

Ms Elegance - who will she be?



Nilushi Madurangi



Nayomi Ranjani



Aparna Kottachi



Sasika Chamari



Anupama Gunasekera



Melita Fernando



Ruchira Nirmani



Kherishma Selvaratnam



Cherryl Andrea



Dilini Nisansala



Chandini Damayanthi



Tarini Tissera



Udarika Kasunhara



Samannalee Owen



Inoshika Madhuwasanthi



Sanjana Pieris

Most Popular Contestant

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They say that you may be blessed with beauty but what is important is that you must know how to carry off your beauty to enhance your image. Another significant aspect connected with your beau-

ty is the over all elegance you project that impresses the beholder.

And these maxims must have guided the contestants who competed in the Ms Elegance mini contest which was worked off on October 4 at the SLECC. The competition was keenly contested by the seventeen participants each one trying to out do the other, in their fashionable outfits. The panel at judges comprised Shayana Senevirathne Ms Lanka 2007, Srina Ranasinghe, Dr. H. V. Gamunu Dias, Sanduni Tharaka - Ms Lanka 2008,

and Thanju Haputhanthri - Project Manager soft logic. They had it tough job on their hands!

The Parade of the contestants was choreographed by Jith Peris assisted by Nirmla Dassanayake. The make up and hair style were by Nirmla Dassanayake assisted by Mary Pieris, Lakdu Ambepitaya and Ishanka Abeygunawardena. The results of the Mini titles Ms Designer and Ms Catwalk will be published in the weeks to come. Ms Lanka 2009 - Beauty for a Cause has gained in popularity over the years and is presented by Technique International in association with the Sunday Observer, Sri Lanka's English Newspaper with the largest circulation, supported by the Ceylon Continental Hotel, TNL Radio, Sterling Flowers and soft logic. Just two weeks more for the excitement to heighten so keep voting for the most popular contestant. The coupon appears on this page.

The eagerly awaited finals at Ms. Lanka 2009 will be a glitz affair in all its splendour, and will be held on **November 1, at the Ceylon Continental Hotel, Dinner tickets will be available at Technozone, Independence, 11/1 Horton Place, Colombo 7, (Tel 2688787) Sterling flowers, St. Antho-**



Panel of judges

Voting - Most Popular Contestant

	Votes	Votes
Aparna Kottachi	3,420	Anupama G. - 697
Nilushi Madurangi	2,801	Dilini Nisansala- 471
Melita Fernando-	2,514	Sanjana Pieris- 431
Tarini Tissera -	2,309	Dulanjali T. - 378
Ruchira Nirmani -	858	Samannalee Owen- 259
Kherishma S. -	840	Nayomi Ranjani - 358
Udarika Kasunhara -	743	Susan Stork- 300
Susan Stork-	720	Sathya Rukmal - 300