## Toyohashi "Cheer!" Project Words from Our Athletes Table Tennis, Koji Matsushita

Hello everyone. My name is Koji Matsushita, I serve as the chairman of T.League table tennis.

Due to the spread of the coronavirus, there have been cancellations and postponements in tournaments throughout the sports world, including table tennis.

Our athletes are working hard and doing all that they can during this difficult situation.

I am sure that all of you in Toyohashi have felt the effects of this, and that your daily lives have become more challenging, but I believe that the small steps we are all taking are the key to quickly bringing the coronavirus under control.

Let's all overcome this together, and create a world where we can head outside and enjoy

ourselves.



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Personal History: 4-time consecutive Olympian

- 1992 Barcelona Olympics
- 1996 Atlanta Olympics (Singles top 16, doubles top 8)
- 2000 Sydney Olympics (Singles top 16)
- 2004 Athens Olympics
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   First Professional Table Tennis Player → T.League Chairman