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All-Singapore Table Tennis Finals for the Asian Olympic Qualification Tournament

Singapore is on course to celebrate its men's singles South East Asia win tomorrow. The Asian Qualification event serves as a qualification event for the Tokyo Olympic Games.

Koen Pang will play against his team mate Clarence Chew tomorrow in the finals. The winner of the finals will become first Singapore born to qualify for the Olympics men's singles event.

In the semi-finals, Koen Pang SGP won TANVIRIYAVECHAKUL Padasak THA 4-0 (17-15, 11-6, 11-5, 11-7) and Clarence Chew SGP defeated NIMAN R. Nikola INA 4-1 (11-7, 7-11, 11-6, 11-3, 11-4).

Clarence Chew said, "I am happy to have won today's match. It was definitely a tough match but I just wanted to give my best and at the end of the day, let there be no regrets."

Koen Pang added, "I was very calm and collected when I played today, and I executed my strategies well. I was very confident as I knew what to do as I played him once and won against him in the 2019 SEA games."

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