



# The Lyceumer

WATTALA & KANDANA (LW - LK 248B)

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## 24<sup>th</sup> Founder's Day Celebration on 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2017

**"Education is a better safeguard of liberty than a standing army"**

- Edward Everette



Message from the  
Founder & the Coordinating Principal

We are excited to be celebrating the 24th Founder's day of Lyceum International School. Since 1993 this school has been brought up to the impeccable standard it is today, with sheer determination and faith.

Every day when we walk into school, we feel a sense of honor, delight and a sacred responsibility. The children we serve are in the most influential period of growth and development in their lives. To be able to touch their development at such a fundamental level is something we take very seriously.

This year is the largest it has ever been with over 18,000 students. The networks of Lyceum schools are stretched out to various parts of Sri Lanka with branches in Nugegoda, Kandana, Panadura, Wattala, Rathnapura, Gampaha, Nuwara Eliya, Anuradhapura and Kurunegala.

Our students have given outstanding performances in the National and Cambridge Examinations. A considerable number of students have achieved world best and island best places in both O/L and A/L Cambridge and top places in the National A/L Examination where some have entered the National Universities.

It is a privilege to serve the children in our community. We are grateful for the acceptance and enthusiastic participation that has been and continues to be given by all those who support us today. We look forward to continuously improving our standards for generations to come.



Lyceum Wattala celebrated the 24<sup>th</sup> Founder's Day on 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017. Members of the Academic Staff and Non Academic Staff who have completed 15, 10 and 5 years were presented awards in appreciation of their services, from the Management.

**Dear Members of Staff, My dear Students and Parents,**

We would like to extend the following messages to you, this 24th Founder's Day:

"Live your life to the fullest." "Always do the correct thing."

"Have loving kindness and compassion to all."

"Never keep grudges, even with the person whom you feel is your worst enemy."

"Remember time solves all problems." "Nobody can hurt you without your permission."

"Always have a smile, even when your heart is heavy sometimes."

"Spread that special light which is unique to you."

"Do not try to imitate another. Be yourself and be true to yourself."

"Listen to your heart." "Follow all life's rules."

"Be Happy."

"Happiness is a perfume you cannot sprinkle on others without getting a few drops on yourself."

MR & MRS MOHAN LAL GRERO - FOUNDER & COORDINATING PRINCIPAL

**Activities in July & August 2017**

- 02.07.2017 - Concert Pre Grade to Grade 3 (Kandana Branch)
- 06.07.2017 - Concert Rehearsal Nursery
- 07.07.2017 - Junior Inter House Debating Finals
- 09.07.2017 - Inter House Badminton Tournament
- 10.07.2017 - Concert Rehearsal Pre Grade
- 15.07.2017 - Concert Nursery (Kandana Branch)
- 18.07.2017 - Second Semester Exam Grades 9N, 10N
- 19.07.2017 - Second Semester Exam Grades 9, 10N, 11N Concert PG Day 1
- 20.07.2017 - Second Semester Exam Grades 6 to 9, 10N & 11 Concert Pre Grade Day 2
- 21.07.2017 - Second Semester Grades 1 to 9, 10N, 11 Concert Nursery Day 1
- 22.07.2017 - Concert Nursery Day 2
- 24.07.2017 - } Second Semester Exam Grade 1 to 9,
- 25.07.2017 - } 10N, 11
- 26.07.2017 - }
- 27.07.2017 - Grade 1 Graduation Day
- 28.07.2017 - Grade 2 Graduation Day
- 29.07.2017 - }
- 30.07.2017 - } Inter House Basketball Tournament
- 01.08.2017 - Graduation Day Grade 3
- 02.08.2017 - Graduation Day Grade 4
- 03.08.2017 - Graduation Day Grade 5
- 04.08.2017 - School Closes

**UNDER 13 INTER INTERNATIONAL NETBALL TOURNAMENT 2017**

Date : 27<sup>th</sup> May 2017  
 Venue : Sports Ministry Netball Courts, Colombo 7  
 Age Group : Under 13  
 Organized by : Leighton Park International School

**WE WON THE 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE IN THE TOURNAMENT**

**Team Members**

Ransi Heenkenda (C), Dehemi Ruwansiri, Shayani De Silva, Susan Senaratne, Melania Perera, Hiruni Amaya, Sinadhi Silva, Chethana Kavindee, Nilupuli Pahansarani, Maria Feranano, Amasha Rathnayake, Aimee Bernard

**1<sup>st</sup> Match**

Lyceum Wattala vs Asian International School  
 04 01

**2<sup>nd</sup> Match**

Lyceum Wattala vs Gateway College Kandy  
 06 03

**Quarter Final**

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Nicholas  
 05 00

**Semi Final**

Lyceum Wattala vs Gateway College, Colomco  
 03 04

**Final**

Lyceum Wattala vs Lyceum Panadura  
 05 03

**Special Awards :**

Best Centre Court Player – Ransi Heenkenda

**Inter School House Cup 2017**

The inaugural Inter School House Cup drama competition organized by Cold Theater Se7ven, was held on the 04<sup>th</sup> of June 2017, at the British School Auditorium.

The Lyceum Wattala drama troupe which took part in the above competition won the following special awards:

- Best Supporting Actress - Theruni Galagedara
- Best Supporting Actor - Ranish Kromodoyo
- Best Backstage Manager - Jonathan Anthony
- Best Choreography - Mr. Usitha Ranathunga
- Best Lighting & Special Effects - Mr. Usitha Ranathunga
- Best Make up - Mr. Sudharshana Bandara

Competing against Ananda, Royal and St. Joseph's Colleges, the Lyceumites staged a powerful rendition of Shakespeare's 'Macbeth'. The Competition was a great opportunity for the young Lyceum actors and actresses to hone their theatrical skills.

**Religious Day Programme Grades 3 to 5**

The Buddhist, Catholic, Islam, Hindu and the Christian students of Grades 3 to 5 participated in religious activities on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2017 from 8.00a.m. to 12.30p.m.

**Parent - Teacher Day**

Parent - Teacher Day for the Third Term was held on the 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> June 2017 from 7.45a.m. to 4.30p.m We thank all the parents who were present on this day.

**"Singithi Salpila"  
Grade 1**

Students of Grade 1 had their Annual "Singithi Salpila" on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2017 as a Maths Project. The students were able to apply their mathematical knowledge while enjoying the interactive session. We thank all parents who supported this event.





# KELANIYA ZONAL ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIP 2017



Date: 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> May & 6<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Venue: St. Anthony's College Ground Wattala

**Lyceum International School Wattala won the Boys & Girls Overall Athletic Championship and the total overall championship of this meet.**

**Number of places obtained: 1<sup>st</sup> Place : 54 (Boys – 28 , Girls – 26)**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place : 26 (Boys – 09 , Girls – 17) / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place : 20 (Boys – 14, Girls – 06)**

## Under 12 Boys

Dewnila Wickremaarachchi	HJ	1(1.25m)
Chulaka Thillakaratne	100m	1(15.21s)
	LJ	3(3.82m)
	HJ	3(1.23)
Damiru Mendis	60m	MERIT(9.21s)
Dewnila Wickremaarachchi	} 4x50m	1(30.03s)
Chulaka Thilakaratne		
Damiru Mendis		
Eshan Rodrigo		

## Under 14 Boys

Kashmir Punchihewa	100m	1(13.69s)
Sanithu Vivan Lakvindu	LJ	Merit(4.28m)
Nishal Nawgalage	LJ	3(4.47m)
Abikkshan Balachandran	HJ	1(1.50m)
Jerril Phillips	SP	1(10.17m)
Kashmir Punchihewa	} 4x100m	3
Sanithu Vivan Lakvindu		
Nishal Nawgalage		
Anuk Perera		

## Under 16 Boys

Ravindu Samaranyake	100MH	3
Navin Perera	{ 200m	2(23.95)
	{ 400m	3
Linuka Rathnapriya	HJ	2 (1.55m)
Vishmitha Perera	DIS	3(32.94m)

## Under 18 Boys

Kamalraj Elroy	{ 100m	1(11.80s)
	{ 200m	3(24.03)
	{ LJ	1(6.29)
Adeesha Adikariarachchige	400MH	2
Piyumika Weerathisum	200m	1(23.01s)
Lahiru Krishan	{ 800m	1(2.05.46s)
	{ 1500m	1
Kisandu Warnakulasooriya	HJ	3(1.57m)
Sandun K Kumara	{ TJ	1(13.26m)
	{ LJ	2(5.98m)
Iman Jayaweera	DIS	2(25.95m)
Dihan Dissanayake	JAV	1(38.03m)
Vikash Kannan	JAV	3(37.62m)
Kamalraj Elroy	} 4x100m	1
Piyumika Weerathisum		
Adeesha Adikariarachchige		
Abishek Amarasinghe		
Adeesha Adikariarachchige	} 4x100m	3(3.49s)
Anushka Madushan		
Lahiru Krishan		
Sandun K Kumara		

## Under 12 Girls

Shenali Bastian	{ 100m	1(15.25s)
	{ LJ	1(3.99m)
	{ 60m	3(9.37s)
Akshatha Balachandran	HJ	Merit(1.10m)
Shanaya Wijesinghe	HJ	Merit(1.10m)
Sehanya Jayasinghe	60m	Merit(9.69s)
Shenali Bastian	} 4x50m	2(33.23s)
Sehanya Jayasinghe		
Akshatha Balachandran		
Shanaya Wijesinghe		

## Under 14 Girls

Shenali Fernando	{ HJ	2(1.22m)
	{ 100m	3(14.26s)
Onaya Geeganage	{ LJ	2(4.03m)
	{ 100m	Merit(14.79s)
Shenadi Raddalgoda	SP	2(6.11m)
Senaya Perera	80m	Merit(12.01)
Shenali Fernando	} 4x100m	4
Onaya Geeganage		
Senaya Geeganage		
Anangi Elwitigala		

## Under 16 Girls

Himasha Fernando	{ 100m	1(12.93s)
	{ 200m	1(27.07s)
Sanduni Muthukumarana	{ 200m	2(27.68s)
	{ LJ	1(4.46m)
Imashi Weerakkody	HJ	1(1.40m)
Poornima Perera	{ DIS	1(29.12m)
	{ SP	1(9.19m)
Disini Rathnayake	SP	3(7.27m)
Himasha Fernando	} 4x100m	1
Sanduni Muthukumarana		
Chithara Wickramasinghe		
Sithumini Soysa	} 4x400m	2(4.43.35s)
Himasha Fernando		
Sanduni Muthukumarana		
Chithara Wickramasinghe		
Sithumini Soysa		

## Report Cards

Please note that, students have to hand over their report cards to the class teacher on or before 07<sup>th</sup> of July 2017, Report should be completed with the parents' signature.

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Date: 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> May & 6<sup>th</sup> June 2017

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**Under 20 Boys**

Shem Domeeniyas	{ LJ	2(6.24m)	
	{ TJ	2(12.81m)	
Dilshan K Dias	JAV	2(47.86m)	
Ruvinda Perera	JAV	1(49.69m)	
Sanjaya P Ranaweera	{ 110MH	1	
	{ 400MH	1	
Shamil Madushanka	{ LJ	1(6.26m)	
	{ TJ	1(12.82m)	
Chamindu Prabath	{ 100m	1(11.30s)	
	{ 200m	1(23.17s)	
Kavindu Rajakaruna	{ 100m	2(11.41s)	
	{ 200m	2(23.43s)	
Malinda Maduranga	800m	1(2.09.14)	
Sapna Senarathne	HJ	1(1.80m)	
W S Dhananjaya	{ DIS	1(29.68m)	
	{ SP	1(11.52m)	
Kasun Wanigasekara	{ LJ	3(5.91m)	
	{ TJ	3(12.34m)	
	{ HJ	3	
Gayan T Bandara	1500m	1(4.25.03s)	
Shem Domeeniyas	}	4x100m	1
Shamil Madushanka			
Kavindu Rajakaruna			
Chamindu Prabath			
Gayan Tharuka Bandara	}	4x400m	1(3.39.33s)
Sanjaya P Ranaweera			
Chamindu Prabath			
Kasun Wanigasekara			

**Under 18 Girls**

Dewmini Kudavithanage	{ 800m	2(3.00.27s)	
	{ 1500m	1	
Kaushalya Edirisuriya	{ 100MH	1	
	{ 400MH	1	
Dezary Ilagan	{ TJ	1(9.60m)	
	{ 100MH	3	
Nipuni Nimasha	LJ	1(4.69m)	
Navodya Perera	{ SP	1(9.09m)	
	{ DIS	2(21.47m)	
Harini Senadheera	{ 100m	2(13.52s)	
	{ 200m	2(28.46s)	
	{ 100MH	2	
Sayuni Mendis	1500m	4	
Rashmi Heenkenda	{ DIS	1(27.43m)	
	{ SP	2(8.85m)	
Dewmini Kudavithage	}	4x100m	1
Harini Senadheera			
Kaushalya Edirisuriya			
Nipuni Nimasha			
Dewmini Kudavithage	}	4x400m	1(4.48.69s)
Harini Senadheera			
Kaushalya Edirisuriya			
Dezary Ilagan			

**Under 20 Girls**

Maheshi Gunasena	{ 400m	1(28.26s)	
	{ 400m	1	
	{ 100MH	1	
Mahesha Rajapaksha	{ 100m	2(14.31s)	
	{ 200m	2(29.50s)	
	{ 400m	2	
Divyanjali Gunawardena	{ LJ	3(4.31m)	
	{ TJ	3(9.33m)	
Dimuthu Sandunika	{ LJ	2(4.45m)	
	{ TJ	2(9.85m)	
	{ HJ	1	
Krishmitha Maniwannan	{ DIS	1(20.33m)	
	{ JAV	1(24.44m)	
	{ SP	2(6.86m)	
Maheshi Gunasena	}	4x100m	1
Mahesha Rajapaksha			
Divyanjali Gunawardena			
Dimuthu Sandunika			
Maheshi Gunasena	}	4x400m	1(4.45.04)
Mahesha Rajapaksha			
Divyanjali Gunawardena			
Dimuthu Sandunika			

### Swimming Semester Exams and Inter House Swimming Championship Selections.

\* Grades 1 - 5 3<sup>rd</sup> July to 14<sup>th</sup> July During school Swimming Periods

**\* Learn to Swim**

Grades 6 - 12 Girls 3<sup>rd</sup> July and 10<sup>th</sup> July 3.30pm - 4.30 pm

Grades 6 - 12 Boys 6<sup>th</sup> July and 13<sup>th</sup> July 2.30pm - 3.30pm

**\* Special Class**

Grades 6 - 12 5<sup>th</sup> July and 7<sup>th</sup> July 3.30pm - 4.30pm

All after school practices are compulsory from 3<sup>rd</sup> July to 20<sup>th</sup> July due to Inter House Selections.

**IMPORTANT**

Mobile phones, once confiscated from students, will not be returned. Please note that radios, tape recorders, walkmans, cameras, toys, laser pointers, video cameras, mobile phones, ipods, tablets (eg. ipad), or any other similar electronic devices are strictly prohibited in the school premises, during any school excursion, school concerts or any other school activity. This rule applies to all students regardless of them being dressed in school uniform or other attire (formal or informal) Parents are requested to discourage their children from going to parties, dances, discotheques, etc. It is strongly believed that smoking, the consumption of liquor and drugs, the starting of love affairs, unruly behaviour and the wearing of revealing clothes begin at such events. If any parent / student receives information of such an event and that students of Lyceum International School will be attending it, the school authorities should be informed immediately.

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