

SAFRA STTA TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023
9th to 19th November 2023
SAFRA Toa Payoh, Multipurpose Hall

RULES & REGULATIONS (R&R)

1. PERIOD AND VENUE OF TOURNAMENT

1.1. Date/Time

The SAFRA STTA Table Tennis Championships 2023 will be held from 9th November 2023 to 19th November 2023, 9am till 10pm (Subject to changes).

1.2. Venue

The venue of this Championships shall be at SAFRA Toa Payoh, 293 Lorong 6 Toa Payoh, Singapore 319387, Multi-Purpose Hall, Level 2.

2. ELIGIBILITY OF PARTICIPANTS

2.1. Only Singapore Citizens are eligible to participate in the Age-Group teams, Open Women's Team and Open Men's Team.

2.2 The Veteran Mixed Team category may consist of players of the appropriate ages and each team is allowed to have only one non-Singapore Citizen to represent. This event is opened to Singapore Citizens, Permanent Residents and non-Singapore Citizens residing in Singapore with valid passes (Student Pass, Long Term Pass, Dependent's Pass, Work Permit, S Pass or Employment Pass) only.

2.3 Open Men's Team and Open Women's Team are opened to all ages.

3. REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES

3.1. The Open Men's Team, Open Women's Team and Age-Group Team shall consist of a minimum of 3 players and a maximum of 4 players. Each team may consist of a maximum of **ONE** National Team Player and/or **ONE** Intermediate Squad Player or **TWO** Intermediate Squad Players. The Veteran Mixed Team shall consist of a minimum of 7 players and a maximum of 10 players.

<u>Line up 1</u>	<u>Line up 2</u>	<u>Line up 3</u>
National Team player	Intermediate Squad	Others
Intermediate Squad	Intermediate Squad	Others
Others	Others	Others
Others	Others	Others

Organized By



Hosted By



3.2. Total number of entries for Age-Group Team is limited to 20 teams per category. Total number of entries for Veteran Mixed Team, Open Women's Team and Open Men's Team categories will be limited to 32 teams per category. All entries are on a first-come-first-serve basis.

3.3. All registration can be made at all SAFRA Clubs. The closing date for registration is **Friday, 15th October 2023, 8.30pm.**

3.4. Additions to the team Registration name list are allowed before **23rd October 2023 (Monday), 12pm.** The added player(s) must not have any records of registration in any teams registered for the competition.

4. TOURNAMENT SYSTEM & RULES

4.1. All matches for the Team categories shall be played to the best-of-5 games each, based on the following format:

Age-Group Team, Open Women's Team & Open Men's Team

A	X	Singles
B	Y	Singles
A or B & C	X or Y & Z	Doubles
A or B	Z	Singles
C	X or Y	Singles

Each team has to win 3 points to be declared the winner of the match.

Veteran Mixed Team

Men's Singles 50 & above/ Women's Singles 35 & above	Singles
Men's Doubles 110 & above (1 player must be 60 years and above)	Doubles
Men's Singles 40 & above / Women's Singles 35 & above	Singles
Mixed Doubles 90 & above (Female player must be 35 years and above)	Doubles
Men's Singles 60 & above/ Women's Singles 35 & above	Singles

4.2. This Championships shall be run in accordance with the latest rules and regulations of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF). Rules and regulations of the ITTF can be downloaded from www.ittf.com.

4.3. Only ITTF approved racket coverings are allowed to be used throughout the tournament.

4.4. The ITTF approved 3-star white balls shall be used during this tournament.

Organized By



Hosted By



4.5. No white apparels (shirt and shorts) are allowed. All players taking part in the team categories shall be dressed uniformly, with the possible exception of socks, shoes and number, size, colour and design of advertisements on clothing. Players who fail to conform shall be disqualified.

4.6. Player shall concede a walkover, if the player is not on court at the scheduled time after the match has been announced on court. There shall not be any grace period.

4.7. Match officials shall be provided for matches at the discretion of the Organising Committee.

4.8. Spectators are allowed inside the competition hall.

4.9. An open draw for all categories will be conducted on **23rd October 2023 at 8.00pm** at SAFRA Toa Payoh. **Final venue to be confirmed and the team managers shall be informed nearer to the draw date.** All are welcome to witness the draw.

4.10. Fixtures of the tournament will be out on **24th October 2023** via SAFRA Webpage.

5. PRIZES & INCENTIVES

5.1. Prizes breakdown shall be as follows:

Category	Registration Fees*	1 st	2 nd	Joint 3 rd
Open Men's Team	\$150 (Non SAFRA Member) \$120 (SAFRA Member)	\$1,000	\$500	\$250 each
Open Women's Team	\$120 (Non SAFRA Member) \$100 (SAFRA Member)	\$800	\$400	\$200 each
Veteran Mixed Team	\$120 (Non SAFRA Member) \$100 (SAFRA Member)	\$800	\$400	\$200 each
U15 Boys' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each
U12 Boys' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each
U10 Boys' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each
U15 Girls' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each
U12 Girls' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each
U10 Girls' Team	\$100 (Non SAFRA Member) \$80 (SAFRA Member)	\$600	\$300	\$150 each

Organized By



Hosted By



**To enjoy the discounted registration fees, the team must consist of at least one SAFRA Member (player/captain/team manager/parent of youth player). The SAFRA member must be present at the SAFRA customer service counter for verification purpose. Registration by proxy is not allowed should the team wish to enjoy discounted rates.*

5.2. The Prize Presentation Ceremony shall be held at SAFRA Toa Payoh, Multi-purpose Hall Level 2 on 19th November 2023 immediately after the last match. Trophies/medals will be awarded to top 4 winners of all categories, subject to changes at the discretion of the Organising Committee. All prize winners are expected to attend the Prize Giving Ceremony.

6. SUPPLEMENTARY RULES

6.1. The Organising Committee has the absolute rights to interpret or amend the rules and regulations of the tournament at any time. Any changes will be posted at least 24 hours before the re-scheduled match. Any other rules and regulations that are not covered by the Rules and Regulations will be decided by the Organising Committee, whose decision shall be FINAL.

6.2. In the event of any dispute arising over any player, the match shall be played under the protest and the Organising Committee shall determine the matter on receipt of the protest.

6.3. While reasonable precautions are taken, SAFRA, and its agents will not be responsible or in any way liable for any death, disability, personal injury, loss of property or any loss howsoever arising from any cause whatsoever at any time during the course of this event.

6.4. For more information, please email Evon at tevon@safra.sg.



Organized By



Hosted By

