A day of celebrations on Aug 9

Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong's National Day message will be broadcast nationwide.

Because of Covid-19, National Day will be marked differently this year. There will be a small morning parade, a show at night telecast over TV and the Internet, and no live audiences. This is what the day will look like.





Fireworks will be set off at more than 10 sites across the country.



MORNING



AFTERNOON



- A parade featuring 200 participants at the Padang will be reviewed by President Halimah
- There will be flag-raising ceremonies across the country and the singing of the National Anthem.
- Red Lions parachutists will appear at selected heartland locations.



• The mobile column will travel through neighbourhoods.



• The state flag flypast will go to the heartland.



• Six F-15SGs will fly around the island in formation.



There will be a presidential gun salute.



• Singaporeans can take part in National Day activities via pledge cards, cooking activities and an NDP-themed workout.





FUNPACKS

1.2 million

funpacks will be given to each Singaporean and permanent resident household.

- The funpacks are designed by aspiring artists with disabilities and Primary 5 pupils.
- · Items inside include handheld flags and torch filters.



EVENING



- A National Day Show will be held at The Star theatre with about 100 performers. This will be broadcast over TV and the Internet.
- The show will feature uplifting stories of Singaporeans during the pandemic.
- Singaporeans can take part in a virtual choir by submitting a recording of themselves singing a National Day song, to be decided.





• The show will end with a Pledge moment.

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