

HONOLULU QUARTERBACK CLUB

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The Honolulu Quarterback Club, celebrating 70 years, is pleased to announce the following Guest Speaker for their luncheon, Monday, June 13th at the Maple Garden Restaurant, 909 Isenberg St., Honolulu, HI 96826:

+ **John M. (Chip) Davey - Sports Writer - Radio Personality – Publisher**

+ **Harold Tanaka - Athletic Director - Farrington High School**

John M. (Chip) Davey - Sports Writer - Radio Personality - Publisher – “Forgotten but not gone” is the way Chip Davey describes himself. He is also contemplating an ‘oldies’ TV-Radio-Print-Internet show called “Honoring Our Sports Kupuna— Present and Past.” Chip came to Hawaii in August 1968 to teach at Damien Memorial High School. While there he worked part time at the Honolulu Star-Bulletin, then moved to the Honolulu Advertiser, writing sports. After that it was on to the community newspapers: The Sun Press and, eventually, to both early Oceanic TV and radio. The radio might be where you know his name (or have you forgotten?). KORL 65, KKUA 69, KGU 76, K-108, KHVH 990. During the KORL years – late 70’s— mid 80’s Chip published his own sports magazine, Hawaii Sports Kuleana, a football annual, a basketball annual, and later baseball and water. Two of the early writers on that publication, while still in high school at the time, are present-day stars in the sports pages of the Star-Advertiser. Possibly they don’t want to admit that? During this time Chip also wrote columns – three separate times – for Midweek. In the 2000’s, he wrote stories for the Advertiser ‘supplements’ inserts that went into the Windward, Downtown, Kalihi, and Central editions, and hosted and produced a sports show on Public Access (not PBS). Today, he’s semi-retired and looking for work. He wants to stress that he’s a writer first; he’s interested in the story, not necessarily sports.

Harold Tanaka - Athletic Director - Farrington High School - Harold has been at Farrington High School for over 20 years and has been Athletic Director since 2001. He previously served as a teacher and Head Football Coach at the school. He also was a JV and Head Football Coach at Kaimuki High School. The late Skipka Diaz, Agenhart Ellis as well as Dick Kitamura and many other legends of the game in Hawai'i mentored him. Outside of being the AD at Farrington, Harold is an avid golfer and has won and lost his share of “greenies.” He has devoted many long hours serving the Kalihi community and surrounding areas. He will talk about his latest project, a new football field on the Farrington Campus. Harold is working with the State and Harris Nakamoto to build this new facility.

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 includes 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.