

PUBLIC SERVICE

ROCK CLIMBING COMPETITION 2024

EVENT INFORMATION

Date : Saturday, 20 April 2024

Time : 9.00am to 1.00pm

Venue : Ground Up Climbing, Club CSC @

Tessensohn, 60 Tessensohn Road,

Singapore 217664

Registration Fee : \$18 (Excluding GST) per team

Closing Date : Friday, 12 April 2024

RULES & REGULATIONS

1 **ELIGIBILITY**

1.1 The Public Service events are open to all civil servants, public service officers serving in Statutory Boards, Restructured Hospitals and Government-Aided Schools as well as staff from former Statutory Boards who are registered with Civil Service Club.

2 REGISTRATION

- 2.1 Sports Liaison Officers can register their players online at www.csc.sg/stargames .
- 2.2 Registration must be accompanied by online payment of registration fee otherwise it will be void.
- 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.
- A player is allowed to play for one agency only. Multiple representation of agencies by a player is strictly not allowed.

3 COMPETITION FORMAT

- 3.1 The aggregate timing of three climbers in a team shall be used to determine the overall positions.
- 3.2 The four teams with the lowest aggregate timing in each category will compete for the top to 4th placing.
- 3.3 A team is allowed to climb with a minimum of 2 climbers but 2 minutes will be added to the team's aggregate time.

4 <u>CATEGORY</u>

4.1 The Competition shall comprise the following categories:

Category	Age Criteria
Men	No age limit
Women	No age limit

5 TEAM COMPOSITION

5.1 Each team shall comprise a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 4 members (including a reserve).

6 <u>TEAM CAPTAINS' BRIEFING</u>

6.1 All participants <u>must</u> attend the safety briefing to be conducted by the official before the start of the competition. Failure to do will disqualify the participant.

7 JUDGING

- 7.1 The fastest team is determined by the total timing of all three climbers. All members shall have one attempt.
- 7.2 Each team member is given a maximum time limit of 2 minutes.
- 7.3 In the event of tie for any of the top 4 positions, the timing of the fastest climber in each of the teams shall be used to break the tie.

8 TERMINATION OF CLIMB

- 8.1 A participant's attempt will be terminated by the route judge should he or she:
 - a) Falls;

- b) Exceed the permitted climb time:
- c) Touches any part of the wall surface beyond the marked boundaries of the route:
- d) Uses side edges or top edges of the wall;
- e) Fails to snap link in a quick draw in accordance with the regulations governing the competition; and
- f) Uses any artificial aid
- 8.2 A time penalty of 2 minutes will be added to a team's total time if any one of its team member's climb is terminated.

9 **DISQUALIFICATION**

- 9.1 A team will be disqualified if any of its members:
 - a) Fail to report for safety briefing
 - b) Fail to report for their climb after three announcements are made
 - c) Un-ropes while climbing
 - d) Uses unapproved modification of equipment

10 PRIZES

10.1 Following prizes will be awarded to the top 4 teams in each category.

<u>Placing</u>	Cash Prize
1st	\$350
2nd	\$300
3rd	\$250
4th	\$200

10.2 An individual prize will be awarded to the fastest climber in each category.

11 ATTIRE

11.1 Participants are encouraged to don their team attire during their climb. Bare body is not allowed.

12 APPEAL

12.1 All appeals have to be made in writing within 10 minutes after the result by the Team Captain and an appeal panel will handle it. A charge of \$50.00 (cash) will be levied to discourage abuse of this right. The money will be refunded to the participants if his/her appeal is successful.

13 INCLEMENT WEATHER

13.1 In the event of adverse weather condition, the competition will be moved to the indoor hall. The team order of climb will remain the same and all events will start from the beginning.

14 PHOTOGRAPHY

- 14.1 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.
- 14.2 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.

15 PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION

15.1 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.

16 OTHERS

- 16.1 All participants are strongly advised to obtain medical clearance prior to their participation in the Competition.
- 16.2 The Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend any part of the Rules & Regulations without prior notice.

DISCLAIMER

The Civil Service Club (CSC) 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 problems or any other situations deemed as appropriate.

The Civil Service Club 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.