

# 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Paopao 9-Man Outrigger Race

Saturday, August 19, 2006  
Oceanside, California

Aloha SCORA Paddlers--

Paopao Outrigger Canoe Association invites you to join us for our 8<sup>th</sup> season of hosting the Oceanside 9-man race. Please review this race information to make your plans.

We're looking forward to a day that's **safe** and **fun** for everyone, Hope to see you then!

## schedule:

6:00 am	Unload and rig canoes – launch escort boats
6:45 am	Team registration
7:45 am	Registration closes
7:50 am	Meeting for all steersmen and pule
8:00 am	Launch canoes and move towards the start line
8:30 am	Start of the women's race
11:00 am to 3:00 pm	Lunch by L&L Hawaiian BBQ (\$6 a plate)
12:00 pm	Launch canoes and move towards the start line
12:30 pm	Start of the men's race
3:30 pm	Awards ceremony/raffle

## directions (see map)

From Interstate 5, take the Harbor Drive exit west. Harbor Drive will take you directly to the entrance of the Harbor.

## parking (see map)

Free parking is available a short distance away from the race site. To reach free parking, take the first left after entering Harbor Drive (under the railroad bridge, across from Joe's Crab Shack). Paopao provides shuttle service to and from the parking lot.

## canoe and boat trailers (see map)

Canoe trailer parking is \$5.00 and is located at the race site. Spots for trailer parking will be reserved by Paopao members until 6:30 am. (After 6:30, spots are released to the public.) **Please have your canoe trailers at the Harbor before 6:30 am.**

Canoes are to be rigged on the beach and launched from the boat ramp. The ramps may be up to 100 yards away from your trailers. **Please bring your carts.**

Because the Oceanside boat ramp can be very busy on a summer morning, we ask that canoes get rigged early and placed on the water as soon as possible to facilitate the start of the races. You will be able to catch up with your escort boat and set your starting crew in the mouth of the harbor.

NO beach launching allowed.

## registration (see map)

Race registration is located on the beach across from the boat launch ramp (see map).

## escort boats

Escort boats will only be assigned by reservation. The deadline for reservations is **Sunday, August 6th**. Boat fees are \$270.00 per boat for the entire day. Escort boat fees should be paid to Paopao Outrigger Canoe Association at registration. Paopao will provide escort boat captains with their compensation, a delicious lunch, a shirt, and some snacks.

*NOTE:* Please treat your escort boat drivers well. They are donating their time to help make this outrigger canoe event a success.

## important details

- NO glass, alcohol, or dogs on the beach.
- The beach has picnic tables, barbecue grills, gazebos, restrooms, showers, and phones.
- If you bring your own barbecue, make sure it's elevated off the ground and remove the coals or dispose of them in the hot-coal container at Harbor Lot 12 on Harbor Beach, or in a fire ring.
- Overnight camping is allowed in the Harbor Beach area in Lot 12.
- Observe all SCORA safety regulations.

## what else?

Available for purchase:

- A cool race T-shirt, a delicious lunch, and tickets for great raffle prizes
- Handmade leis (proceeds benefit Paopao juniors—email [paopao.juniors@gmail.com](mailto:paopao.juniors@gmail.com) to preorder)
- Gifts for your escort boat captain

*And don't forget the after-party at Rockin' Baja Lobster at the harbor!*

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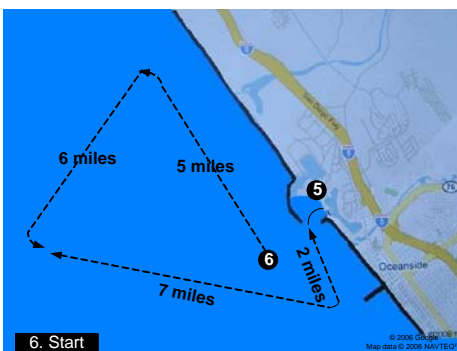


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race course map



race location map

