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The Honolulu Quarterback Club, celebrating 62 Years, is pleased to announce the following Guest Speakers for their weekly luncheon, Monday, February 2nd, at the Pagoda Hotel, International Ballroom beginning at 11:30 AM with a program starting at 12 Noon:

Mike Wilton - Head Coach - Men's Volleyball - University of Hawaii 2009 is the 50th year of men's volleyball at the University. Coach Mike has been coaching the "Warriors" team for the last 16 seasons and has compiled a record of 296 wins. He is the most successful all-time coach of the men's volleyball program and two-time national coach of the year. Coach Mike has coached the "Warriors" to 5 Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Pacific Division titles, 6 top 5 national finishes and coached 14 All-Americans. The "Warriors" are currently in a slump and hopefully their turn-around will come in the next few weeks. Who are his stars? Which members of the team will go on to play professional volleyball after finishing their collegiate career at UH? What about the current talk of Stanford cancelling volleyball? Is this a national trend due to low game attendance? You'll get all the answers on Monday at the Honolulu Quarterback Luncheon at the Pagoda.

Mike Trapasso - Head Coach - Men's Baseball - University of Hawaii Coach Trap is entering his 5th year as head coach of the Men's Baseball program. "Trap" has guided the team to the level of success they had enjoyed during their "glory days" of the 1980's and 90's. The season opens February 20th playing a 4 game series with last season's NCAA Super Regional participant, UC Irvine, here at Les Murakami Baseball Stadium. This year, in the pitching department, 7 of last year's 9 starters will be returning. All WAC Pitcher, Jared Alexander returns after his last season injury. The big question is how to replace All WAC Players, Brandon Haislet & "Gold Glove" Jon Hee. Coach "Trap" has plenty of options from Seniors Ryan Morford & Shane Hoey for second & freshman Kolten Wong who can play a number of positions. This year the price of admission has been reduced along with prices in the food concession stand and all the old multicolored seats in the stadium have been replaced with new "green" colored seats. Here the latest baseball team report from Coach "Trap" on Monday at the Honolulu Quarterback Club Luncheon and Coach invite questions for the audience.