## **SUNDAY OBSERVER** Print Media Partner

## Ms. Lanka 2014, 'Beauty for a Cause'



Ms. Lanka 2013 contestants for Ms. Elegance mini title

## Encouraging response to applications

he Ms Lanka Beauty pageant is open to ladies of any marital status between the ages of 18-29 years. Please fill the Coupon and send it to the organisers – Technique International (Pvt) Ltd, to the address given in the application form.

Each year the Ms. Lanka Beauty Pageant supports projects to help those in need. Organised by Technique International it is now in its 20th year, and each year the organisers have chosen various projects to uplift the lives of women and children. Some of which are listed:-

- Proceeds to Dayamina the Mentally retarded children's vocational centre
- Assisted in Pipene Kusum' a project of "Peace"
- Training differently abled (deaf persons) in hair dressing and setting up a salon at Ratmalana deaf school.
- ▲ A bakery at the Vajira Home for children.
- ▲ Talking book library for the Sri Lanka Federation of the visually handicapped.
- ▲ Built a development centre for women in Batticaloa.
- Setup a fund to uphold the health of the "women's Wing" of the Sri Lanka Federation of the visually handicapped.
- With the Lions Club of Colombo Park Circle built Canteen
- and Toilet Facilities for Kattakaduwa Maha Vidyalaya, Ranna, Hambantota district.
- ▲ Multimedia equipment and screens for low vision students of the deaf and blind school Ratmalana.
- Proceeds of the show donated to The National Health Development fund.
- Proceeds to Lady Ridgeway Hospital for the purchase of a Tono pen XL, the equipment required to measure the pressure in the infant's eyes.
- ▲ Improve facilities of the elders home for the blind in Ambalantota
- ▲ Scholarship for Vocational

- Training were given to the students who had talent and deserving support.
- Nuffield Deaf & Blind school, Kaithady, Jaffna (students welfare & Samp; Requirements for Education of the Blind), and Self – employment project for the Sri Lanka Federation of Visually Handicapped
- ▲ To support of Education / Vocational Training a Residential Workshop for Visually Handicapped women to Promote Interaction between South-North-East on Education, Leadership Training, Hygiene, Culture, Home Management and Social Graces
- ▲ 4 scholarships to students from Nuffield Deaf School, Kaithady, Jaffna
- ▲ Modern Education Equipment provided to "Dayamina" the center for the mentally retarded children. Sewing machine from 'Singer', Computer from 'Soft Logic', Photocopy machine and multimedia projector from 'Brown & Dayamp; Co.

Sunday Observer is the official print media sponsor, and those who over the years sponsored us have confirmed their support-Sterling Flowers, Asian Fabrics "aditi" designs, Damayanthi Beauty Centre, Twinza fashions, Studio B7 and Pico events.



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IN ASSOCIATION WITH SUNDAY OBSERVER
Name:
Address:
Tel No:
Date of Birth:
Rules & Regulations
<ul> <li>Age 18 yrs-28 yrs</li> <li>Any marital status (married/unmarried)</li> <li>Be a citizen of Sri Lanka</li> </ul>
Closing Date: 30th September 2014
I agree to abide by the rules of the competition.
Signature: (Please send a recent photograph and copy of the National Identity Card)
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