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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 31st., at the MGR.:

- Chancellor Virginia Hinshaw - CEO - University of Hawai'i - Manoa

- Athletic Director Ed Paola & Head Football Coach Darnell Arceneaux - Saint Louis School

- Carson Peapealalo – Executive Director & Commissioner - Hawai'i - Professional Football League

Virginia Hinshaw – PhD – Chancellor – University of Hawai'i at Manoa – If you attend any UH Sports Event, you will notice a woman in a cowboy hat, jumping around and yelling, cheering and screaming that's Chancellor Hinshaw – she is a “UH Sports Groupie”. Chancellor Hinshaw serves as the chief executive officer responsible for providing both administrative and academic leadership of the University of Hawai'i System. The Chancellor is a renowned scientist in microbiology specializing in understanding the influenza virus and new approaches to vaccines. She earned a bachelor's degree in laboratory technology and a master's degree in microbiology along with a doctoral degree in microbiology. Beside her duties as Chancellor, she is a Professor at the College of Natural Sciences and John A. Burns School of Medicine. We welcome Chancellor Hinshaw on Monday at the HQC.

Ed Paola, Athletic Director & Darnell Arceneaux Head Football Coach – Saint Louis School – Ed was appointed the new AD at Saint Louis last April with the responsibility for all athletic programs for the school. Ed had been a part of the school for the last 5 years serving in various positions from the science department chair, science teacher, division advisor to the class of 2010 and Summer School Director. Previously, Ed had been an Athletic Director in Louisiana and served as an Army Officer, completing the U.S. Army Ranger, School, U.S. Army Airborne School, U.S. Army Air Assault School and attended Infantry Officers Basic & Advanced Courses. According to School Officials, Ed is the perfect fit for Saint Louis. Darnell, returns to his alma mater Saint Louis as the Head Football Coach after serving as Head Football Coach at Mililani for the last four years. Good thing, Saint Louis hired Darnell. He coached the “Crusaders” - winning the 2010

HHSAA Division I Football Championship. Darnell played professionally for the CFL-Montreal, the Arena Football Tennessee Thunder Cats and the AFL 2 Hawaiian Islanders. During his collegiate career, he played for the University of Utah where he was an outstanding QB and during his high school playing days, played for Saint Louis where he was named Hawaii Male Athlete of the Year by the HQC in 1995. During his high school years at Saint Louis, he led his school to 3 state prep bowl championships and 2 ILH basketball championships.

Carson Peapealalo – Executive Director & Commissioner – Hawaii Professional Football League – The mission of this new football league is to develop Hawai'i's disadvantaged athletes, through academic and technical skill-building and facilitating contacts with the NFL. Carson is home-grown from the Kahana Valley and played at Kahuku during his high school days and went on to BYU, then after 3 years came back home with his running back skills and played for the University of Hawai'i Football Warriors under Coach Bob Wagner. He went on for a try-out with the Dallas Cowboys but a lingering injury prevented him from a career in the NFL. Being a "NCO" in the U.S. Air Force and Hawai'i National Air Guard, Carson has over 20 years experience managing people, processes and parts. Carson will talk about the formation of the new professional football league and the teams and players. He will also talk about the first charity fundraiser for the league scheduled for this upcoming Saturday.

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.