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GOURMET EVENTS HAWAII NAMES MADELEINE NOA AS GENERAL MANAGER

Noa brings over 20 years of sales and senior management experience to the company.

HONOLULU, HI – (Wednesday, April 14, 2021) Gourmet Events Hawaii, the state’s premier event planning company, has named Madeleine Noa as its General Manager effective immediately. Noa’s appointment will play a critical role in supporting the company’s continual growth strategy as she provides guidance and leadership to Gourmet Events Hawaii and Kau Kau Box, the company’s popular weekly meal box service.

“We’re pleased to announce the appointment of Madeleine Noa as the General Manager of Gourmet Events Hawaii,” said Kat Lin-Hurtubise, founder and CEO of Gourmet Events Hawaii. “Madeleine is a talented, hardworking leader in the local community, and we’re confident she will bring an unparalleled level of skill and business insight into her general manager role. We feel great about entrusting the care of our valued loyal clients and new clients to Madeleine.”

Noa most recently served as senior sales manager of Roberts Hawaii, the state’s largest employee-owned tour and transportation company, where she was promoted from account representative to sales manager, and then to senior sales manager, where she oversaw both the concierge sales desks and all reservations agents.

Born and raised in Honolulu, Noa brings over 20 years of sales and management experience to Gourmet Events Hawaii - the last 10 in senior roles. She served on the 2020 Executive Women International’s Board of Directors, and is a recipient of the 2020 Pacific Edge Magazine Women in Business Awards. Noa also supports a variety of local non profit organizations, including Camp Agape, Hawaii Symphony Orchestra, and Pay It Forward.

“I am truly excited to be working closely with the industry, again, and am delighted to have been granted this opportunity to become General Manager,” said Noa. “I will

be working hard to expand the company's footprint across the state and continue the level of excellence and service Gourmet Events Hawaii is known for."

For more information, please call us at (808) 735-7788 or visit www.gourmeteventshawaii.com.

ABOUT GOURMET EVENTS HAWAII

At Gourmet Events Hawaii, our mission is to create memorable and successful events that exceed our clients' expectations, nurture relationships and delight the senses - one client, one event, one experience at a time. Incorporating each client's unique vision, we create sumptuous occasions, memorable well beyond the last morsel of dessert or sip of fine wine.

Gourmet Events Hawaii is comprised of a team of senior staff that together brings over 70 years of event management and catering experience to every event they produce. The team unites experts in every aspect of event management, from catering and menu planning, to staffing, facilities and logistics, vendor management, and marketing and communications. The unified vision of the entire Gourmet Events Hawaii team is to produce exceptional events with style and taste that go beyond expectations. For more information, please visit www.gourmeteventshawaii.com

ABOUT KAU KAU BOX

Kau Kau Box is the brainchild of Gourmet Events Hawaii, originally created to serve the people of Hawaii during the Covid pandemic with delicious, healthy, chef-prepared meals made with fresh local ingredients at an affordable price. Our goal was to help families stay safe, support local farms and other local businesses, keep hospitality professionals working, and help the local community eat healthy with convenient weekly meal boxes. One year later, and Kau Kau Box has become a way of life for many people, and growing in popularity. Kau Kau Box is proud to collaborate with the talented Chef Thomas Naylor, founder of Ke Nui Kitchen, to produce our weekly boxes. For more information, please visit www.kaukauboxnow.com.

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