

National Competitive Dragon Dance Championship 2006

"National Competitive Dragon Dance Championship 2006" was organised successfully on 19 November 2006 at Toa Payoh Indoor Stadium. President Mr. Ang Mong Seng graced the simple yet meaningful opening ceremony. This competition was supported by 5 sponsors who were introduced by Mr. Terence Tea, treasurer for SNWF. They are: Mr. Toh Soon Huat, Mr. Jackson Teo Ngiang Heng, Mr. Goh Yoke Sin, Mr. Jeffery Lim Choon Hooi and Mr. Goh Choo Siang. Each sponsor contributed S\$2,000 respectively which provides a total sum of S\$10,000 for the competition. We expressed our heartfelt gratitude towards their generosity.

Mr. Ang, Chairman Dr Yeo Ker Chiang, Treasurer Mr. Terence Tea and all sponsors kick-off the event with a ribbon-cutting ceremony. The event was officially opened by Mr. Ang when he strikes the gong.

This grand occasion is held once every two years. It has attracted 13 troupes from across Singapore and the competition is extremely intense. All competing troupes showed their superb dragon dance skills & techniques, and performed their very best during the competition. Over a thousand local dragon dance enthusiasts gathered at the stadium to give their best support to their favorite teams.

After an exciting competition, "Singapore Cheng Jing Hui Dragon & Lion Dance Association" ascends the champion throne 2006 with 9.32 points. They walked away with a trophy and the title "King of the Dragon"! At the same time, they will have the opportunity to represent Singapore and participate in the "3rd World Dragon & Lion Dance Championship 2006" to be held in Surabaya, Indonesia December 2006. The 1st runner-up goes to Jalan Besar CC Dragon & Lion Dance Association with 9.30 points, just a small difference of 0.2 points from the champion. The 2nd runner-up goes to Singapore Foo Chew Association (Dragon dance / Wushu team) with 9.20 points.

The following is the complete result of National Competitive Dragon Dance Championship 2006:

Ranking	Name of Organisation	Points
1 st	Singapore Cheng Jing Hui Dragon & Lion Dance Association	9.32
2 nd	Jalan Besar CC Dragon & Lion Dance Troupe	9.30
3 rd	Singapore Foo Chew Association (Dragon dance / Wushu team)	9.20
4 th	Kampung Kembangan CC Dragon & Lion Dance Troupe	9.20
5 th	Boon Lay CC Dragon & Lion Dance Troupe	9.18
6 th	Wen Yang Sports Association (Singapore)	9.08
7 th	Hoon Hong Dragon & Lion Athletic Association	8.94
8 th	Taman Jurong CC Dragon & Lion Dance Troupe	8.86
Condolence	Soon Lee Tua Sports Association	8.85
Condolence	Nam Shaolin Dragon & Lion Dance Cultural Association	8.81
Condolence	Cheong Cheng Wushu Dragon & Lion Dance Troupe	8.80

Condolence	Kuan Yun Entertainment Arts Centre	8.48
Condolence	Yi Quan Arts & Cultural Group	8.10