

PRESS RELEASE

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The Honolulu Quarterback Club, celebrating 65 Years, is pleased to announce the

following Guest Speakers for their luncheon, Monday, January 10th., at the MGR:

- **Nani Vercruyssen – World Champion Gymnast**
- **Kyle Galdeira – Sports Writer -Nani Vercruyssen – World Champion Gymnast – USA-Gymnastics Sports**

Woman of the Year for 2010 – Nani, an 18 year old freshman at University of Hawai'i /KC, is the top ranked US senior elite female US National Champion at all the top age divisions and has ability levels that won her many international championships including the Age Group Championships 3 times. She is the only gymnast in the history of gymnastics to achieve this accomplishment. Nani has won championships with her performance of 10 bounces, each about 20 feet in the air, with 22 flips and 7 twists. Nani's presentation at the HQC will feature pictures of her past events and some of her routines. Her coaches are her father, Dr. Max Vercruyssen and mother, Dr. Donna Mah at the Hawai'i Academy in Kalihi. Nani will entertain questions about her career, experiences and her world travels.

Lyle Galderia – Sports Writer – Free Lance Writer for the Star-Advertiser - Writer for the Public Information/ Communications Office – University of Hawai'i – Lyle, comes from the famous Galderia Family. He is the grandson of the late Earl Galderia, famed NCAA football referee and former President of the Honolulu Quarterback Club and son of Kyle Galderia television broadcaster. Lyle has been free lance writer for the Star-Bulletin now the Star-Advertiser since 2003, and has reported stories for the HHSAA in addition to many articles for multiple sports news outlets including MLB.com and Yahoo Sports. He also was the Sports Information Director for the former Hawai'i Winter Baseball League. Lyle is currently involved in the restaurant business and works for the Public Information/Communications Office at the University of Hawai'i. He will talk about memorable interviews and his favorite stories that he authored at the HQC Luncheon. Lyle will be open for questions.

The Maple Garden Restaurant is located at 909 Isenberg (near the corner of King and Isenberg directly across from the Old Stadium Park) and there is free parking next to the Restaurant or street parking is available. The entrance to the meeting room is located at the rear of the Maple Garden building through the parking lot. Lunch is at 11:30 am and the program begins at 12 noon. The luncheon cost is \$15.00 per person for members and guests which includes tax and gratuities.

THE GENERAL PUBLIC IS INVITED!

Come to our meeting & celebrate these speakers!

There is very limited parking next to the Maple Garden Restaurant but there is plenty of street Parking.