

OLYMPIC GOLD

YN3 Kelsey Nakanelua, a Sailor with Naval Reserve Center Honolulu, exercised with his fellow Reservists during drill weekend, one day before flying to Greece to participate in the Olympics. Nakanelua, representing American Samoa, a territory of the U.S. This is his second Olympic appearance. He also competed in the 2000 Sydney Olympics. Nakanelua, a 38-year-old single father, holds the State of Hawaii's record in the 100-meter at 10.59 seconds. He is also a 5-time Hawaii's Fastest Man, from 1995-1998 and again in 2001. He joined the Naval Reserve in December, 2003, "to contribute something and make a difference, especially after 9/11," he said. Photos by PH3 Sara Coates.

