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Newsletter

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The next outing is **CHOP SUEY MEET Sunday July 14**th at Haleiwa. Traditionally, 2 divers, Uhu and Uku, are paired. The intent is to share knowledge and techniques by combining divers taking into account their experience and abilities. It is hoped that the "OLD – or more experienced" will be providing some benefit to the "NEW – or less experienced" ---however this doesn't always prove correct, and often the 'Old' learns from the 'New', and heck-- everyone benefits. Meet us at the usual spot at Haleiwa Park under the last Big Tree (Waimea end of the Park) starting at 7:30 AM for registration, briefing, pairing of partners and hopefully starting the dive shortly after 8 AM.. We're anticipating favorable diving weather for the area. This is a Swim from Shore open to all meet and you can go anywhere but MUST return and check in by 12 NOON. Safety is everyone's concern and it is the divers responsibility to be accountable and check in with AHK before the deadline. A telephone number will be provided at the briefing.

Here are the general rules, but pay attention for details at the briefing!

FISH: Each Diver may spear only 1 (one) each fish from the list below, and must catch a minimum of 2 (two) or more fish.

12" minimum: Palani, Pualu, Aawa,, Kumu (all goats) Mu, Enenui,. Roi, Toau

13" minimum: All UHUs:

15 "minimum: Horn Kala 17"minimum: Opelu Kala, Awa, Awa awa, Uku, all jacks and blue water species.

Penalties: If more than 1 fish of same species is caught by a diver, the larger fish will be disqualified.

Scoring: 1 point per fish, 1 point per pound, not to exceed 21 points per fish.

Awards: Closest score both team members. 1^{st,}, 2nd, 3rd, (minimum 2 fish each diver – or 4 or more for the team. .no sleepers)

Individual total points for UHU and UKU's 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

Individual categories (1st, 2nd, 3rd) shall be total points closest to, but not exceeding target weight drawn for each place, to be done before Weigh in

Entry Fee: \$20 per diver.

Terrence Takahata, the spokesman and meet chair, will go through and answer any questions during the briefing.

Come and join the fun, this is an 'open' meet, includes awards, kau kau, food cooked at the site, (bring your own drinks and beach chairs or something to sit on.),

Call by **July 8th** and leave a message to Dennis (677-9010) or Terrence (836-5009) even if you are 'kinda' interested in participating and the approximate number of persons that may come. We need this estimate for planning the meals, etc.. Thank You!

Frank