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President Mahinda Rajapaksa takes part in the traditional oil anointing ceremony at the Ganemulla Kosinne Yatawatte Raja Maha Vihara.



President Rajapaksa takes part in the oil anointing ceremony.



President Rajapaksa makes a symbolic presentation of land deeds to 5,500 residents of the Mahaweli B and C zones at a ceremony held at the Mahaweli Sports complex in Girandurukotte.



Prime Minister D.M. Jayaratne offers a sheaf of betel to President Rajapaksa.



President Rajapaksa inaugurates the Mahindodaya laboratory of the Girandurukotte Madya Maha Vidyalaya



President Rajapaksa feeds milk rice to Defence Secretary Gota-baya Rajapaksa.



President Rajapaksa and First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa with their sons MP Namal Rajapaksa, Lieutenant Yoshitha Rajapaksa and Rohitha Rajapaksa



President Rajapaksa and the First Lady light the traditional oil lamp



President Rajapaksa feeds his eldest son parliamentarian Namal Rajapaksa.



The First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa feeds milk rice to President Rajapaksa



The President feeds his youngest son Rohitha Rajapaksa



President Rajapaksa feeds his son Lieutenant Yoshitha Rajapaksa.



President Rajapaksa feeds milk rice to First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa



The Mahurath ulela of the film, Senkadagala Rajasinghe was held under the patronage of President Rajapaksa at the Presidents House in Kandy.



The People's Bank Tangalle branch celebrates the Sinhala and Hindu New Year under the patronage of President Rajapaksa.