



Touch Singapore (TSG) AGM 2020

Election for TSG Executive Committee Positions (EXCO)

Touch Singapore is a not for profit organization bestowed with the mandate to govern and oversee all matters related to the Sport of Touch in Singapore. Touch Singapore is also responsible to develop the growth and grow the participation levels of the sport in all areas.

The EXCO structure comprises of the 12 executive members who have their respective portfolios, with 1 General Manager in place to oversee and manage the daily activities and operations of the Association aside supporting all directors to develop policies and plans to grow the Association and the sport.

This is the first EXCO Election since the inaugural formation of the Association 3 years ago. The founding EXCO members were tasked with a 3 year term by FIT to build the foundation of TSG. As per the TSG Constitution, all newly elected members will now serve a **2 year term**.

Nomination and Voting Process

There were a total of **15 nominations** supported by valid seconders for the 12 positions. The process was open for a month and we are glad to receive such a positive response. Thank you to all nominees for your willingness to step up to the plate to serve the Singapore Touch Community.

As per the constitution, there are **12 clubs** who qualify as an Ordinary Member and therefore are required to vote at the AGM on any matters including the election process. These clubs are identified below.

1. Bedok Kings
2. BroTown
3. Bucks
4. Centaurs
5. Honey Badgers
6. Legiste



7. MBFC
8. Monsoon
9. Royals
10. Singapore Cricket Club
11. Tanglin Rugby Club
12. Todaks

The clubs have been contacted and informed to provide a member of the club to represent her to vote at the AGM. Nominees are not allowed to vote.

The voting process will be conducted by **secret ballot**. All 12 members will be provided with a Google Form during the AGM to vote for each position. A simple majority would be used to decide the winner.

For example (with 12 members), a nominee will require to have at least **7 votes** in his/her favour to be elected. If there is a multiple contest (3 or more nominees), the voting process will be repeated with the nominee with lowest votes eliminated after each round or unless a nominee has achieved a simple majority and therefore concludes the voting process. In the event there is a deadlock after multiple voting processes, the current TSG President will cast the deciding vote.

For seats which are uncontested (only 1 nominee), the nominee still require a simple majority of votes in favour of him/her to be elected to the seat. If the nominee does not get the sufficient amount of votes, he/she will not be elected to the position which will be left vacant. A new nomination and voting process will be arranged in the future to fill the position.

Members of the Touch Singapore EXCO are tasked with the power and responsibilities to serve the Singapore Touch Community to the best of her abilities. The voting process ensures that all elected members are given a strong mandate to carry out and execute their responsibilities.

Best Regards,

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