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SUNWOLVES HOLD SECOND CLINIC FOR THE NEXT GENERATION OF RUGBY PLAYERS



Photo caption: Sunwolves players with the children who attended the rugby clinic at Farrer Park field ahead of the Sunwolves vs Bulls match at the Singapore Sports Hub later today.

Singapore, 26 March 2016 – The HITO-Communications Sunwolves today held a coaching clinic at the Farrer Park field for 30 children mainly from the Japanese Community in Singapore.

The children aged four to 12 had a range of experience, though most were first timers, and the Sunwolves players Derek Carpenter, Tim Bond, Takeshi Kizu, Hiwasa Atsushi and Ziun Gu taught them the basics of passing, penalty conversions and drop kicks.

9-year-old Kiyozaki Ogawa who was attending the clinic for the first time, said, “Rugby is really fun! I didn’t know much about it before but the clinic helped me learn more about the game, and I made many new friends too!”

Sunwolves player, Takeshi Kizu said, “This was a great experience for me. To know that you helped children learn new skills and inspire them is really special to see. The kids were

excited and engaged throughout the entire clinic, and we really saw them improve in just the short amount of time.”

One of the latest additions to Super Rugby, the HITO-Communications Sunwolves are looking forward to an exciting match tonight when they take on South Africa’s Vodacom Bulls at the Singapore Sports Hub.

About the upcoming match:

The HITO-Communications Sunwolves and Vodacom Bulls will go head to head tonight (26 March 2016) at 6.50pm. The curtain raiser between the President’s XV vs World First Premiership Select will begin at 5pm. Tickets are available at www.sportshub.com.sg.

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The Singapore Sports Hub is Singapore's premier sports, entertainment and lifestyle hub with integrated community programming.

Consisting of a unique cluster development of integrated world-class sports facilities within the city, it plays a critical role in accelerating the development of sports industry, excellence and participation, and will take sports to the next level in Singapore.

Located on a 35-hectare site in Kallang, the Singapore Sports Hub includes the following facilities:

- A new 55,000-capacity National Stadium with a retractable roof and movable tiered seating
- The iconic Singapore Indoor Stadium
- A 6,000-capacity OCBC Aquatic Centre that meets FINA standards
- A 3,000-capacity OCBC Arena which is scalable and flexible in layout
- Water Sports Centre featuring kayaking and canoeing
- 41,000 sq m Kallang Wave Mall, including indoor climbing wall and Splash-N-Surf facility (Kids Waterpark, Stingray and Lazy River)
- 100PLUS Promenade that encircles the National Stadium
- Singapore Youth Olympic Museum & Singapore Sports Museum
- Sports Hub Library
- Shimano Cycling World
- Daily community facilities and activities, including beach volleyball, hard courts (futsal, basketball and netball) lawn bowls, giant chess, skate park and running & cycling paths

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