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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **We are back! We are bringing table tennis back to the local stage!**

The Singapore Table Tennis Association (STTA) started its first local tournament – Crocodile Challenge Cup on 14 December to 20 December 2020 since the country's implementation of Covid-19 related measures earlier this year. The Crocodile Challenge Cup Finals will be graced by Mr Gan Kim Yong, Minister for Health.

The Crocodile Challenge Cup is the perfect competitive arena for primary school players to develop their abilities an individual. The best young talents across the island will come together and pit their table tennis skills against each other at the tournament.

The STTA is confident that despite we are in a crisis, table tennis will prevail. The STTA is hopeful that we can continue to bring back more sporting events for the local table tennis fraternity.

This year, we have received a record number of 67 primary schools participating in this prestigious tournament. The tournament will take place audience-free and behind closed doors at STTA, with only athletes, officials, and crew onsite. The final day action will be broadcast live on STTA Facebook.

In line with Singapore's approach to resuming activities in a calibrated and safe manner, STTA will implement all necessary measures to ensure the safety of its athletes, officials, and crew.

For the match schedule, please refer to: [https://www.stta.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/Master-Schedule\\_Crocodile-Challenge-Cup-2020.pdf](https://www.stta.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/Master-Schedule_Crocodile-Challenge-Cup-2020.pdf)

We would like invite your reporters to attend the Crocodile Challenge Cup Finals on Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 5pm at STTA, 297C Lorong 6 Toa Payoh , Singapore 319389

<b>Time</b>	<b>Programme</b>
1300	Commencement of Primary 1 & 2 Boys' Singles, Final and 3rd & 4th position matches
1340	Commencement of Primary 1 & 2 Girls' Singles, Final and 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> position matches
1420	Prize Presentation Ceremony for Primary 1&2 Boys' and Girls' Singles  Prize Presentation by Mr Chua Kok Wei, STTA Vice President & Chairman, Local Tournament Sub Committee
1430	Commencement of Primary 3 & 4 Girls' Singles, Final and 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> position matches
1510	Commencement of Primary 3 & 4 Boys' Singles, Final and 3rd & 4th position matches
1530	<b>Arrival of Guest-Of-Honour</b>  <b>Mr Gan Kim Yong</b>  <b>Minister for Health</b>
1550	Prize Presentation (cash award) to the Primary 3 & Primary 4 winners by Mr Trisno Leono, Managing Director of CIPL & Director of CFL
1555	Prize Presentation (medals) to the Primary 3 & Primary 4 winners by  Guest Of Honour – Mr Gan Kim Yong, Minister for Health
1600	Commencement of Primary 5 & 6 Boys' Singles, Final and 3rd & 4th position matches

1640	Commencement of Primary 5 & 6 Girls' Singles, Final and 3rd & 4th position matches
1720	March-in of Prize Winners
	Prize Presentation (cash award) to the Primary 5 & 6 winners by Mr Trisno Leono, Managing Director of CIPL & Director of CFL
1725	Prize Presentation (medals) to the Primary 5 & 6 winners by Guest Of Honour – Mr Gan Kim Yong, Minister for Health
1730	Presentation of token of appreciation to GOH
1735	Presentation of token of appreciation to Crocodile

**Please RSVP your attendance to Laura Wong via email  
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