



Hawker Centre Closure Checker: Plan Around Cleaning Dates

Description

Use the official hawker-centre closure dataset for the planned date, then verify the latest notice and centre ownership. NEA publishes schedules for MSE-owned centres; HDB-owned centres may be handled by the relevant Town Council. This guide is for a diner, caregiver or stall supplier checking whether a hawker centre will be open on a planned date and resolves one task: find the current closure record, identify the responsible owner and build a backup meal plan. The material claims were checked against [Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset](#) and [NEA hawker announcements](#).

Choose the route that matches your case

Situation	What to do
Centre appears in the dataset	Read all date and remarks fields
Centre is MSE-owned	Verify against the NEA notice
Centre is HDB-owned	Check the named Town Council channel
No row is found	Do not infer that every stall is open; check the operator

Search by exact centre

Centre names can have abbreviations, blocks and punctuation variants. According to [Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition cited here.

Match address or location details before applying a closure row.

Read closure type

Spring cleaning and repair and redecoration can have different duration and scope. According to [NEA hawker announcements](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition

cited here.

A row may cover the whole centre or include remarks that change interpretation.

Check the planned date

A yearly dataset is useful only when the date fields are read correctly. According to [Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition cited here.

Convert any ranges into inclusive calendar dates and record the timezone.

Route by ownership

NEA directs users to its schedule for MSE-owned centres and to Town Councils for HDB-owned centres. According to [NEA hawker announcements](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition cited here.

Save the responsible channel so later updates are checked in the right place.

Plan a genuine alternative

For an older person or family relying on the centre, identify another affordable meal source before the closure day. According to [Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition cited here.

Check distance, opening hours, accessibility and dietary needs.

Respect data freshness

The dataset has a last-updated timestamp and closure plans can change. According to [NEA hawker announcements](#), the controlling detail for this branch is the specific rule or service condition cited here.

Recheck near the visit and contact the centre or owner for a critical delivery.

Run the numbers or sequence

A closure range from 17 to 19 August includes all three dates. A meal plan should name the affected centre, verified owner, closure type, backup location and latest check time.

The calculation or sequence above is an LBRD working example. Replace every example input with the amount, date, access condition or document from your own case. Keep the official rate or threshold beside the working so another person can reproduce the answer.

Build a verification note another person can check

Before acting, create a one-page case note headed with the task, the date checked and the person responsible. Copy only the facts that affect your decision, then attach the statement, booking, application, receipt, map record or screenshot that supplies your own input. This separates a published rule from a personal assumption. If the official page changes, keep the earlier dated record but rework the decision with the live version.

Controlling source	What to verify	What to retain
Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset	2026 closure rows, centre details, dates and remarks.	Record the page date, the exact rule used and the case input it governs.
NEA hawker announcements	Spring-cleaning and repair and redecoration schedules, plus ownership-routing guidance.	Record the page date, the exact rule used and the case input it governs.

Read the source in context, including definitions, exceptions and effective dates. A relevant page is not proof by itself: the cited passage must contain the particular rate, deadline, eligibility condition, access rule or warning used here. Where two official channels appear inconsistent, pause and ask the authority about the exact case rather than choosing the more convenient answer.

Use the guide with its limits

Preparedness is valuable only if the route works in the real building and time window. Test the plan without disrupting equipment or services, give each person a role and update the record when access conditions change.

No interview, personal use, fresh field visit, survey result or price check is claimed unless explicitly stated. Availability, fees and procedures can change. Reopen the linked authority page immediately before payment, travel, filing or emergency use.

Before you act

1. Search exact centre
2. Match address
3. Read all closure dates
4. Check remarks
5. Identify owner
6. Verify latest notice
7. Save a backup food option

Mistakes that change the outcome

- Matching the wrong centre
- Reading only the first date
- Ignoring remarks

- Checking NEA for every ownership type
- Assuming no dataset row means every stall opens

Continue with the relevant LBRD guide

Next, [understand the wider hawker dataset](#). You can also [compare a temporary hawker event](#).

Questions readers ask

Which source controls this decision?

Data.gov.sg hawker closure dataset controls the main rule, with NEA hawker announcements used for the second check.

Can I use the worked example as my final figure?

No. Replace every input with your own dated record and confirm the live rule before acting.

What should I save?

Keep the official page date, your case inputs, the calculation or sequence, and the submission or payment acknowledgement.

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