



PUBLIC SERVICE MIXED LAWN BOWL COMPETITION 2023



EVENT INFORMATION

Date	:	Saturday, 29 July 2023
Time	:	8.30am to 11.30am
Venue	:	Lawn Bowl Green, 2 nd level, Singapore Sports Hub, 3 Stadium Drive, Singapore 397630
Reporting Time	:	By 7.30am
Getting There	:	<u>By MRT</u> Alight at Stadium MRT Station (CC6). Use Exit A.
	:	<u>By CAR/TAXI/BUS</u> https://www.sportshub.com.sg > Getting There
Registration	:	https://www.csc.sg/stargames (Through sports liaison officers)
Closing Date	:	Friday, 26 May 2023

RULES & REGULATIONS

1 THE EVENT

- 1.1 The Public Service Mixed Lawn Bowl Competition is open to all civil servants and officers serving in Statutory Boards, Restructured Hospitals and Government-Aided Schools.
- 1.2 The Competition is held in conjunction with the Public Service Sports and Family Day 2023 (PSSFD 2023) at the OCBC Square, Singapore Sports Hub on Saturday, 29 July 2023.

- 1.3 The tournament is a non-championship STAR game.

2 ENTRY AND REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS

- 2.1 Sports Liaison Officers can register their players online at www.csc.sg/stargames.
- 2.2 Registration is free of charge.
- 2.3 An agency is allowed to register players from other government agencies. The agency registering the mixed-agency team must ensure that all the team members are eligible players.
- 2.4 A player is allowed to play for one agency only. Multiple representation of agencies by a player is strictly not allowed.
- 2.5 Team Managers/Captains are not allowed to make any additions or changes to the list of registered players once the competition commences.
- 2.6 For organisations that have entered more than one teams, substitution of players from registered players of the teams will not be allowed after the draw. Substituting of players must be from players not originally registered. Switching of players between the teams will also not be permitted.
- 2.7 Each team shall comprise 3 players and 2 reserves. Teams are advised to register at least 2 female and 2 male players.
- 2.8 A player is allowed to register and play for one team only.
- 2.9 Any changes to the Registration Form must be submitted to the Organiser two days before the event. No changes will be allowed after the submission of the final list. A player who has left the government service on the day of play shall not be eligible to participate but another player may be registered in his or her place.

3 REPORTING

- 3.1 All participating teams must report at least 30 **minutes** before their matches.
- 3.2 Teams must report punctually to the umpires at their designated green for their matches. Late reporting may result in disqualification of the team.

- 3.3 No match may start unless all three players are on the scheduled green. In the event that any team being unable to field the minimum number of three players within 5 minutes from starting time, that is 5-minute grace period, the umpires shall give a walkover against such team that has less than three players.

4 FORMAT

- 4.1 The format of the competition shall be either Double Elimination or Round-Robin depending on the number of registered teams.
- 4.2 Teams shall submit the Line-up form to the official before their match. There shall be no substitution of players once the line-up is submitted.
- 4.3 A team must have a minimum of 3 players on the green before a game can start otherwise that team shall concede a walkover to the opponent team.
- 4.4 A team must have at least one female and one male player on the green at any one time.
- 4.5 Each team shall have a total of 1.5 minutes to deliver all their 6 bowls. The time clock shall start when the jack or previous bowl comes to rest and stop when the player's bowl is delivered.
- 4.6 The Organiser reserves the right to change the format of the competition due to unforeseen circumstances such as adverse weather, etc.

5 SCORING

- 5.1 Scoring will be by sets, each set to be 3 ends with a 1 end tie-break if the set score is tied.
- 5.2 Play must be completed within 50 minutes. At the end of time, any unfinished set shall be deemed to have been completed immediately. If this results in a tied set score, the winner of the fully completed set shall be deemed to be the winner of that game.
- 5.3 In event of suspension of play due to heavy rain or lightning alert, the umpire shall have the discretion to alter the number of ends comprising a set when play resumes and the corresponding time limit.

6 DRAW

- 6.1 An online draw shall be conducted to determine the teams' groupings/slots.

7 ATTIRE

- 7.1 Players must be properly attired for the event. Only flat soled shoes will be permitted on the green.

8 ORGANISATION OF THE GAME

- 8.1 All players must adhere to game rules, tournament rules and referees' decisions. The committee and referees will only handle disputes brought forward by the team captains. No protests from players other than the captains will be entertained.

9 PUBLIC SERVICE SPORTS AND FAMILY DAY (PSSFD) TICKETS

- 9.1 Participants in the Competition can register their spouses, children and/or parents, to take in the activities at the PSSFD.
- 9.2 Only registered participants and family members will be issued with the PSSFD tickets for redemption of fun packs and freebies at the event.
- 9.3 Each participant shall be issued with only one PSSFD ticket regardless of the number of events that he or she take part in.
- 9.4 Participants must collect the PSSFD tickets from the co-ordinators of their respective agencies.
- 9.5 Participants must bring along their tickets on day of event as no replacement tickets will be issued at the event.

Note: Details on the registration of family members for the PSSFD will be announced in May 2023.

10 PHOTOGRAPHY

- 10.1 The Civil Service Club reserves the right to use any photographs (including those of Participants), motion pictures, recordings, or any other media records of any STAR Games, for any legitimate purpose, including commercial advertising and distribution to sponsors and partners.

- 10.2 Photography and/or videography will be taken during the event for news and publicity purposes by the official photographer and/or videographer, and may be used for print and on online/electronic platforms of the Civil Service Club. The Organiser owns all rights to the photographs and video recordings. Any participants who do not wish to have their photographs or video recordings taken can notify inform the Organiser at the event site.

11 PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION

- 11.1 All participants consent to their personal data being collected and processed for purposes of administration and communication in a particular event. Participants also agree to receive postings on other events organised by the Civil Service Club.

12 COVID-19 SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES

- 12.1 All participating teams must comply with prevailing COVID-19 Safe Management Measures (SMMs) issued by Ministry of Health and Sport Singapore.
- 12.2 Team members must not show up at the event venue if they are not feeling well or exhibit any symptoms of Covid-19 infections.

<i>DISCLAIMER</i>

The Civil Service Club and Bowls SG reserves the right to cancel, postpone or change the venue, date and/or time of the competition at its discretion due to inclement weather, facility problem or any other situation deemed as appropriate.

The Civil Service Club, Bowls SG and their servants and/or agents will not be held responsible for any claims arising out of any death or injury, damage or loss, suffered or caused while attending this competition, and this includes all costs and expenses incurred as a result of such claims.