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MEDIA RELEASE

OLYMPIAN WANG YUEGU TO MAKE STAR APPEARANCE AT STTA-PCF TABLE TENNIS CARNIVAL 2012

The STTA is committed to grooming young talents from a very young age. In the past, children will typically start playing table tennis only in Primary 3, when they pick the sport in school as a co-curricular activity. However, through the STTA-PCF table tennis programme, PCF Kindergarten children are exposed to the sport as early as five years old.

Through the STTA-PCF table tennis programme, the STTA hopes to identify and nurture more world class players. Since its launch in 2009, the programme has expanded to 22 constituencies and over 1200 children are exposed to the game of table tennis yearly.

At the upcoming STTA-PCF Carnival, our Olympian Wang Yuegu together with Isabelle Li and Zena Sim will be making star appearance. Wang Yuegu hopes to use her own successes to inspire these young paddlers that no dreams are impossible and the Olympic dream is within their reach. She will also be signing autograph fans and giving them away as mementoes to our young paddlers.

The STTA is pleased to announce that we have started a new donation programme for individuals to come forward and support the STTA-PCF table tennis programme at the constituency of their choice. And the individual donors will be acknowledged on the table tennis table within the constituency. Meanwhile, the STTA will be signing a Memorandum of Understanding with our first individual donor Mrs Thomas Ang for the STTA-PCF table tennis programme at the STTA-PCF Carnival. Mrs Thomas Ang has agreed to support the STTA-PCF table tennis programme at Nee Soon South for the next three years as she believes strongly in our STTA-PCF table tennis programme and wishes to give back to the local community in any ways she can.

Finally, our young paddlers from the STTA-PCF table tennis programme will be showing off their forehand and backhand drives. And graduates of our STTA-PCF table tennis programme are invited back for an invitational friendly competition.

The STTA cordially invites your reporter and photographer to the event and the details are as follow:

Date: Thursday, 20th September 2012
Time: 1.00pm
Venue: United Square, 101 Thomson Road 307591

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