

HONOLULU QUARTERBACK CLUB

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The Honolulu Quarterback Club, celebrating 71 years, is pleased to announce the following Guest Speakers for their luncheon, Monday, February 27th at the Maple Garden Restaurant, 909 Isenberg St., Honolulu, HI 96826:

+ **Anthony Davis - Inductee UH athletics Circle of Honor - Gold Medal Winner - Senior National Games**
+ **Sam Lee - President - Hawai'i Athletic Trainers' Association - Athletic Trainer - Hawai'i Baptist Academy**

Anthony Davis - Inductee UH athletics Circle of Honor - Gold Medal Winner - National Senior Games -

Nicknamed "Bones," Anthony "Tony" Davis set the program's single-game scoring record with 45 point against Los Angeles State College on Feb. 6, 1959 in the Rainbows' first 100-point game, a 116-107 victory. As Dr. Al Saake's first African-American scholarship player, he led the Rainbows in scoring in his first season (540 points) and was second during an injury-plagued senior season (385) when he served as team captain. At 6-foot, 10 inches, he played key roles in wins over USC, UC Santa Barbara, Oregon State and Santa Clara as the program moved towards an all-intercollegiate schedule. He was the program's first NBA draftee, selected by the New York Knicks in the ninth round of the 1960 draft. A native of Illinois, Davis was a high school All-American before finding his way to Manoa. After graduating from UH in 1960, he spent a few years playing for the Harlem Clowns and the Harlem Travelers before briefly working in Hollywood, earning a part in the film "Watusi." He played two years of professional basketball in France and Luxembourg before settling in San Francisco, where he remains active in basketball, having won 25 gold medals and a bronze in the Senior National Games.

Sam Lee - President - Hawai'i Athletic Trainers' Association - Athletic Trainer - Hawai'i Baptist Academy -

Sam serves as one of two full-time athletic trainers at Hawai'i Baptist Academy (HBA) in Honolulu. He is now in his seventh year there. He helps with the prevention, treatment & care, and rehabilitation of the student-athletes at HBA. Prior to this, he served 15 years as a full-time athletic trainer in the State of Hawai'i Department of Education, two years at Waialua High & Intermediate School in Waialua and 13 years at Castle H.S. in Kaneohe. Sam also currently serves on a volunteer basis as the President of the Hawaii Athletic Trainers' Association (he is in the third year of a total term of four years serving in this capacity). He previously served four years as a volunteer state district representative for the Hawai'i Athletic Trainers' Association whereby he represented Hawai'i athletic trainers to a district that included athletic trainers in California, Nevada, Guam, American Samoa, as well as Hawai'i. Before that, he served six years as the volunteer coordinator of the student workshop, which promotes the profession of athletic training to high school students. He finds great joy in enhancing the quality of health care provided by athletic trainers and advancing the athletic training profession. He loves working and serving as an athletic trainer in Hawai'i.

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 \$16.00 per person for members and guests which include tax and gratuities. The food is fabulous!

THE GENERAL PUBLIC IS INVITED

Come to our meeting & celebrate this speaker!

There is parking next to the Maple Garden Restaurant and plenty of street parking.

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