

Media Release

To News Editors

## **SAFRA TAMPINES REJUVENATED WITH NEW LOOK AND ENHANCED FACILITIES**



After the recent refurbishment, the 31-year-old SAFRA Tampines now has a fresh new look and improved facilities for NSmen and their families residing in the Eastern part of Singapore to enjoy and bond through sports.

The bright and spacious enhanced club lobby provides a welcoming environment for visitors to socialise and engage through communal games such as air hockey and foosball.

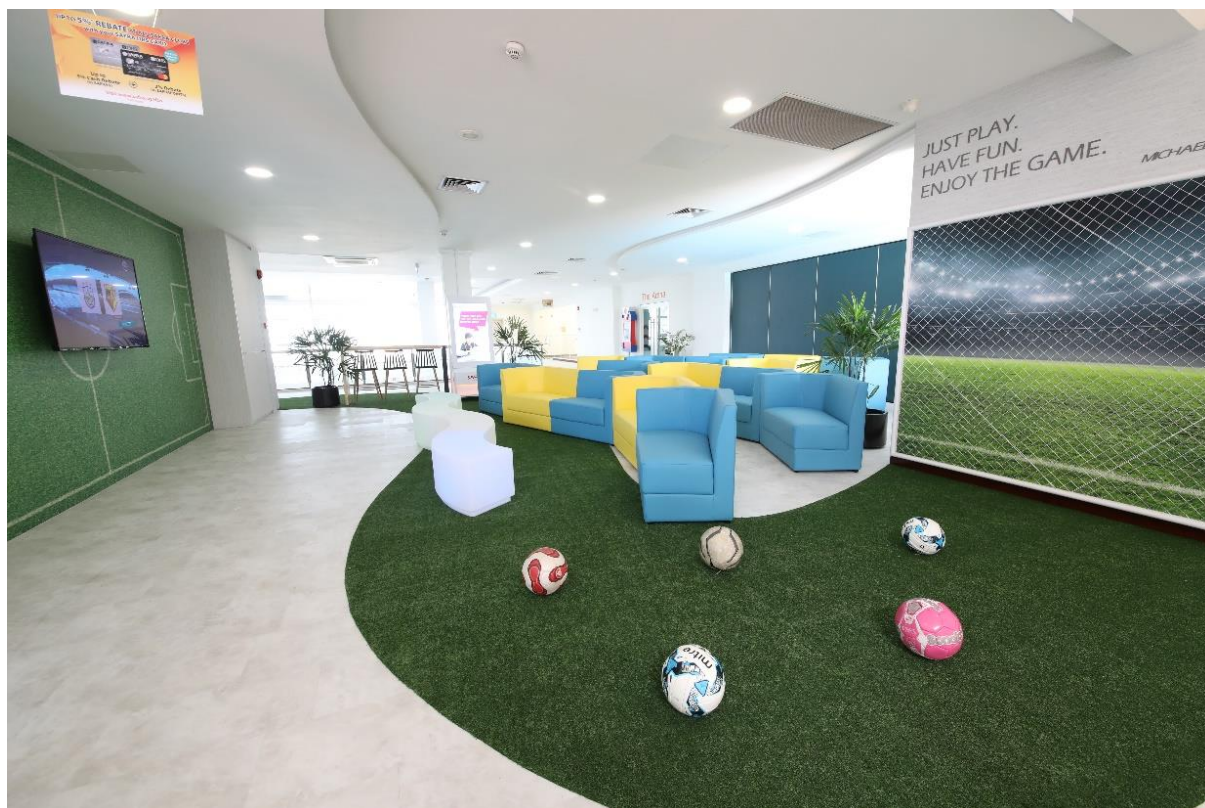
There will also be regular sports entertainment to draw like-minded fans together. A wide variety of sports programmes ranging from football to rugby and tennis will be screened at a cozy area at Level 2 and a large-sized LED screen at the lobby to cater to larger events and crowds.

Many of the club's existing sports and fitness facilities have also been refreshed to provide a better playing and training experience. Its multi-purpose hall now houses new table tennis facilities, alongside its badminton courts which have been re-floored. New equipment have also been added to the EnergyOne gym, while its outdoor futsal courts are being re-turfed.

After a good workout, NSmen and their families can also enjoy more dining options as new F&B outlets set up shop at the club, such as Springleaf Prata Place, Gin Kao Thai restaurant, and Renew Snacks Garage, which offers healthy smoothie bowls and toasts. For those who prefer to bond over a barbecue, more outdoor pits with Teppanyaki grills have been installed.

COL (NS) Eugene Lam Toa Yee, Chairman of SAFRA Tampines Executive Committee, commented, "Many good memories and close bonds have been forged in this clubhouse, especially among NSmen and their families residing in the East, through the various activities organised by the SAFRA Tampines team. The rejuvenation of SAFRA Tampines

does not end with the enhancement of its facilities. We are also looking into introducing new activities this year, such as the sports leagues to create a vibrant calendar of opportunities and experiences for our NSmen and their families. Members can look forward to a more exciting line-up of activities in 2019 to stay fit, bond and have fun.”



*Sports screening area at Level 2*

### **Rediscover SAFRA Tampines This Weekend**

This weekend, 27 and 28 April, we start off with a host of fun-filled activities organised at SAFRA Tampines to welcome and encourage NSmen and their families to explore the rejuvenated club. The event will feature a ‘Sweat It Out Challenge’ where participants can compete individually or form a team to complete a series of stations for a chance to win a Google Home Mini. There are 20 sets to be won. Stations include a game of Virtual Reality Beat Saber, soccer darts, rope or dumbbell lifting, skipping, push-ups and a treadmill run. There will also be a series of course tryouts where NSmen and their families can engage in yoga, Pilates or dance workshops.

SAFRA members can also enjoy hourly giveaways and special deals from various participating merchant outlets within the club, ranging from bowling and billiard, to PC gaming and F&B.

For more information on the event, visit [www.safra.sg/rediscovertm](http://www.safra.sg/rediscovertm)

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## **About SAFRA National Service Association**

SAFRA was formed in 1972 to provide for the social and recreational needs of NSmen and their families through quality sports, social, educational and cultural programmes to recognise NSmen for their contributions to National Defence. SAFRA currently has a network of six clubs conveniently located in Jurong, Mount Faber, Punggol, Tampines, Toa Payoh and Yishun. Complementing the modern facilities at SAFRA clubs are a host of quality membership benefits and activities specially packaged for over 450,000 members (as of 31 March 2019) and their families.

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