

RE: EVENT FACT SHEET FOR PEACE AND PROSPERITY SINGAPURA 2019

IN COMMEMORATION WITH SINGAPORE BICENNENTIAL

(A GUINNESS WORLD RECORD EVENT)



Peace and Prosperity Singapura 2019.

Theme: A Celebration of Racial and Religious Harmony

天下太平, 富国安民



Venue: Marina Bay Floating Platform

Date: 21 Dec 2019, 1700- 2000h

 Guest of Honour:
 Mr Ong Ye Kung, Minister for Education

 Appreciation Dinner GOH (Date TBC):
 Deputy Prime Minister Heng Swee Keat, Minister of Finance

 Event Advisor:
 Dr Mohamad Maiki Bin Osman

 Mayor of South
 East District

 Senior Minister of State for Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Foreign Affairs

 Advisor to Peace and Prosperity Singapura 2019

 Mr Ang Mong Seng (BBM)

 President of Singapore Wushu Dragon & Lion Dance Federation



Main Organiser: Tao One Ltd

Co- Organiser: 1) Singapore Wushu Dragon & Lion Dance Federation 2) International Long-Shi Trading Hub

- Supported by: South East CDC, People's Association, Urban Redevelopment Authority, Sports Singapore, Singapore Tourism Board, Inter Religious Organisation (IRO), Inter-Racial and Religious Confidence Circles (IRCC/MCCY)
- Highlight:We will be attempting to set a new Guinness World Record by having 1200 Lions as the
Largest Display of Lion Dance. The previous record of 1111 Lions was set in Hong Kong on 1
Jan 2011. We will be engaging the community and unions as volunteers and performers for
this event. The performers will be made up of all walks of life regardless of race and religions.
International media will also be expected to cover this event.

Expected crowd: 30,000

To celebrate this joyous occasion, we will be inviting all the religious leaders from the different religious groups to lead an inter-faith prayer as the event commence. We want to take this opportunity to pray for everlasting of Peace and Prosperity for Singapore.

Foreign Head of High Commissions and Embassies, Union and Community Leaders are invitees of the event as well. We are also reaching out to various community partners from the places of worships, business association to clans to garner their support in this historical moment of event

About Tao One Ltd

Tao One Ltd is non-profit organisation umbrella for 3 sub-units

- 1. Tian Fu Gong (Taoist Temple @ Gambas)
- 2. TFG Welfare Society @ Indus Road
- 3. TFG Taoist Museum (planning in progress)

Advisors of Tao One Ltd:

- 1. Dr Lim Wee Kiak, MP and Grassroots Advisor to Sembawang GRC
- 2. Dr Ong Seh Hong, MP for Marine Parade GRC (2006-2011)
- 3. Mr Ang Mong Seng, MP for Bukit Gombak SMC and Hong Kah GRC (1997-2011)

Tao One is lead and founded by its Director-General, Mr Andy Wong whom also serves as Mongolia Culture Envoy to Singapore, Philippines and Brunei and Independent Director of Johor Motorsports Sdn Bhd.

TFG Welfare Society is lead by Mr Micker Sia, Managing Director of WTS Travel and Tours Pte Ltd (a subsidiary of Woodlands Transport Group).

We are committed to serve the community through inter-faith collaborations, education and humanitarian works.



Program Components

Singapore Bicentennial Inter-faith Contribution History 2019

To launch a history walk through video series on how the different faiths came about in Singapore and their timeline of arrival, their contributions they made to Singapore community. Eg, Building of schools, hospitals etc during the times of nation building. This series will be launch and publicised via social media after the show.

Singer Performances

We will have 1 full hour of song and dance performers by local artistes to kick off the show.



Fire Works Display

A short display will be put up towards the show to put a finale bang end to the show.



Multi Racial Performers and Car convoys display

We will be having different ethnic groups coming in with car convoys and bringing their music culture in a mass display format





Inter-faith Prayers for Peace and Prosperity of Singapore

As part of the theme, we will be inviting the major faiths in Singapore to come forward each with a contingent of 200 followers of the faith (signifying 200 years) lead by their respective religious leaders to perform a short prayer for the Peace and Prosperity of the nation.



Highlight: Guinness Record Largest Mass Lion Dance Display 2019



To break current record for the **Largest lion dance (two operators)** which currently stands at 1,111 lions (2,222 participants) set by Hong Kong on 1 Jan 2011. We will be displaying 1200 lions to commemorate 200th year of Sir Stamford Raffles's landing on Singapore in the year 1819. The choice of this Lion Dance display signifies Singapore as a Lion City. 1200 Lions symbolise 1 Nation 200 years.

We will be using a mix of brand 600 new lions and 600 existing ones to represent the social diversity and the transitioning one generation of Singaporean to the next in creating this record. The new lion heads will be customised into red and white colour to symbolise Singapore's Lion City.

The 3 hours show display will see about 5,000 participants and volunteers coming together from all walks of lives and around the world to put up a multi-racial show and complete the greatest feat in the history of Lion Dance culture



Proposed Draft Program: (Guests copy)

1700	Show opening
1715	Opening Band
1745	GWR performers to move in and standby
	VVIP to take positions at lions
1800	Arrival of GOH and Nation Anthem
1805	IRO prayers for Peace and Prosperity Singapura 2019
1818	Countdown to 1819
1819	Official dotting and setting of record
1825	Mass display dance begins
	VVIP to take their seats at the red zone
1840	Dance ends
	Official adjudication begins
	GOH gets to mingle with performers
1850	Announcement of record set with Confetti canons
	Presentation of record to GOH to receive on behalf
	Photo opportunities
1855	GOH Speech
1910	GOH to be seated (or mingle with the crowd)
1915	Car convoy segment with multi-racial musicians
1945	Car stunt show
1950	Finale sing-together
1955	Fireworks
2000	VVIP Reception



Volunteers required

Guinness World Record Performers (Lion Dance Display): Total Volunteers required 2,000



As the GWR is a national effort, we look forward to volunteers from all walks of life whom is keen to be part of the lion dance display. You <u>do not</u> need to have any knowledge of lion dance performance. We will be teaching them the moves in the day starting 9am. You will be required to perform only basic movements.

Reporting Time: 9am 21 Dec 2019

Car Convoy Segment: Musicians required (Malay Percussion, Indian drummers, Western Percussion 54 players Each)



As part of the multi-racial display, we are seeking 54 musicians from each racial group to put up a 5 min segment each.

Reporting Time: 12 noon 21 Dec 2019

Event Ushers: 600 pax required



With such a scale of event, we would require many ushers to ensure the smooth running and execution of the show. Some ushers will be deployed to direct crowd traffic while some will assist in the dotting of lions during the show.

Reporting time: 12 noon 21 Dec 2019