



## **INTRODUCTION**

In 2005, NTUC Club launched the \$1 million Family Recreation FUNd (FRF), to enable low income union members and their families to achieve a better work-life balance by having fun at our facilities. Each eligible union member was given a one-time \$100 worth of vouchers to be used at the facilities under NTUC Club. Some 10,000 members benefited from the programme.

Based on feedback gathered from members, NTUC Club has enhanced the programme to make the FRF more effective in serving its purpose. In 2008, FRF was used to facilitate 4 family days at Downtown East (quarterly), instead of the former free-and-easy format in which members enjoyed the facilities on their own.

The revised approach was well received with a good turnout and positive feedback from participating members. As such, we are increasing the FRF to \$1.5 million and increasing the frequency of the event to 6 runs within 2009/2010, this is to benefit more low income union members and their families during this economic downturn

We invite you to check out this fun-filled event in the upcoming months! Free transport will be provided at designated locations to bring you and your family to Downtown East for a day filled with entertainment and laughter.

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)**

### **Who is eligible to apply for the Family Recreation & Fun Carnival 09/10?**

You qualify as long as:

- You are a registered NTUC member
- Your family's combined household income is S\$2,500 and lower OR is S\$500 per capita income and below

Your application **MUST** reach your respective Unions / NTUC Customer Service Centre before the closing date (i.e. **10<sup>th</sup> April'09**).

### **How do I apply?**

Union members who meet the eligibility criteria are to apply through their respective unions:-

- For Ordinary Branch (OB) members, they will apply directly with their respective unions
- For General Branch (GB) members, they will apply directly with NTUC Customer Service Centre, NTUC Centre, No. 1, Marina Boulevard, Singapore 018989. Alternatively, the application form can be downloaded from [www.ntucclub.com](http://www.ntucclub.com) .

Applicants must submit relevant supporting documents such as membership / payslips together with the application.

### **How will I know if my application is successful?**

Applicants will be informed of the outcome by their respective Unions / NTUC Customer Service Centre and will receive the letter of entitlement directly from the Unions / NTUC Customer Services Centre.

### **What can successful applicants expect to enjoy at the Family Recreation & Fun Carnival 09/10?**

Goodies\* given to each family will include complimentary admissions to Wild Wild Wet, Escape Theme Park and other facilities at Downtown East.

Highlights of the day include lucky draw, performances by some of our *Union Fame Awards (UFA) artists\*\**, as well as various games and activities.

A free three-year *nEbO*<sup>^</sup> membership for the (non-working) children of members aged 12 – 21.

*\*The contents of goodies are subjected to changes at the sole discretion of NTUC Club.*

*\*\*The Union Fame Awards (UFA) is a singing competition opened to NTUC union members only.*

*^ nEbO is a lifestyle club for the young, by the young. Membership terms and conditions may apply.*

### **When will the Family Recreation & Fun Carnival 09/10 be held?**

The 6 runs of the Family Recreation & Fun Carnival 09/10 will be held on the following dates:-

- 31<sup>st</sup> May 2009
- 6<sup>th</sup> Jun 2009
- 7<sup>th</sup> Jun 2009
- 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 2009
- 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 2009
- 14<sup>th</sup> Mar 2010

*Applicants are to indicate their order of preference for the above dates on their application forms. Dates allocated are subjected to availability.*

### **How do I get to Downtown East?**

NTUC Club will be providing *FREE*<sup>^^</sup> transportation at designated bus interchanges to ease travel to and from Downtown East.

*^^ subjected to first-come-first-serve basis*

Alternatively, free shuttle bus service to Downtown East is available from 8:45am at Pasir Ris MRT Station. Please log on to [www.ntucclub.com](http://www.ntucclub.com) for the bus schedule.