

Senior Minister of State for National Development & Communications and Information, Mr. Tan Kiat How

We cordially invite you, your family members, and friends to join us

May everything be smooth in many years to come, may everyone happily celebrate Chinese New Year and all families and schools come and write calligraphy during this Spring Festival HuiChun.

2024 - The 41st National HuiChun Calligraphy Gathering

- We are the pioneer of the local HuiChun. We have a history of 41 years since 1983. This is 4 years earlier than the "Spring at the Riverside".
- The Gathering is scheduled on 21st January 2024 (Sunday), from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. at the Singapore Calligraphy Centre (48 Waterloo Street, Singapore 187952, Tel: 6337 7753) at front and back courtyard and the Hall, to welcome the year of "Golden Dragon".
- **The main event is from 10.30 a.m. to 11.30a.m.**
- Admission is free for all to visit the "Golden Dragon's Spring Couplets" exhibition which is concurrently open on the same day until January 24th, 2024 (Wednesday)
- For the HuiChun:
 - It is every 15 mins per session with a total of 40 tables for writing.
 - We are anticipating around 1000 participants, regardless of nationalities, ages, and races to join us. All teachers, students, and companies are welcomed as well.
 - It is best for the entire family, department, class, and organization to join us. For instance,
 1. For a family with 3 generations, each can write a Chinese word (one word like family or Spring).
 2. For married couples, one can write the 2 Chinese words for "harmony" and the other can write the 2 Chinese words for "prosperity". Or each can write 2 Chinese words of the Chinese idiom for "May everything is smooth flowing".
 3. Physics Society of Chung Cheng High School can find 4 persons to write one piece with Chinese 4-worded idioms individually (like "love others like yourself", "be persevered").
 4. For a group of 3 seniors, one can write the Chinese word for "blessings", the other can write the Chinese word for "wealth" and the last can write the Chinese word for "longevity".
 5. As next year is the year for Golden Dragon, you can write the idioms related to this prosperous year, like "the bursting of auspicious Dragon years", "Great prosperity of Dragon" , "Good luck and bountiful harvest and promising omen of the Dragon" etc.
- As the organizer, we will provide ink, red square rice paper, and ink stone. Please bring your own writing brush.
- This HuiChun Convention is scheduled to be held before the Chinese New Year so that the participants can bring home the Spring couplets and paste them on their front doors or walls to add on the Chinese New Year festivity.
- **Pre-registered participants shall be given certificates of participation as commemorations.**
- This event is organised by The Chinese Calligraphy Society of Singapore, and jointly sponsored by National Arts Council, and Singapore Arts Federation.

Registration Form

Name: (C) _____ (E): _____

IC No/ Passport No: _____ Gender: Male / Female

Home Address: _____

_____ (Postal Code): _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

Choice of Timing (**PLEASE CIRCLE**): 9am / 9.30am / 10am / 10.30am / 11am

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please submit your completed registration form latest by 23th December 2023 (Saturday) in person, by fax, email or post.

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