

PUBLIC SERVICE SPORTS AND FAMILY DAY
OCBC SQUARE, SINGAPORE SPORTS HUB
SATURDAY, 29 JULY 2023, 8AM TO 1PM

PUBLIC SERVICE EXPLORER CHALLENGE 2023

EVENT INFORMATION

Date : Saturday, 29 July 2023

Reporting Time : By 8.15am

Reporting / Start Point : Civil Service Club
60 Tessensohn Road, Singapore 217664

End Point : OCBC Square, Singapore Sports Hub
1 Stadium Drive, Singapore 397629

Registration : <https://www.csc.sg/stargames> (Through sports liaison officers)

Closing Date : **Sunday, 25 June 2023**

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Event

- 1.1 The Public Service Explorer Challenge 2023 (PSEC 2023) will be held in conjunction with the Public Service Sports and Family Day 2023 (PSSFD 2023).
- 1.2 The tentative programme is shown in the Annex.
- 1.3 Participation is free of charge.

2. Eligibility

- 2.1 The PSEC 2023 is open to civil servants and officers serving in Statutory Boards, Restructured Hospitals and Government-Aided Schools, and employees of registered former Statutory Boards.

3. Entry and Registration

- 3.1 Teams must register through the Sports Liaison Officers/Co-ordinator of their respective organisations via the online portal. Only team registration shall be accepted. Individual entries will not be accepted.

- 3.2 All the team members must be Public Service Officers.
- 3.3 Each team shall comprise 4 members.
- 3.4 A team must include at least one female player.
- 3.5 On the day of the event, each team must have at least 3 players for points to be awarded.
- 3.6 An agency is allowed to register players from other government agencies. The agency registering a mixed-agency team must ensure that all the team members are eligible players.
- 3.7 Team members must produce their staff cards and Identity Card when called upon or in event of protest. Teams fielding ineligible players shall be disqualified from the event.
- 3.8 Only registered participants and accompanying registered family members will be issued with PSSFD tickets for redemption of fun packs and freebies at the event. They must bring along their tickets on day of event as no replacement tickets will be issued at the event.

4. Game Rules

- 4.1 Teams must report punctually by 8.15am. The flag-off time for the PSEC 2023 is at 8.45am sharp. Teams must be present at the flag-off. A roll call will be conducted. Any teams that start early before the flag-off and not present at the flag-off will be disqualified.
- 4.2 Before the start of the race, one player from each team must download the game app on his or her mobile device. Each team must get onto the app with the assigned Team Name given to your team.
- 4.3 Teams are to navigate using the game app to locate the “hotspots” and to activate the tasks within each hotspot.
- 4.4 Players can complete the hotspots in any order they choose. They are not required to visit all hotspots.
- 4.5 Challenges are unlocked when teams arrive at the hotspots. Points will be awarded based on completion of the challenges.
- 4.6 All the team members must be together when attempting the challenges.
- 4.7 The absolute cut-off time for teams to reach the ending point (hotspot) at Singapore Sports Hub is **11.45am**. The game will be paused at 11.45am and no more task submissions can be done. Teams must plan their route and timing carefully and must check in at this last Hotspot physically to qualify. In addition, this is where each team will also receive a completion token of \$15.00 per team.

- 4.8 As we encourage everyone to be physically involved in this challenge, we encourage teams to walk from hotspot to hotspot or use public buses or MRT based on your team's planning.
- 4.9 Points will be deducted from the team that found to be taking personal vehicles or all forms of taxi.

5 Prizes

- 5.1 The top four teams with most points shall be awarded the following cash prizes.

PLACING	Cash Prize
1st	\$350
2nd	\$300
3rd	\$250
4th	\$200

- 5.2 Team Captains must be present to collect the prizes from the Guest-of- Honour otherwise the prizes will be forfeited.

6. Safety

- 6.1 All participants will be given 1 bottle of water and MUST carry hydration (water, isotonic drink or other fluids) in form of a hydration belt, bag or bottle throughout the race.
- 6.2 For the safety of participants, all players are advised to walk / run on the designated path throughout the route.
- 6.3 Participants who require immediate medical attention may call the PSEC emergency hotline.

7. Wet Weather Programme

- 7.1 The PSEC 2023 will still proceed in event of wet weather.
- 7.2 Participants will be given ponchos and are advised to bring along spare set of sports attire and umbrellas in case of wet weather.

8. Organisation T-shirt

- 8.1 Participants in a team are encouraged to wear their organisation's T-shirt or T-shirt of the similar colour if they do not have an organisation T-shirt. This is to facilitate easy identification of the team members.

9. Baggage and Accessories

- 9.1 There are no baggage deposit at the starting point. Participants are advised to travel light.
- 9.2 Teams must ensure that they have enough portable chargers
- 9.3 Teams must ensure that they have enough credits in their Ezlink card.

10 Communication

- 10.1 Each team must appoint a Team Captain for the Organiser to liaise/communicate with, on all matters pertaining to the Challenge.
- 10.2 Communication with the Team Captains shall be made via email or Whatsapp Chat group before and during the Challenge.

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 agencies and teams must comply with prevailing Covid-19 Safe Management Measures issued by Ministry of Health and Sport Singapore.
- 12.2 Participants are advised to exercise social responsibility. They must not take part in the event if feeling unwell or exhibit any symptoms of Covid-19 infections.

13 Rights

- 13.1 The Civil Service Club reserves the right to revise the format, rules and regulations for the event if deemed appropriate.

14 Disclaimers

- 14.1 Participants take part in the Explorer Challenge and/or other events held at the PSSFD at their own risk. Those with medical conditions are strongly advised to consult their doctors before taking part.
- 14.2 The Civil Service Club reserves the right to cancel, postpone or change the venue, date and/or time of the event at its discretion due to unforeseen circumstances.
- 14.3 The Civil Service Club, the Organising Committee, appointed contractors, sponsors, appointed officials and staff shall not be responsible for any mishap,

injury or loss of life that may be suffered by participants and/or supporters before, during or after the event.

- 14.4 The Civil Service Club, the Organising Committee, appointed contractors, sponsors, appointed officials and staff shall not be responsible for any loss of personal belongings before, during or after the event.

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TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

<u>Time</u>	<u>Programme</u>
8.15am	Teams report at the Check-in Counter at Tessensohn Clubhouse
8.30am	Briefing for all participating teams
8.45am	Flag-off for the Public Service Explorer Challenge <u>Important Note:</u> Teams must be present for the flag-off. A roll call will be conducted and any teams that are not present will be disqualified.
11.45am	Teams must reach OCBC Square, Singapore Sports Hub. Teams arriving late will not be scored. End of Public Service Explorer Challenge
12.30pm	Prize Presentation (Winning teams must be present to collect the prizes)
1.00pm	End