other related Hawaiian Studies and cover a wide spectrum of concerns about Polynesian voyaging.

The Education Committee under the Chairpersonship of Cecilia Kapua Lindo and Co-chairperson Gordon Pi'ianai'a are continually developing and disseminating educational materials on Polynesian voyaging and other related subjects.

A series of four children's books, Na Puke Huaka'i Kamali'i, conceived by Dr. Kenneth Emory and created, directed and edited by Nancy Mower, were completed in October, 1976 and is still available to the public for purchase. They are used in over 170 schools locally and on the mainland. A resource Curriculum Guide on Polynesian Voyaging, was written by Cecilia Kapua Lindo to accompany The Children's Book Project.

A resource/activity handbook, Na Hana Huaka'i (The Voyaging Works), edited by Cecilia Kapua Lindo and to be published by Kamehameha Schools will be completed and on the market in the near future. It is a rich storehouse of information and exercises for the teacher and student on Polynesian sea voyaging and related areas in Hawaiian Studies.



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THE BISHOP MUSEUM DOCENT PROGRAM

The Docent Program at Bishop Museum is one activity of the Museum Service Board, an auxiliary organization to the Bishop Museum Association. The Docent Program began in January of 1974, and has since guided over 8,000 of Hawaii's children through Bishop Museum. The basic goals of the program are to make children of today more aware of Hawaii of long ago and also to spark an interest in the Bishop Museum and what it stands for. These goals are accomplished by means of Docent-guided tours in the following ways:

- by giving the children an idea of the relative isolation of Hawaii and by briefly describing Polynesian migrations
- by describing the every-day life of the early Hawaiians -- fishing, house building, kapa making
- by impressing upon the children the all-pervasiveness of religion in the life of the ancient Hawaiians - social order, the kapus, wearing apparel, god images
- by telling of the fun and amusements - festivals, games, dancing and music
- by describing the background of Bishop Museum

are aided in the attainment of these goals by a beautiful collection of implements and reproductions which the children can actually handle as well maps and paintings produced especially for our program. The children are also exposed to legends of old Hawaii and several ancient games.

Some knowledge of Hawaiian culture is, of course, necessary for active Docents. Basically, this knowledge is provided by our 11-week training course, during which eminent lecturers, some of whom are on the museum staff, speak to us once a week. On-the-floor training is included in the seminar series, to give the Docent trainees the feeling of participating in an actual tour.

In the past year our Reachout program has developed and proven to be very popular and successful. These tours are tailored to the needs and interests of senior citizens, special adult groups, and handicapped children and adults.

We have received many favorable comments from teachers who have used our services. However, the comments we treasure most are the ones from the children, often in the form of "I love the museum", letters or wonderful drawings of artifacts they have seen while taking the tour. These really make it all worthwhile.

Should you have any questions, please call Pat Edmondson, Docent coordinator,  
847-3511 ext. 149

Gordon, Since the guys are out there this weekend  
fixing the canal, could you please ask Michael  
to shoot pictures of them like I requested in my  
last letter?

Michael W.F.

This was  
received on  
Monday following  
above weekend



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Aloha Leon,

I am putting my resume that I promised you I'd give you to use as a basic format for the vita you are working on. in the mail, since I won't be going to the office today. Jalene and I are home sick with the flu and so I might not be back to work till next Tuesday. I may not attend the meeting tomorrow morning if my flu gets worse.

Whatever I have outlined in red you might want to read through and use as an example for yours. You might just for your own purposes of organizing your past history of different employment records do an abstract just like the one I did for entertainment. After you list all of your past jobs from your first job to last, then group them by year and by occupation. After that is done then you can group them by the jobs that will be relevant to your position as canoe supervisor. For example:

----- to date----- CANOE CONSTRUCTION, SUPERVISION AND SAILING

----- to ----- CONSTRUCTION, SUPERVISION

----- to ----- (These jobs should then be grouped by activities that reflect the growth process in establishing your maritime and construction career.)

When you do your EDUCATION portion, list down any courses that are pertinent to your present career. For example, NAVIGATION, etc.....

Your vita doesn't need to be more than one and a half to two pages long. Stress your expertise and background in maritime activities, supervision, and construction. List your experiences with the PVS and with Hokule'a and the presentations you did with me at the schools and community organizations.

Hope this resume of mine will help you a little. Good Luck!

Wailani

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PWL

February 7, 1979

TO: Leon Sterling  
FROM: W. W. Bell  
RE: Memos

The PVS Monthly Meeting for tomorrow evening at 6:00 p.m. will be held at Anthony Guerrero's office at the First Hawaiian Bank instead of Alu Like.

165 South King St. PH. 525-6344

Anthony will validate all parking tickets.

Please don't forget to bring the voyaging data from Isabelle Haskaylo to the meeting as Cecilia Bindo and Marlene want to review it.

I called and canceled your appointment Friday with Isabelle Haskaylo at Maile Elementary.

Mahalo,

W. W. Bell

\*Hope this reaches you before the meeting tomorrow evening!

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## COMMUNIQUE

LIVE EACH DAY  
with ALOHA!

February 21, 1979

TO: Gordon Pi'ianai'a  
Tommy Holmes  
David Lyman  
Bob Liljestrang

FROM: Wailani

SUBJECT: PVS SLIDE PRESENTATION

Aloha:

As discussed per previous conversations, I am trying to put together an informative, interesting and effective 30 minute slide script on the voyages of Hokule'a, Polynesian voyaging, history, food preservation, plants, psychological effects of long voyages, etc....that can be used at all of the school and community presentations. If we can set and standardize the script then any speaker on a presentation can use it.

I need the expertise and resources of all of you. Is it possible for you to meet next week at either one of the following:

Bob Liljestrang's parent's home (evening)  
Kamehameha Schools (day)  
PVS Office (day)

This needs to be put together as soon as possible as we have large exhibits and conventions coming up in March and April that have requested speakers and a slide presentation.

Please call and let me know when you are available next week so I can set up a definite meeting place and time.

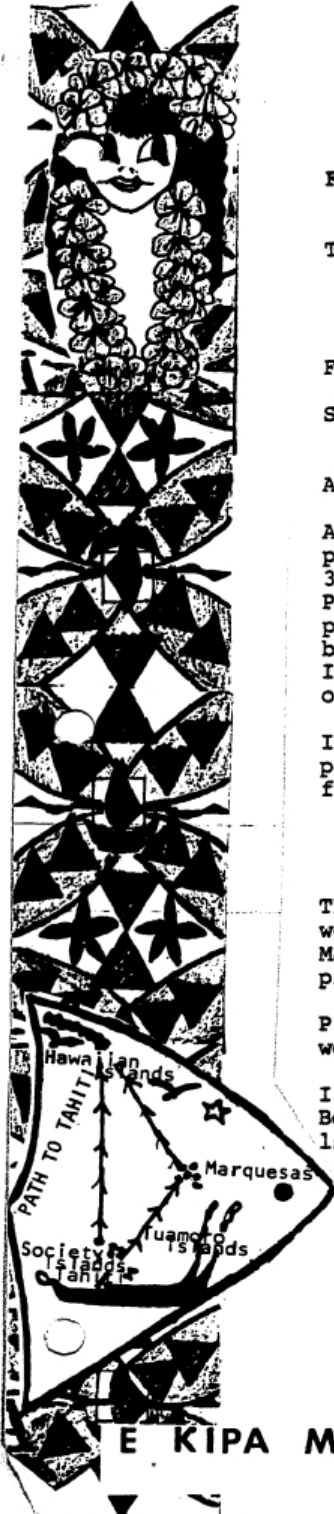
I will be on the Big Island with Marlene doing the Book Exhibits up there on the 27, 28th of Feb. and the 1st and 2nd of March. Please call before then.

Mahalo,

Wailani Bell  
Education  
Coordinator

E KIPA MAI E HO'OLAULIMA A' PŪ KĀKOU!  
(COME AND LET US WORK TOGETHER!)

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Leon Paoa Sterling

Aloha:

The Polynesian Voyaging Society would like to extend their heart-felt mahalo to you for initiating the generous donation of 1200 feet of dacron halyard line for the refurbishing of Hokule'a by Lehua Conrad, proprietor of Eves & Meredith Co. Ltd.

It is only through the dedication, concern and aloha of individuals like yourself that Hokule'a will once again be ready to set sail as her history continues to live on. You have certainly been instrumental in our endeavors toward making Hokule'a a real and living part of our lives.

Once again, our sincere thanks and appreciation to you.

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am sincerely)

*Michael Tongg*

Michael Tongg, President

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Once Hokule'a is ready to set sail, she will be sailing inter-island as a "floating classroom", training crew, teachers and students on Polynesian sea voyaging and other related subjects on Hawaiian culture throughout the state of Hawai'i. Later she will again embark on another voyage to Tahiti to further the societies research on ancient Polynesian non-celestial extended voyaging.

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We will keep you posted on her activities through our monthly newsletter and we have you listed with us as an honorary member. We invite you to attend our monthly Board Meetings and share your mana'o with us. When her refurbishing is completed we welcome you to come down and take a look at her and possibly sail on her.

Once again, our sincere thanks and appreciation to you. Please convey this to Bud Cathcart and the rest of your staff.

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am sincerely)

*Michael Tongg*

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Dale Fergstrom

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Looking forward to meeting with you!

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Wailani*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR

cc: Jo-Anne Sterling

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We are wondering if it is possible for you to assist us at the Kona Exhibit and possibly show us around the Big Island as we are not familiar with Hilo and Kona.

Enclosed is our itinerary of where we will be staying and how you can contact us. We welcome your help and would love to see and visit with you.

Looking forward to seeing you!

'Owau me ka'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Willene*

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✓3. Anthony Guerrero <i>H</i>	"	"				
✓4. Renee Miller						
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✓6. Paige Barber		mail "				
✓7. Moku & Wally Froiseth		"				
✓8. David Lyman		mail "				
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- 48. Dr. Donald Mitchell
- ✓ 49. Francis Lee
- ✓ 50. Nainoa Thompson
- 51. John Kruse
- 52. Maka'ala Yate

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Mailed 33 envelopes on 12/17/18.  
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 letter to Cd. Com. - 14 copies  
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## COMMUNIQUE

LIVE EACH DAY  
with ALOHA!

March 14, 1979

TO: Manpower Committee Members and Betty Lau, Chairperson

FROM: Willene Wailani Bell

SUBJ: EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Aloha:

Enclosed is a letter I received from Dennis Alger, coordinator for the Council For Environment Affairs. The Earth Day Celebration will be held on Friday, April 27, 1979.

I would like to know how much manpower we will be able to round up to set up and dismantle the booth which we will have. Also how many individuals to monitor the booth.

Some considerations are :

- What will our contribution be as a Voyaging Society?
- How many materials do we have on hand that can be used in connection with their theme?
- How many members or individuals are available and willing to develop and produce any materials we may be lacking in?
- We need to develop our Manpower Committee. We need more manpower! Who's in charge of recruitment? Perhaps we can develop a list of available individuals and the days and time that they are available.

- Betty, when will our next meeting be held?

In the newsletter that's coming out, I submitted the Service Board letter and Forms to fill out. Perhaps we may have responses from different members after the Newsletter is out and read.

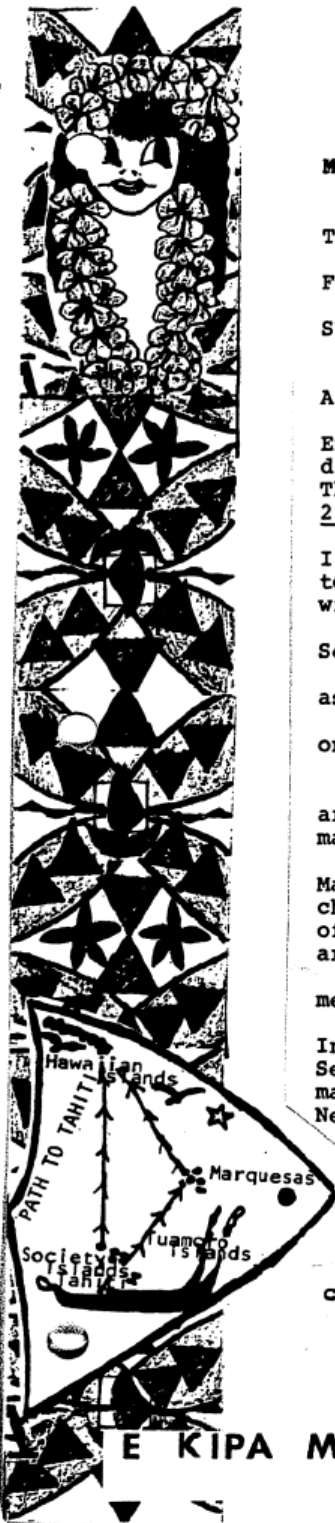
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( I am, sincerely)

*Wailani*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR

cc: C. Lindo  
B. Lau  
M. Among  
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(COME AND LET US WORK TOGETHER!)



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From the desk of *Willene Wailani Bell*  
education coordinator  
POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY

March 6, 1979

Gordon Pi'ianai'a  
Director of Extension Education  
Kamehameha Schools  
Kapalama Heights  
Honolulu, HI 96817

Aloha Gordon:

I would like to extend my appreciation for making it possible for Marlene and I to be part of the Instructional Materials Exhibit on the Big Island. The exhibits went well, the turn out in Hilo was excellent. The teachers showed enthusiasm for our books, Na Puke Huaka'i Kamali'i. Some of them already have them and those that don't, expressed interest in ordering them.

Your brother, Norman, his wife, Nancy, and Bobby Camara, showed my daughter and I a marvelous time in Hilo. All three graciously extended their Hawaiian hospitality and made our stay in Hilo an educational as well as a delightful and memorable experience.

We toured the Volcano for two days and picniced up in the Park. The first day we went to Aiea where Bobby will be holding a workshop this weekend and Norman and Nancy will be doing the cooking. Bobby's expertise on botany was very informative for us while we toured the Bird Park. He is really a very resourceful person on native plants and should be considered in participating in some of our workshops as a lecturer on plants.

Jalene enjoyed playing with Maika'i and Gordon. Norman taught her how to play dominoes and let her drive the car on the dirt trail up to Aiea. She thinks the world of "Uncle Norman"! All the Pi'ianai'a boys are a handsome lot! Our entire stay there was an exciting adventure for Jalene and myself.

EDUCATION is the MAINSTREAM of the HUMAN POTENTIAL

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March 6, 1979  
Gordon Pi'ianai'a.

In Kona we were able to visit with Mrs. Wayne Sterling, (Leon's mom), at her shop, The Sterling's Thimble. She offered to display our Children's Book Project in her shop. We visited with Herb Kane at his home and he expressed his aloha for our society. Later that evening Marlene and I dined with Maka'ala Yates at Buzzy's Steak House. He expressed how he wished he had more time to become more involved with our society. At present he is studying Hawaiian lomi-lomi massage and is making a profession out of it. He is visiting this week in Honolulu and may be reached at [REDACTED] He may stop by and attend our monthly meeting, this Thursday evening.

In Kamuela, I visited with Shorty Bertleman, and he expressed interest in our Educational Committee and its accomplishments. In essence all of the members that we contacted shared very positive thoughts about our society and wished that they had more time to be more actively involved with our activities here. I took photographs throughout our visits and will show it to the members at a future meeting.

Well, that pretty much skims the rooftops, depicting the highlights of our Big Island trip. Once again, mahalo for making it all possible.

Enclosed is the accountability report for our Big Island trip.

• 'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Wailani*

Willene Wailani Bell  
EDUCATIONAL COORDINATOR, PVS

cc: M. Among  
C. Lindo  
M. Tongg  
Pi'ianai'a's

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March 6, 1979

TO: Noelani Mahoe

FROM: Willene Wailani Bell

RE: HOKULE'A SONGS TO BE TAPED BY STUDENTS

Aloha:

Enclosed are the songs to be taped as we discussed per telephone conversation this morning. If you have any questions regarding the materials please call me at [REDACTED]. You may also contact Cecilia Kapua Lindo at [REDACTED] or Gordon Pi'ianai'a at [REDACTED].

The tapes will be used for educational purposes only. They will not be marketed commercially.

Mahalo for taping them! It is through the interest, concern and aloha from individuals like yourself that the history of Hokule'a continues to live on. You are certainly instrumental in our endeavors toward making the Hokule'a experience a real and living part of our lives.

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

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RE-OCTOBER 8, WORKSHOP \*

Wailani, please follow up on this soon (by end of April) so that we can set up the program and also have speakers prepare themselves for the workshop.

1. Is Herb Kane going to participate?
2. Call Tim Lucas and ask him if he'd like to do session 4--Simplifying Polynesian navigation (Winds, currents, bird flights) I have a feeling that he has developed a lot in this area since he volunteered to do something. Melissa told me that he's a great teacher and I have great respect for her recommendations
3. Call Dixon and ask him if he's really interested in participating in the workshop (He told me that he'd think of a topic to speak on) If he's not interested, even a wee bit, it's fine with me. Just want an answer so that I can get on with the planning.
4. If Dixon is not interested, call Abe Pi'ianai'a or Ruby Johnson of the UH. They can talk about the various settlers who colonized the Polynesian Archipelago. Tell them what our purpose is, and our target audience, please *emphasize* teaching techniques. (How teachers can use what they have to impart in their classrooms) *Audio-visuals are also great!*
5. Ask Somsen if he's interested in participating (he said he was interested) and if he wants to participate, then what's his forte. Tell him to bear in mind that ~~his~~ materials have to be geared down to the elem., inter., high school levels

PLEASE BE SURE TO WRITE OUT OUR COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Our mtg. at Kanehameha (April 19, 1979)
2. The Marine Ocean Fair
3. Earth Day
4. workshop at Waiānae

RECOMMENDATIONS C. Lindo

1. Have allotment for photography so that we can buy slides, develop pictures, ask photographers to reproduce copies for the society so that we can document some of our history. It certainly can be done in picture form

2. Have a roster of people who've really given of themselves since Hokule'a's inception so that they can be brought back into the ~~area~~ ohana. Many people have been forgotten and faded out of the picture because of the ~~lack of insight and leadership in this area~~ *friendly persuasion in this area*. All those who wrote the children's books, Uncle Wright Bowman, Maika'i Gonsalves and wife, The Thielens, ~~etc.~~ *there are many* & they should be remembered.

Bella Richards  
Zulu

Thank board for the extremely useful assets of whatever I missed. If you can straighten out the Hokule'a program w/ Maria perhaps you can get that board (May 3) in the next mtg. *workshop*

*And  
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but imp.*



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TO: Education Committee Members

FROM: Cecilia Kapua Lindo

SUBJ: EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING, MARCH 26, 1979

Dear Friend,

As a member of the Polynesian Voyaging Society's Education Committee, we'd like to inform you about our plans for the year 1979-80.

On March 26, 1979, there will be a meeting at Cecilia Kapua Lindo's home. Plans will be made for two workshops for this year. The workshop itineraries are enclosed with this letter. Please don't panic if you see your name on the agenda. We did not mean to be so forward, but feel that you would make a fine resource person. Of course the decision will be yours!

Please go over the format and approach we intend to use for the workshops and be prepared to give your input when we meet. Your presence and mana'o will be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to seeing you!

WHAT: Discuss and Carry Out Plans of the Education Committee

WHERE: 1624 'Alewa Dr. (In back of 1626)

WHEN: March 26, 1979

TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
Lunch at 11:30 a.m.

Please RSVP at 841-3966

Please look at the dates of both itineraries and let me know by March 31, 1979, if you intend to go to the camp-out at Mokuleia. Reservations have to be confirmed. Too, let us know if you are willing to be a resource person in the workshops by March 31. This will give us time to ask others to participate.

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Aloha Wally:

Enclosed is a zeroxed copy of the history of the Polynesian Voyaging Society entitled: The Education and Research Program of the Polynesian Voyaging Society. This is one of the articles included in our resource/activity book, Na Hana Huaka'i (The Voyaging Works), which we are in the process of completing.

Would you please read over the article and jot down your input. Any changes you feel that should be made, please note. Would you also add on any information that you feel has been left out.

We need this back by next week, as we have a deadline publishing date with Kamehameha Schools. Thank you for your consideration in looking over the article.

Please don't forget our Education Committee Meeting on March 26, 1979, MONDAY, 10:30 a.m. at Cecilia's home. Lunch is at 11:30 a.m., so come with an empty stomach. Cecilia's a terrific chef!

\* Enclosed  
"history"  
to look through.

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March 13, 1979  
Wallace Froiseth

Mahalo once again for inviting my daughter and I to go on board Hokule'a's launching on Sunday. It was a privilege, a delightful and educational experience, and an exciting adventure for both of us to sail on her.

It is only through the concern, interest, and aloha of individuals like yourself, that the history and experience of Hokule'a continues to live on. Your efforts as the Canoe Committee Chairperson makes it possible for the PVS to touch the lives of those interested in maritime activities related to our Hawaiian culture and heritage.

You certainly have been instrumental in our endeavors toward making Hokule'a a real and living part of our lives and our community. Mahalo once more!

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Wailani*

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Nainoa Thompson

Aloha Nainoa:

Cecilia Kapua Lindo would like to invite you to  
attend our next Education Committee Meeting.

DATE: Monday, March 26, 1979

TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
Lunch at 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: Cecilia's residence

PHONE:

RSVP: PVS Office  
841-3966  
734-1016 CODE-A-PHONE

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June 15, 16, 17, 1979  
Friday, Saturday, Sunday

DISCOVERS' DAY WORKSHOP  
October 9, 1979  
Tuesday

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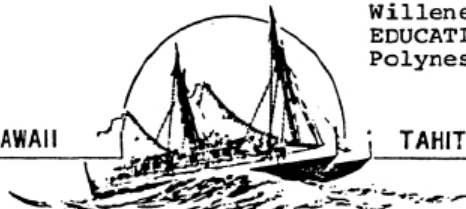
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*\*Enclosed schedules*

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Nainoa Thompson

Enclosed are the Program Schedules for both workshops. They are just rough drafts subject to change and rescheduling after our meeting on March 26th. Any ideas you have as to how we can enhance our lecture presentations or any input at all, please jot down and contribute to our planning at the meeting. I have circled in red the time frames and subjects Cecilia hoped you would participate in. Cecilia feels you would make an excellent resource person on that subject and took the liberty of putting your name down when she drew up the rough draft. She realizes of course, that the final decision to participate will be yours.

Your expertise on those subjects will be greatly appreciated. We hope that you will be able to attend the meeting.

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Peter Apo  
Waianae Community Action Program  
Waianae, HI 96792

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TO: Manpower Committee Members and Betty Lau, Chairperson

FROM: Willene Wailani Bell

SUBJ: EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Aloha:

Enclosed is a letter I received from Dennis Alger, coordinator for the Council For Environment Affairs. The Earth Day Celebration will be held on Friday, April 27, 1979.

I would like to know how much manpower we will be able to round up to set up and dismantle the booth which we will have. Also how many individuals to monitor the booth.

Some considerations are :

- What will our contribution be as a Voyaging Society?  
- How many materials do we have on hand that can be used in connection with their theme?

- How many members or individuals are available and willing to develop and produce any materials we may be lacking in?

- We need to develop our Manpower Committee. We need more manpower! Who's in charge of recruitment? Perhaps we can develop a list of available individuals and the days and time that they are available.

- Betty, when will our next meeting be held?

In the newsletter that's coming out, I submitted the Service Board letter and Forms to fill out. Perhaps we may have responses from different members after the Newsletter is out and read.

cc: C. Lindo  
B. Lau  
M. Among  
P. Luv

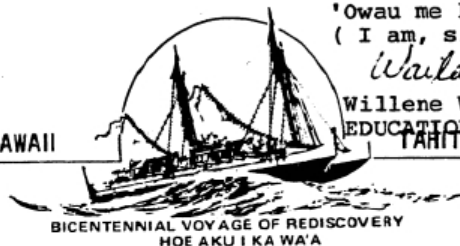
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POST SCRIPT

SUGGESTIONS: - Perhaps, Betty, as Chairperson, you might want to write out personal invitations to different responsible and resourceful PVS members to join our committee. Should you choose to do so, please feel free to come in and use our Letter Head Stationary. Or you may want to call them up.  
I have some suggestions for invitees:  
- Leon Sterling, as he helped me in the past with the different exhibits and presentations  
- Kip Kauka, since he is in charge of Public Relations and is very responsive and responsible  
- Larry Johnson, as he is working with Kip on publicity  
- Dixon Stroup, as he knows what's going on at the University and he suggested the two different workshops at the University.  
- Chuck Larson, he's got good ideas and is very helpful  
- Bob Liljestrang, he's a great photographer and very creative.  
- Gerry Marullo, she's also a good resource person  
- Deborah Kondo, she's also a good resource person

Betty, I enclosed for you some of the things I felt when I was doing workshops in the past, ~~that~~ we needed. I didn't have at the time the manpower to help me develop them. Perhaps now some of these materials which are necessary for large exhibits will be developed.

In writing out my requests for them to different members, I did it in a hurry, and so there are typo-graphical errors and the mechanics of language is not the greatest. I enclosed it to you however, so that you would have an idea of some of the things I felt were needed. In fact, this letter is being typed out in a hurry as I don't have too much time to spend on correspondence as I want to finish typing Na Hana Huaka'i, but I realize that time is near for these workshops and we have to start planning for them if we are going to participate in them.

If you have any questions, please call me.  
Also please let the office know when you plan to call our next meeting.

Aloha, *W*  
Wailani



REQUESTS FOR OTHER WORKSHOPS

ART BOOK AND FILM FESTIVAL:      Date: Saturday, March 17, 1979  
   Place: Akala Room of Queen Kapiolani Hotel  
   Cost: \$10.00      Facilities: Booth and 3'X8" table.

Purpose: To provide educators with the latest in art materials, supplies and related instructional materials.

MARINE OCEAN FAIR:              Date: April 9 - April 13, 1979 (Mon. - Fri.)  
   Place: University of Hawai'i Campus (Manoa)  
   Cost: free      Facilities: booth  
Purpose: To provide students and public interested in Hawaiian culturally based maritime activities with exhibits about Polynesian voyaging.  
   \*University coordinators will have manpower available.

EARTH DAY CELEBRATION:          Date: April 27, 1979 (Friday)  
   Place: University of Hawai'i Campus (Manoa)  
   Cost: free      Facilities: booth  
Purpose: To emphasis environmental lifestyles of different groups and eras under the direction of the Council for Environmental Affairs.  
Requests:- Film footage of "Voyage of Hokule'a"  
   - Crew member speakers on Hokule'a experiences  
   - Speakers and exhibits on foods preservation skills and techniques.

Topics for Board discussion: - What committees would like to participate in the different workshops?

How many members are available to monitor booths as well as to set up and dismantle booths?

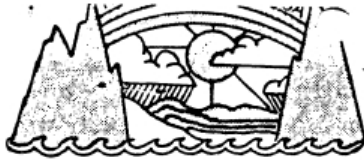
REQUESTS FOR PRESENTATIONS

1. Castle High School would like the Hokule'a and crew to go over to Kualoa Beach Park and give a lecture presentation on canoes. They would also like to take short trips on Hokule'a into Kaneohe Bay. Their choice of dates are:

April 26, 1979 from 10:00 - 4:00

April 27, 1979 from 09:00 - 2:00

They extended an invitation to join them for a 'aha'aina on the evening of April 26th.



Wailani Bell

Polynesian Voyaging Soc

re: your conversation w/ Susan Huga

The COUNCIL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS is a University of Hawaii student organization involved in facilitating environmental awareness on the University campus as well as in the community. It also serves as liason for university, government, and private agencies or businesses involved in environmental issues.

In keeping with these goals, the CEA is planning a program on the Manoa campus on Friday, April 27 to celebrate EARTH DAY. The focus of the program is on exhibits, workshops, and demonstrations emphasizing positive environmental developments such as alternate lifestyles, conservation efforts, renewable-energy technologies, and recycling systems. The celebration is to begin at 10 AM and continue until 2 PM.

We plan to include representative groups from all segments of the community-- business, government, university, and non-profit organizations in order to expose students and the public to environmental concerns on many levels. In turn, we feel that this event will benefit the participating organizations with an opportunity for public and media exposure as well as interaction with other groups.

We hope your organization will join in this celebration and help ensure the success of the event. Attached is a participant questionnaire which we will need returned as soon as possible to schedule a suitable place and time for your group. Any other contribution-- in planning, services, or money -- would be most welcome. We hope to be hearing from you soon. If you have any questions, please call:

Dennis at [REDACTED]

MAHALO,

Dennis Alger

COUNCIL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

EARTH DAY PARTICIPANT SHEET

NAME OF GROUP \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PERSON IN CHARGE \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE OF PRESENTATION/EXHIBIT \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF PRESENTATION/EXHIBIT \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIAL NEEDS \_\_\_\_\_

(Rooms, electrical outlets, auditorium, visual aids, etc.)

\*Advance notice necessary

The celebration will be held on the mall of the Manoa campus--the corridor running from Hawaii Hall near Varney Circle to the East-West Road (maps will be provided later). This is the busiest area on campus during the day, and has trees which provide shelter from wind, sun, and light rain. It also provides a suitable atmosphere for the celebration.

You will need to provide any extra materials that you will need--chairs, tables, extension cords, or if you are concerned, protective coverings. If you plan to have flyers or brochures, paperweights may come in handy if there is a breeze on that day.

We are planning to hold a participants' meeting in early April to coordinate the details of space and time for each exhibit/workshop, and you will be notified later of the exact date.

MAHALO

COUNCIL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS  
"KE OLA O KA HONUA"

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TO: Mike Tongg, President  
Anthony Guerrero, Treasurer

FROM: Cecilia Kapua Lindo

SUBJ: BID ON INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS SUBMITTED FOR CALIFORNIA ADOPTION

Aloha: ...

Enclosed is the bid on Instructional Materials Submitted for California Adoption and the supplementary packets of information accompanying the bid.

**PURPOSE OF BID:** To put our Children's Book Project, Na Puke Huaka'i Kamali'i, on the State of California Department of Education Listing. In essence, this means that all California school districts, grades K-8, will be entitled to select these materials and obtain them through the state. These materials will be purchased by the State of California for school districts from the Polynesian Voyaging Society.

**OBLIGATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES:** According to Mr. Richard Soehren, per telephone conversation with Wailani Bell in February, 1979, being put on the list will cost us no money, but we will be obligated to supply the schools of California with our books upon their request for the next five years.

Should they request for more books than we have on stock, we will have to do another reprinting of our books to supply the demand for them. We will have to keep our inventory in proportion to the orders that filter in, both locally and with California.

Should our books not sell with the California schools, they will unofficially remove us from the list and our obligations for the next five years, according to telephone conversation.

**POSSIBLE ADVANTAGES:** Being put on the list could mean more income for our Book Project, clearing up our publishing debt, and bringing in future revenue for our PVS general and educational funds.

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BID ON INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

RECOMMENDATIONS: I recommend being put on the list, however, I strongly suggest that you read the materials through, to make sure that they are no loopholes in the agreement that Mr. Soehren might have not made clear to Wailani per telephone conversation. Please go over the contract carefully, especially the clause on the 55% royalty, before signing and submitting the bid.

DEADLINE: Per second telephone conversation between Mr. Soehren, Patricia Galeria and Wailani Bell this morning, they have agreed to give us an extension from the deadline of March 16th, (per letter of Feb. 26, 1979) to "as soon as possible", Would you please give it your immediate attention so that the bid may be submitted right away. Mahalo! Wailani brought the telephone conversation to the attention of the Board on the evening of Feb. 8, 1979. No decision was made then as to its adoption.

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

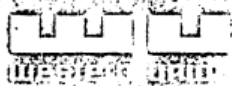
*Cecilia*

Cecilia Kapua Lindo  
EDUCATION COMMITTEE CHAIRWOMAN  
Polynesian Voyaging Society

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cc: C. Lindo  
G. Pi'ianai'a  
M. Among  
A. Guerrero

ENCL: Bid and supplementary information



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SACRAMENTO CA 95814

ATTN DR. KEN GETSCHOW AND PAT GALERIA

THE FOLLOWING LIST FOR ADOPTION IS FORTHCOMING

SUBJECT AREA LITERATURE BOOKS LISTED AS

1) THE VISION OF MO'IKEHA BY NANCY L PERT MOWER

2) A CANOE FOR UNCLE KOLA BY STANLEY KAPEPA

3) THE VOYAGE TO TAHITI BY NANCY L PERT MOWER

4) HOKULE'A BY MARALYN BLACKMAN

5) A RESOURCE CURRICULUM GUIDE ON POLYNESIAN VOYAGING WRITTEN BY  
CECILIA KAPUA LINDO

THREE COPIES OF EACH BOOK WILL BE SUBMITTED  
SINCERELY

WAILANI BELL - POLYNESIAN VOYAGING SOCIETY  
COL 1025 P. RM218 CA 95814 1) MO'IKEHA L 2) 3) 4) HOKULE'A

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Wednesday, March 21, 1979



*From the desk of*

WILLENE WAILANI BELL

Leon!

Attached is the letter sent to Mrs. Hacskaylo on March 12th. As you will note, the PVS will be participating in their program. Different PVS members will be contributing their mana'o.

Moku will be doing the food preservation lectures and presentations along with Marlene and I assisting her.

Are you willing to participate in the program? They would like your expertise on canoe building and sailing.

I want to complete my correspondence with her in helping to coordinate the project. I need to know what members are willing to participate. She thinks highly of your expertise and is anxious to have you work with their teachers. I cannot give her any answer until you reach a decision as to whether you are going to participate or not.

Please follow up on it. I realize you are busy. If you can't do it, then let the office and Mrs. Hacskaylo know just out of courtesy to their request.

Mahalo!

Wednesday, March 21, 1979

A-L-O-H-A!



*From the desk of*

WILLENE WAILANI BELL

COMPLETED

- ( ) 1. Your UIB checks (2) have been sitting here since Monday. It always arrives on a Monday. You may want to make a note of that.
- ( ) 2. There is a letter for Cap't Leon A. P. Sterling from Menlo Park, CA.
- ( ) 3. Anthony wants the receipts for the \$500.00 he gave you. He keeps calling the office for them.
- ( ) 4. Mrs. Hacskaylo, Director of Marine Programs at the Waianae Hawaiian Heritage Cultural Center (696-2134) has called for you. She wants you to aid the teachers in setting up their "marine" curriculum and also to evaluate what they already have done. Call me and let me know what the outcome of your conversation is with her so that I can document it in the Education Committee report. Mahalo!
- ( ) 5. I still am on the roster of the Rental Guide. I paid \$21.00 to join and I haven't made use of the books. They come out every Tuesday and Friday. They can be picked up at the Pan Am Building. If you want to use the Guide, let me know and then you can use mine, since I don't use it and it's only going to waste. You can use it free of charge! One of my girlfriends used it under my name and she found a place that she's satisfied with.

Not Nainoa's responsibility....you initially made commitment with her!

PLEASE FOLLOW UP on Hacskaylo!





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Aloha Dave:

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DATE: Monday, March 26, 1979

TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
Lunch at 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: Cecilia's residence  
(In back of 1626)

PHONE: [REDACTED]

RSVP: PVS Office  
841-3966/734-1016 CODE-A-PHONE

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June 15, 16, 17, 1979

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October 9, 1979

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**EXPLORING**

**ALOHA COUNCIL, Scouting/U.S.A.**  
42 Puiwa Road, Honolulu, Hawaii 96817  
Phone 595-6366

May 8, 1979

Mr. Michael Tongg  
President  
Polynesian Voyaging Society  
1355 Kalihi Street  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96819

Dear Mr. Tongg:

As one of the Exploring representatives for the Aloha Council of the Boy Scouts of America, I want to thank Wailani Bell, the Educational Coordinator for the Polynesian Voyaging Society, for helping us at our recent Ninth Annual National Exploring Surfing Conference.

The film on the Hokulea was just great! It opened the minds and hearts of many of our guests from the mainland and Canada to the greatness of the Hawaiian people.

I appreciate the fact that Wailani took the time to come to Fort Shafter on a rainy night with the film. Our Exploring Director, Wes Heu, was also very appreciative.

If there is any way that the Aloha Council of the Boy Scouts of America can be of help to your organization please let me know.

Aloha,

*Bob St. Sure*

Bob W. St. Sure  
Exploring Representative  
Aloha Council, Scouting/USA

BWS:wl

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TO: Instructors on Basic Course for Hōkūle'a Voyage 1980  
FROM: Jan Dill  
RE: DEVELOPMENT OF CLASS MATERIALS AND TENTATIVE DATES  
FOR CLASSES

Aloha:

Enclosed is a tentative calendar which gives a schedule of the basic courses which will be taken by crew candidates for the 1980 voyage. Please review the dates and times of your particular speciality. If there are changes due to your schedule, please call Wailani or Marlene immediately at [REDACTED]

The starting date for the course has been set for Monday, June 11, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. on the Kamehameha School campus. We will inform you as soon as possible regarding the specific classroom and we ask that you kokua in the preparation of class materials well before the specific time of your class.

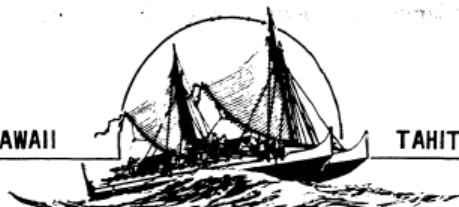
If at all possible I would like to receive the following from each of you by May 28th.

- Detailed outline of your course presentation
- Copies of articles or copies of portions of books which you would like the students to read
- A list of your visual aid needs; maps, charts, etc., for transparencies; slides and movie projectors, etc.

In terms of visual aid materials please identify your needs as soon as possible with Wailani with your request.

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I know all this will add more work to your busy schedule but I think we all realize the need and importance of the planned training program.

I want to thank you for your willingness to get involved and I look forward to the development of this unique educational program and the success of the goals that we have for Hokule'a in 1980.

Please call me if I can answer any questions {235-5424}

Mahalo,

Jan Dill

JD:wwb



# MEMOS

and mana'o from wailani

May 11, 1979

Aloha Jan:

Enclosed are the different materials you asked me to send out. The letter you dictated to me this morning, I changed it a bit in the first sentence after I typed it. There are four FOR words in the first sentence so I took the liberty of changing it. I hope you don't mind. After I typed it out, it looked to crowded, so I redid it on two pages, then decided we should save paper, and so typed it the third time as the way I zeroxed and sent it to your committee members.

I also changed some of the subject titles around with their numbers, so that they would coincide with the calendar, each date and subject being consecutive. As you read through it you will see what I mean.

I have the original on file, so if you need more copies to send out, let me know and I'll zerox whatever you need and have them sent out.

I inserted number 13, Possible Exam, so it would coincide with the calendar, and I wrote it up in the context that it was brought up at the meeting. Not to make it too academic as it might frighten some candidates in signing up for the training.

That's about it. Hope it's o.k. with you.  
Have a nice day!

Mahalo,

Wailani



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TO: PVS Executive Board and Committee Heads

FROM: W. Bell

SUBJ: IMMEDIATE NEED TO CONTINUE POSITION OF EXECUTIVE  
ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY, Marlene Among

Aloha:

I am writing this letter in reference to our positions with ALU LIKE which as you are aware will terminate at the end of this month, Thursday, May 31st...."unless a miracle happens" within the next 6 working days that remain.

I feel Marlene's position as Executive Administrative Secretary should be seriously considered for an extension as long as possible by our 'ohana.

Yes, at this time, it is both impractical and unrealistic operating under a "bleeding budget" to maintain two positions without outside funding, nevertheless, steps and IMMEDIATE ACTION should be taken to somehow continue, even if the PVS has to shuffle monies from one account to another temporarily, to support and sustain Marlene's secretarial position. In order to keep the PVS both EFFECTIVE and VIABLE, this is a serious necessity and at this point should be treated as a TOP PRIORITY.

Although Mar's position is labeled secretarial, in reality she is really the nucleus of the PVS as she administers the operational functions that are necessary for an organization to remain ORGANIZED, INFORMED AND ENERGIZED. Let her position terminate and the progress we have struggled for and gained this past year will lose its momentum UNLESS you give it your immediate attention and devise some means of keeping her on board should ALU LIKE absolutely refuse us funding after the 31st.

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Perhaps, since she is working closely with the Steering Committee, handling their paper work for the Voyage 1980, monies could be borrowed from that account as operational costs for Voyage 1980. It legit!

Perhaps, we can wait on the motion seconded at our last meeting to allot \$2,700.00 for new tee shirts. We still have 96 left....and why have new tee shirts if you don't have your secretary to coordinate the production and marketing of them.

How can we have an effective fund raising drive if you don't have an administrative planner to see that all the details are carefully followed through?

Who's going to keep the correspondence between the PVS board, committee members, and members alive? Who's going to be the hub of communication between the office and the public? Who's going to answer the phones? You? It is nothing more than a mere delusion to hope that volunteers are going to come in to do all of the needed operational functions. Lets face it, its been difficult getting members out there to work at exhibits and all they had to do was sit and man a booth.....they didn't even have to push a typewriter key. We must keep in mind most of our members are active professionals with careers that absorb a great deal of their time and energies and we can't expect them to carry on a full time job operating the PVS office. Paper work and the administration of clerical functions are very time consuming.

Perhaps a special meeting between yourselves can be called after Thursday's final decision by Alu Like, to explore the different possibilities of raising immediate revenues rather than waiting till June 15th, for the next Board Meeting for discussion and than approval. Action needs to be taken now if the office is to remain open come Friday, June 1st.

If the approved motion made at the Board Meeting of April 5th...."if we keep one, we will keep two" still sits with the Board, may I add my feelings to this subject..... First, I am truly appreciative and grateful for the Board's humanistic attitude. I think it is beautiful and the Board's caring and concern for keeping two positions touches me deeply. Mahalo! However, that was on the condition that Alu Like would eventually pick us back up. Now the situation has changed. Our proposal was turned down....no ALU LIKE support. We now have to become pragmatic....There is definitely an abundance of heart, but unfortunately a lack of money! Keeping this in mind, and treating the subject realistically, I want to strongly suggest that rather than lose two positions, you keep one and that one should be Marlene. Let me assure you that I feel very comfortable about Marlene staying on board and my position terminating, and I want you to feel the same. I will still help out on a voluntary basis when I can.

I have worked with Marlene for one year and I have witnessed her talents and skills and I could go on ad infinitum on all the reasons why you should knock yourselves out to keep her working full time. It would be an unfortunate lost to the PVS not to take immediate steps to find ways to generate monies, THIS WEEK AND NEXT, so that our 'ohana can keep their PVS office in operation.

'Owau me ka 'oiā'i'o,  
(I am, sincerely)

*Wailani*

Wailani Bell  
EDUCATION COORDINATOR



"Where I live there are rainbows  
with life in the laughter of the morning and starry nights,  
Where I live there are rainbows  
with flowers full of colors and birds filled with song.  
I can smile when it's raining and touch the warmth of  
the sun,  
I hear children laughing in this place that  
I love."

HAWAIIAN LULLABY



Hawaiian time that's well managed may...  
.....give more day for you to play!

Created for the POLYNESIAN VOYAGING OHANA by Willene Wailani Bell.

SUMMER 1978

DEDICATED to HERB KANE, whos artistic genius gave birth to our esteemed seaworthy double-hulled canoe, HŌKŪLE'A.

CECILIA KAPUA LINDO, whos well-directed energy developed NA HANA HUAKA'I (THE VOYAGING WORKS), an activity resource book on Polynesian voyaging which is much needed for educators in the arena of Hawaiian Studies.

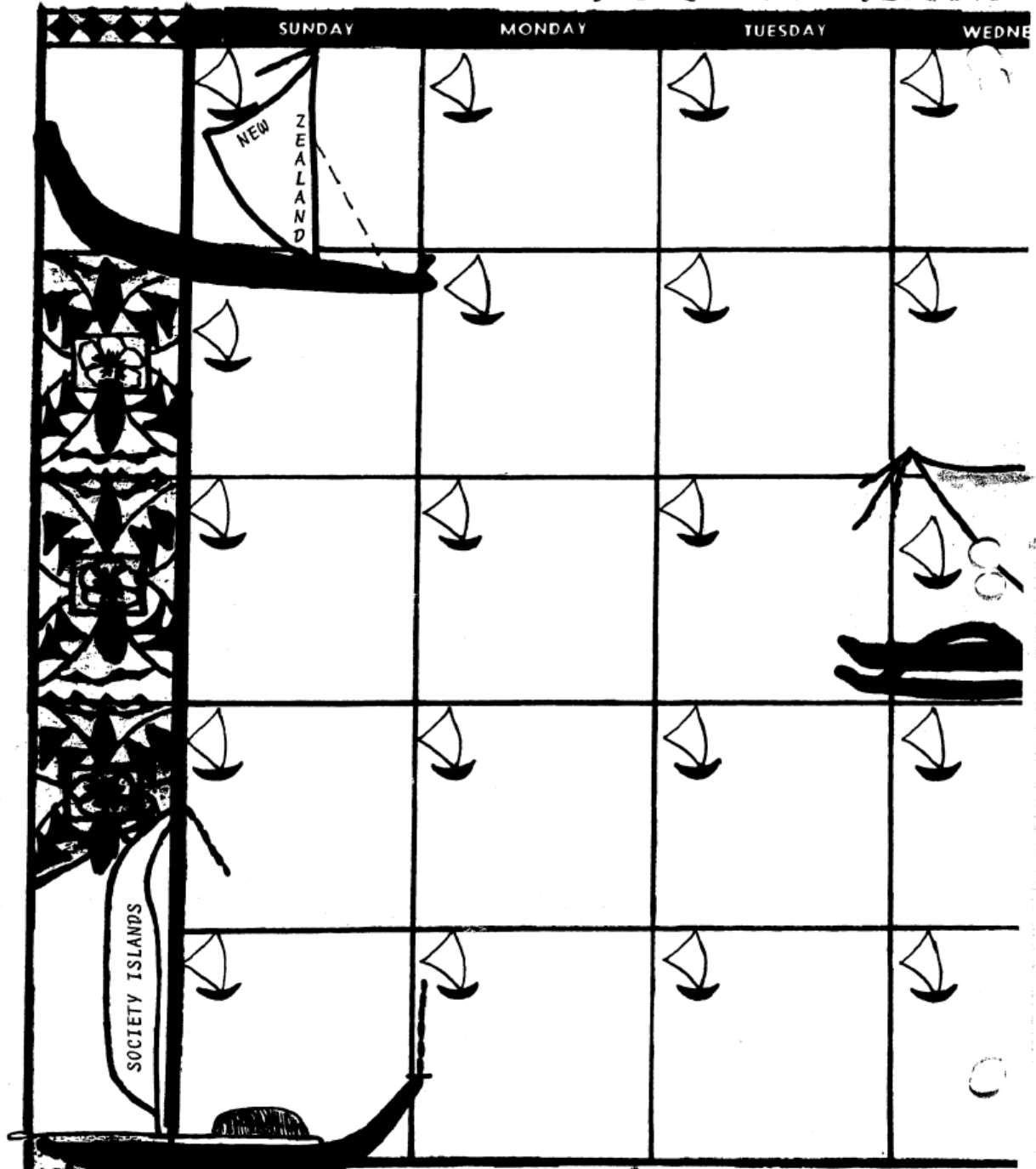
LEON PAOA STERLING, who dedicates his time to the refurbishing of HŌKŪLE'A, so she may sail once more.

WILL KYSELKA and NAINOA THOMPSON, who both spend long hours charting the stars for future voyages.

THEY ARE MAGNIFICENT EXAMPLES OF TIME WELL MANAGED!

and to THE POLYNESIAN VOYAGING OHANA, whos aloha keeps alive our society's existence..... MAHALO!

# FOR THE MONTH



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