

# Reason to smile



The premier of veteran film actor turned director Sanath Gunathilaka's second movie 'Sinahawa Atharin' was held at the Liberty Cinema Hall, Kollupitiya on April 30, with a gathering of friends, fans and fellow thespians.

Gunathilaka, like many of the actor-turned-directors, plays the lead role in the movie that revolves around love and loss and betrayal. The rest of the cast include Semini Iddamalagoda, Kris Henri, Hashini Gonagala and Jayani Senanayake. Based on a story related by Chaminda Perera and scripted by Gunathilaka, it is produced by Sunil T. Fernando, with music by Nirosha Viragini and edited by Nanda Jayakody. Sujith Nishantha is director of photography while colour separation was done by Anada Bandara.

Pictured here are some of the memorable moments of the premier.



## Synopsis of the movie

Kumari marries Richard after a long standing love affair. But when Richard gets lost in his Phd preparation, Kumari feels neglected. She yawns for his love and his company not the luxuries he has provided for her. Her loneliness leads her to Wimal, has been a famous stage actor. Kumari had watched all his dramas when she was schooling. They commence a friendship which eventually turns to love. However, when she gets with child and informs Wimal of the pregnancy, he becomes unhappy and angry. Kumari is hurt by his reaction and what ensues is what 'Sinahawa Atharin' is all about.

