

Selection Trials for 2022 STTA Youth Training Squad

15 and 16 January 2022 @ Singapore Table Tennis Association

Additional Information

DATE OF SELECTION TRIALS

- 1) 15(Saturday) and 16 (Sunday) January 2022

SCHEDULE

- 2) Please refer to competition schedule

VENUE

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

TOURNAMENT SYSTEM

- 4) The selection trials 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 ITTF website: <http://www.ittf.com>.
- 5) The list of approved Racket Coverings can be downloaded from ITTF website: <https://www.ittf.com/equipment/>.
- 6) The ITTF approved 3-star D40+ white balls shall be used during this selection trials.
- 7) The selection trials is played on two rounds of knock-out draw. (Please refer to Addendum to 2022 YTS Selection Policy)
- 8) All matches shall be played to best-of-5 games of 11 points each.
- 9) All players are only allowed entry into the competition hall **15 minutes before** the scheduled match. Player shall concede a walkover, if the player is not present at the scheduled time. There shall not be any grace period.
- 10) A player will **not be allowed** to continue once he/she concedes a walkover in the selection trials. A player will not be allowed to continue in the second round even if he concedes a walkover in the first round.
- 11) Seeding for first round is based on the latest STTA National Ranking 19 and Under age category. Seeding for second round is based on the results of the first round, the losing quarter-finalists in the first round will be seeded in the second round.
- 12) No **white** apparels (shirt and shorts) are allowed. Players who fail to conform shall be disqualified.
- 13) No coaches and spectators are allowed throughout the competition.

FIXTURES

- 14) Fixtures with match schedule will be published on STTA's Website (www.stta.org.sg) from **Friday, 14 January 2022** onwards. Kindly take note that it is the responsibility of the player to check for the latest competition fixture and schedule.

SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES

- 15) All players must be able to produce proof of their full vaccination status or recovery from COVID-19 via TraceTogether or HealthHub Apps before they can be granted entry into the competition hall. Players are also required to do SafeEntry check-in and to bring along their personal ID during entry check.
- 16) Masks shall be worn at all times by default. Only players are allowed to remove their masks when competing and are required to put the masks back on immediately after they have completed their matches.
- 17) All personnel are required to maintain safe physical distancing of 1 meter at all times. During competition, players are required to maintain at least 2 meters distancing with their opponents, and at least 3 meters from other players competing in the hall.
- 18) All players are strictly not allowed to interact with players other than their opponent(s) scheduled for the session and must be restricted to competing during the match(es). There shall be no unnecessary body contact (handshakes, high-5s, etc.) and shouting except for communicating instructions.
- 19) Dedicated table tennis balls shall be issued and used for each match.
- 20) Players are not allowed to use their personal towels to wipe the tables.
- 21) No wiping of hand on tables and no blowing on the hand and ball. Failure to comply will result in penalization under the Penalty Point System (warning with penalty points).
- 22) Players are only allowed to enter/exit the competition venue via the designated entry/exit points. All players are to exit the competition hall immediately after their match(es) or at the end of the session, whichever is earlier.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- 43) Please log on to www.stta.org.sg for information on the tournament.
- 44) Please email Ms Valerie Wee at valeriewee@stta.org.sg or contact STTA at 6354 1014 for further enquiries.
- 45) By agreeing to participate in this tournament, you are granting STTA permission to use your/ your child's images for promotional and publicities purposes.
- 46) The Organizing Committee has the absolute rights to interpret or amend the rules and regulations of the Championships at any time without prior notification. Any other rules that are not covered by the Rules and Regulations will be decided by the Organising Committee, whose decision shall be **FINAL**.