A NEW EGG-PAINTING RECORD

A total of 726 participants yesterday helped to break the Singapore Book of Records for the Most Number of People Painting Easter Eggs. The record was 375 participants last year.

Ms Ong Poh Yean won the Best Decorated Egg, while Ms Ivy Gui won the Best Decorated Egg in the competition organised by NTUC Club.

The company recently won the tender from the Singapore Land Authority (SLA) to operate the site for about six years. It is now leasing the land from the SLA for more than $3.106 million a month.

Some tenants whom Channel NewsAsia spoke to welcomed the new name and the refurbishment plans.

"The Grandstand’s major customers are going to be families, and a lot of families can then come,” Hansong Korean Family Restaurant owner Mijin Son said.

“They can do their weekly grocery shopping and extra activities like sports, and they can have a relaxed variety of meals. So instead of being a busy shopping centre, this area is going to be better."