

Pictorial

Eclipse Miss Sri Lanka and Mr. Sri Lanka Glorya and Gobi SUNDAY OBSERVER Popular Poll winners



Miss Earth 2011 Olga Alava Vargas

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The Sunday Observer Editor-in-Chief Dinesh Weerawansa crowns the Model of the World - Sri Lanka Tammy Roberts



Mr. Western Province Anuraj Surendran and Miss Western Province Chaturika Ariyawansa receives the trophies from Myrna Alterado, the International Franchise Director



The Sunday Observer Most Popular Contestant, Miss Sri Lanka 2012 Glorya Noel and the Sunday Observer Most Popular Contestant Mr. Sri Lanka 2012 Gobikrishna Rajendra receives the air tickets and trophies from the Sunday Observer Editor-in-Chief Dinesh Weerawansa



Amidst much pomp and glamour the pageant for five world titles unfolded at the Galle Face Hotel last Sunday. The show was presented by Studio 9 International. The Mayor of Kandy Mahindra Ratwate and Mrs. Pia Ratwate were the special guests of honour, and also the Editor-in-Chief Sunday Observer Dinesh Weerawansa.

The celebrity guest was Miss Earth 2011 Olga Alava Vargas from Ecuador.

The show commenced with Miss Earth 2011's dramatic entrance to the hall accompanied by Sri Lankan mask dancers. She was dressed in an improvised version of a saree in black tissue painted with blue araliya flowers which were given further accent

by Ramzi Rahman's hairdo for her. A colourful ethnic parade followed Miss Earth 2011 featuring the competitors from the 5 provinces.

They moved on to the stage to sing the National Anthem to highlight the theme One Voice One Nation. With a burst of fire simulators the 10 princes in Calvin Klein swimwear danced in tempo, on to the stage followed by the princesses in Swim wear in shades of blue.

More clothes display followed - there was the formal wear, designer wear and elegant gowns interspersed by entertainment by Phillipino singer Kaycee Santiago.

Came along question time and all competitors were

pre-judged on a one on one interview with the eight judges. The panel comprised Olga Alava Vargas, Lulu Hilmy, Karen Whyte, Myrna Alterado, Nimal Pieris, Thakshila Hulangamuwa, Sinnathamby, Annadurai and Elvis Joseph.

The top five were ushered in by singer Monique. The Sunday Observer Most Popular Contestant title was won by Gobikrishna Rajendra Mr Sri Lanka 2012 and Glorya Noel Miss Sri Lanka 2012. Eclipse Miss Sri Lanka and Mr. Sri Lanka was presented by Studio 9 International with Supreme Orchid, Sunday Observer, Rupavahini, Real Radio, Tongoi Beauty Parlour, FUJI 168 Sea Food Palace, D&A Eternal Style and Fitness Health Kingdom.



Miss Earth 2011 Olga Alava Vargas ushered in from the entrance by fire and mask dancers



Former Miss Sri Lanka Sushila Gunasekera presents a bouquet to Miss Earth 2011 Olga Alava Vargas



Mr. Northern Province Gobikrishna Rajendra receives the trophy from Sinnathamby Annadurai.



The C.E.O. Hayleys Consumer Products, Bimal Silva presents an album containing pictures of her visit to Miss Earth 2011 with the compliments of FUJI



Panel of Judges L-R: Myrna Alterado, Lulu Hilmy, Olga Alava Vargas and Karen Whyte



Panel of Judges L-R: Sinnathamby Annadurai, Nimal Pieris, Thakshila Hulangamuwa and Elvis Joseph

Final Vote Count

Miss Sri Lanka - 2012

Glorya Noel	21,054
Anne Bernard	19,813
Shiromi Baptist	18,688
Chaturika Ariyawansa	12,711
Achala Aluthewage	11,309
Poojani Wakiragala	8,122
Dilhara Weerasinghe	5,106

Mr. Sri Lanka - 2012

Gobikrishna Rajendra	25,104
Kushan Srinath	23,433
Chanaka Masillamany	22,398
Surenujan Sukumar	15,866
Mohan Wickramasooriya	14,901
Jake Senarathne	10,002
Shanaka Casiechetty	8,611
Anuraj Surendran	6,877



Northern Province contenders



Central Province contenders