



The annual Pirith Ceremony followed by Sangika Dana was recently held at Musaeus College to commemorate the 84th death anniversary of Founder Principal Marie Musaeus Higgins. Here Ven Galaboda Gnanissara Thera and members of the sangha after chanting Seth Pirith.



A special type of technology to access the Internet using both Sinhala and Tamil languages has been introduced by LK Domain. Presidential Secretariats, ICTA together with Moratuwa University recently. Here Technology and Research Minister Prof Tissa Vitarana launching the Lanka and Ilangal domains at the opening ceremony held at Mount Lavinia Hotel. LK Domain Chairman Rohith Udalgama, CEO Prof. Gihan Dian and ICTA Chairman Prof P W Espasinghe were also present.



A bank account in favour of the Mercy Edirisinghe Rasika Nivahana of Sri Lanka was recently opened at the People's Bank Headquarters branch. Here People's Bank Headquarters Branch Manager K A Lakshman handing over the savings account book to Executive Director of Mercy Edirisinghe Rasika Nivahana of Sri Lanka Kalabhoshana Mercy Edirisinghe. Coordinating Secretary Dramatisi E D Sriyapala, People's Bank Headquarters branch Operation Manager P P de Silva and Deputy Manager Anura Attygalla are also in the picture. The Mercy Edirisinghe Rasika Nivahana of Sri Lanka can be contacted on 0777476277 or 0718112895.



New President of the Colombo West Lions Club Ashraf Husain assumed duties as Colombo West Lions Club President before former Lions Club Governor Neil Seneviratne.



A Pirith Pinkama was held at the Drive Green Vehicle Emission Testing Centre's Kiribathgoda branch on July 17 to mark its second anniversary. Here General Manager of the centre Joel Peter, Director Huzefa Akabarally and Operation Manager Suran Perera with Branch Manager Shirani Upul Nilantha listening to the Pirith chanting. Picture by Roshan Pittipane



Athaj Mowlavi M.C. Hasbullah A. Cader, President of the Shariah Council of Sri Lanka, Director of Al Bahjathul. Ibraheemiyah Arabic College, Galle. Honorary Member of Jaamiya Azeziya Arabic College of Viridoda Puttalam, Quazi of Negombo delivering the welcome address at the World Peace Conference held in Colombo. At the Head Table Minister Prof. G.L. Peiris and distinguished guests Seyyed Umar Jalilany Mowlana and Vice Chancellor of the Islamic University of Yemen and Dr Deen Muhammed of Qatar University and Western Province Governor Alavi Mowlana.



The 21st commemoration of former TULF General Secretary and former Opposition Leader late Appapillai Amirthalingam was held at the Vavuniya Urban Council. Here Jafna MP Maval Senathiraja garlanding the portrait of Amirthalingam. Picture by T. Vivekarasa, Vavuniya Spl. Corr.



North Central Province Governor Karunaratne Divulgane feted Deputy Irrigation and Water Resources Minister SM Chandrasena who was the recipient of the 'Swarna Thilina Award'. Here JRP Suriyapperuma, MP lighting the traditional oil lamp. Picture by Walter Dayaratne Anuradhapura District Special Corr.

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Sri Lanka Indonesia Friendship Association

The Sri Lanka Indonesia Friendship Association held their 18th Annual General Meeting recently at the Premises of the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in the presence of the Patron Ambassador for the Republic of Indonesia Djafar Husen.

The following Office Bearers were elected for the year 2010 - 2011

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Higher Education Minister S B Dissanayake recently unveiled a plaque for a new library building at the South Eastern University. The new library building is to cost Rs 200 million. South Eastern University Vice Chancellor Dr S M Ismail was also present. Picture by M S M Haniffa, Okuvil Special Corr.

