

STTA Business League 2017

Rules and Regulations

TOURNAMENT DATE

- 1) 5 November 2017 (Sunday)*

**The qualifying round of tournament maybe played on 4 November 2017 (Saturday) should there be overwhelming response.*

TOURNAMENT TIME

- 2) Reporting time/ Registration : 12.30pm
Competition time : 1.00pm to 6.00pm

TOURNAMENT VENUE

- 3) Lee Kong Chian Toa Payoh Table Tennis Training Hall, Singapore Table Tennis Association (STTA) 297C Lorong 6 Toa Payoh, Singapore 319389

REGISTRATION FEES / PRIZES

- 4) The events, registration fees and prizes are as follows:

S/N	Event	Registration Fee (Inclusive of GST)	Prizes			
			1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1	Team Challenge	\$3,000.00 per team subsequent team \$2,000.00 per team	1 Trophy & 7 Medals + Exclusive prizes	1 Trophy & 7 Medals + Exclusive prizes	1 Trophy & 7 Medals + Exclusive prizes	1 Trophy & 7 Medals + Exclusive prizes

REGISTRATION

- 5) Registration forms are available at the STTA Reception Counter from 9:00am to 5:00pm on Monday to Friday.
- 6) Registration form(s), together with cheque payable to "Singapore Table Tennis Association" must be submitted to STTA General Office during the above stated hours.
- 7) Registration will be based on a first come first serve basis. In the event of entries being oversubscribed (more than 8 entries), the STTA reserves the right to reject any entries.
- 8) Registration by telephone or fax will NOT be accepted.
- 9) Late, unclear and incomplete forms will NOT be accepted.
- 10) No refund of registration fees will be entertained.
- 11) The closing date for registration is **13 October 2017 (Friday)**.
- 12) Each organization can register a maximum of 2 teams.
- 13) Any event with less than FOUR (4) entries will be scrapped and the registration fees will be refunded. However, STTA reserve the right to organize the event if there is a short fall of entries.

ELIGIBILITY OF PLAYERS

Team Events

- 14) This tournament is open to players of all nationality. However, each player **MUST** be an employee of the company or member of organization (the registered team) at the point of competition.
- 15) Teams are encouraged to wear team jersey for the event.

TOURNAMENT SYSTEM

Team Events

- 16) A team shall consist of a minimum of 5 players and maximum of 7 players of the following combination.
- 4 male & 1 female players or 3 male & 2 female players or 2 male & 3 female players.

- 17) The team match system consisting of the below FOUR matches:
 - 1 x Men's Singles
 - 1 x Women's Singles
 - 1 x Open Doubles (could be men's doubles, women's doubles or mixed doubles)
 - 1 x Men's Singles
- 18) In the stage of round robin, all four matches shall be played. Should there be a single knock out stage, the match will be stopped when a winning team is known.
- 19) No repetitive player is allowed.
- 20) If there is a tie (2-2) for both teams, the winner team is then determined by the game scores follow by game points.
- 21) Substitution(s) of team line-up is allowed until before the commencement of the 1st match.
- 22) Team events with 6 or more teams will be divided into groups and shall play on group round robin system. The top two teams will advance to the second stage. If the entries are 5 and below, matches will be played in a Single group round robin system to determine the positions.
- 23) All matches shall be played to the best-of-5-games of 11 points each.
- 24) No walkover and postponement of matches is allowed at any stage of the competition.

GENERAL

- 25) The tournament shall be run in accordance with the latest rules and regulations of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF). Rules and regulations can be downloaded from www.ittf.com.
- 26) The ITTF approved 3-Star 40+ white balls shall be used during the tournament.
- 27) No **white apparels** (shirt and shorts) are allowed.
- 28) Any other rules that are not covered by the Rules and Regulations will be decided by the Organizing Committee, whose decision will be FINAL.
- 29) Tentative Programme
 - 12.30pm : Registration
 - 1.00pm : Grouping Round 1
 - 2.00pm : Grouping Round 2
 - 3.00pm : Tea Break
 - 3.15pm : Grouping Round 3
 - 4.15pm : Semi Finals
 - 5.15pm : Finals and 3rd/4th Position
 - 6.00pm : Prize Presentation
 - Buffet Meal

**The above programme maybe subject to changes.*

FIXTURES

- 30) Fixtures will be displayed on the STTA Notice Board and STTA Website (www.stta.org.sg) from **27 October 2017 (Friday)** onwards.

PRIZE PRESENTATION

- 31) The Prize Presentation Ceremony shall be held immediately after the last event. Refreshment will be served after the ceremony.
- 32) All prize winners **MUST** be present in person, in order to receive the trophies/medals. No representatives are allowed. All prize winners **MUST** be present at the ceremony in neat attire (**no singlet, slippers and sandals**) in order to receive the prizes.
- 33) **If prize winners do not turn up during the prize presentation ceremony, medals/trophies will not be awarded.**

ENQUIRIES

- 34) Please contact Ms Amanda Leong at 6354 1014 or amanda_leong@stta.org.sg for further enquiries.