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### **Singaporean Table Tennis Youths Excel at World Table Tennis Youth Contender Puerto Princesa 2023, 15 to 21 October 2023**

Table Tennis: The WTT Youth Contender Puerto Princesa 2023 event witnessed an exceptional showcase of talent, with Singaporean youth players delivering outstanding performances and clinching top positions in various categories. Among the remarkable achievements were Singapore's representation in the Under 11 Boys' Singles, U15 Boys' Singles, U17 Boys' Singles, and U19 Boys' Singles.

The U15 Boys' Singles division saw NG Hong Siu Aron (吴泓劭), 15 years old, emerge as the champion, exhibiting unparalleled skill and determination. Aron's journey to victory included remarkable victories in the group stage, Round of 16, Quarter-finals, Semi-finals, and ultimately in the Finals. His exceptional performance was evident against Soma ONO (JPN) in the Finals.

In the U17 Boys' Singles event, NG Hong Siu Aron continued to impress, securing the 3rd position in the competition.

In the Under 11 Boys' Singles, LIEW Miguel (刘宇峻) and TANG Keegen (董恩伸), both 10 years old demonstrated their prowess by securing the 2nd and 3rd positions, respectively. Both players displayed incredible skills throughout the competition, leaving a lasting impression on the audience.

YEO Ryan (楊鏗劭), 17 years old, representing Singapore in the U19 Boys' Singles, demonstrated his resilience and talent by securing the 3rd position.

These achievements highlight the exceptional talent and dedication of Singapore's young table tennis players and their ability to compete at an international level. Singapore Table Tennis Association (STTA) extends its congratulations to all participants and is committed to supporting young talent in the sport of table tennis.

Results as follow:

### **U15 Boys Singles**

Group Stage

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Ace GUMABAY PHI 3-0

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs LO Yun-Cheng TPE 3-1

Round of 16

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs TANG Joshua SGP 3-1

Q-Finals

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Zyrus BAGA PHI 3-0

Sem-Finals

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Ko SHIBATA JPN 3-1

Finals

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Soma ONO JPN 3-1

### **U17 Boys' Singles Group Stage**

Group Stage

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Jebb DATAHAN PHI 3-2

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Ralph VIDAL PHI 3-0

Round of 16

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Cayl Brent CHAVEZ PHI 3-1

Q-Finals

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs TANG Joshua SGP 3-0

Semi-Finals

NG Hong Siu Aron SGP vs Tsubasa OKAMOTO JPN 0-3

### **U11 Boys' Singles**

Group Stage

TANG Keegen SGP vs Jeremiah CLAUDIO PHI 3-1

TANG Keegen SGP vs Renier VIDAL PHI 3-1

LIEW Miguel SGP vs Christian ABENDAN PHI 3-0

LIEW Miguel SGP vs Titus PACHICA PHI 3-1

Q-Finals

LIEW Miguel SGP vs Renier VIDAL PHI 3-1

TANG Keegen SGP vs Christian ABENDAN PHI 3-0

Semi-Finals

LIEW Miguel SGP vs Matthan JAMIN PHI 3-1

TANG Keegen SGP vs CHIEN Wei-Chen TPE 0-3

Finals

LIEW Miguel SGP vs CHIEN Wei-Chen TPE 0-3

## U19 Boys' Singles

Group Stage

YEO Ryan SGP vs Kyron DARIA PHI 3-1

YEO Ryan SGP vs Andrei VILLACRUEL PHI 3-2

Q-Finals

YEO Ryan SGP vs Daniel BUTAR PHI 3-1

Semi-Finals

YEO Ryan SGP vs Ray Joshua Lawrence MANLAPAZ PHI 0-3

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