

MAKALEI CANOE CLUB – NA ‘OPIO RACING SEASON  
Sponsored by Kailua Canoe Club

Makalei accepts youth paddlers in Grades 3 through 12. Based on canoe availability, we may need to limit the number of paddlers accepted to the Makalei program, so be sure to register early.

On line registration will begin Monday, October 9, 2023. Practices will be Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30-5:15pm starting Thursday, November 2, 2023 at the Kailua Canoe Club paddling site. Races take place on Saturdays in December, January and February. Please be sure your youth paddler can make the commitment to this schedule prior to registering. Dues for Makalei are \$150 and covers jerseys, race fees, canoe maintenance and paddler registration fees.

There will be rental paddles available during the Makalei season at no charge for paddlers who do not own paddles. Paddlers will reimburse Makalei \$150 for lost paddles.

Dress code to practice: No revealing tops or bottoms, no wearing jewelry, required to wear water shoes or slippers, some kind of foot protection.

Bring your own water bottle and towel. No sharing.

Must know how to swim and pass the swim/tread water test.

Everyone helps with the canoes. If you must leave practice early, tell the coach BEFORE practice start.

No practice if you have an open wound or skin is not intact. Required to call your parent to pick you up as you will not be allowed to stay unless we have an adult monitor on the beach.