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(2) Anandians who have reached Academic Excellence

Prof. Patuwatawithana	Vice Chancellor of Moratuwa University in early 80s and was assassinated while in office during 1989 disturbances
Prof Gunatilleke	The first VC of Open University in early 80s
Prof.J.E Jayasooriya	Served as Professor in Economics at the Vidyalkara University(now Kelaniya University)
Prof. O.H.D.A.Wijesekera	Served as Professor of Sanskrit and later as Vice Chancellor of the University of Ceylon,Colombo
Prof.D.E. Hettiarachchi	Served as Professor of Sinhala at the University of Colombo
Prof. A.V De S. Indraratne-	Served as Professor of Economics, University of Ceylon, Colombo
Prof. K. Rajasooriya	Served as Professor of Medicine, Faculty of MedicineUniversity of Ceylon, Colombo in mid 1960s
Prof.D.A Ranasinghe	Served as Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ceylon, Colombo In mid 1960s
Prof. Epasinghe	Professor of Mathematics, Faculty of Science, University of Colombo. Also served as Dean of the Faculty
Prof. R.N De Fonseka	Served as Professor of Botany, Faculty of Science, University of Ceylon, Colombo

Prof. L.M.V.Tillekeratne	Served as Professor of Chemistry, Faculty of Science, University of Colombo. Also served as Dean of the Faculty and as Acting Vice Chancellor .Now serving as Professor in Medicinal Chemistry at the University of Toledo,Ohio,USA
Prof.Saroj Jayasinghe Prof Harsha Seneviratne	Professor of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine University of Colombo Currently, Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo Also Dean of the Faculty
Prof Ravindra Fernando	Professor of Forensic Medicine, Faculty of Medicine University of Colombo
Prof. Krishantha Weerasooriya	served as Professor of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
Prof.J. B.Dissanayake Prof. Ariyatileke	Professor of Sinhala, Faculty of Social Sciences University of Colombo Served as Professor of Sinhala, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Colombo Also Dean of the Faculty and Vice Chancellor, University of Colombo
Prof. Anuradha Seneviratne	Professor of Sinhala, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Peradeniya
Prof. I.U.A.N Gunatilleke	Served as Professor of Botany, Faculty of Science University of Peradeniya
Prof. Tissa Abeysuriya Prof. Wathugala	A Professor in the Engineering Section, Open University of Ceylon Served as Professor of Mechanical Engineering University of Moratuwa, Katubedde
Prof. Gamini Abeysuriya	Served as a Professor at the Faculty of Engineering, University of Peradeniya
Prof. Gunatilleke	Professor of Electronics, Faculty of Engineering Open University of Sri Lanka
Prof. Harendra de Silva	Currently, the Professor of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya, Ragama
Prof. Sudharshan Seneviratne Dr.E.W Adikaram	Served as Professor of Archaeology, University of Peradeniya University A great Philosopher
Dr. Wickremabahu Karunaratne	A former Lecturer on Electronics at Peradeniya University & the Leader of Nava Samsamaja Party
Prof W.S. Karunaratne	Served as Professor of Buddhist Philosophy & Comparative Religion at Peradeniya University. Also serves as Dean, Faculty of Arts and as a member of The Board of regents of University of Sri Lanka
Prof.Charles Dahanayake Mr.L.H.Sumanadasa	Served as Professor of Physics at the Vidyalankara University Served as Dean of the Faculty of Engineering at Katubedde, in it's inception
Prof.J.G.C.Chandrasena	Served as Professor of Chemistry at the Ceylon University College

We are in the process of updating all other sectors - September 12, 2010

(3) Anandians who held top Judicial Positions & became Legal Luminaries

Justice Arthur Wijewardene	Served as first SriLankan Chief Justice He was an Old Boy of Ananda College up to Cambridge Junior, when he shifted school
Justice G.P.A de Silva	Served as Chief Justice . He was the Senior Pusine Judge for many years
Justice S.R.Wijayatillake	Served as a Judge of the Supreme Court
Justice V Sivasupramaniam	Served as a Judge of the Supreme court
V. Mr L.B.T. Premaratne	Served as Acting Attorney General He died of a heart attack while he was Acting AG. He was the first Judicial officer to address the Jury in Sinhala, in the Coup trial of 1968
Justice Athukorala	Served as a Judge of the Supreme Court Also served as Acting Chief Justice
Justice Tissa Ekanayake	Served as a High Court Judge
Mr Siva Pasupathy	Served as Attorney General
Sir, Lalitha Rajapakse	A prominent Lawyer, later served as a Senator
Mr Gomin Dayasiri	A President's Counsel, active in the Private Bar
Mr Yasantha Kodagoda	Currently a Deputy Solicitor General, Attorney General's Dept. Has headed a few Commissions of inquiry against Politicians
Mr Palitha Weerasinghe	Was a District Court Judge He was the Secretary of YMBA and Editor of the quarterly journal " The Buddhist ".He was Clerk to the Senate until that was abolished with the adoption of the 1972 Republican Constitution. Thereafter, he served as the Asst Secretary General, Commonwealth Parliamentary Association.
Mr Sam Wijesinghe	Had his early education at Ananda before he joined St Thomas' College. He served as the Clerk to the Parliament till 1972 and thereafter as Secretary General of Parliament with the adoption of 1972 Republican Constitution
Mr Manohara de Silva	A Presidents Counsel since 2009 and a leading Defense lawyer in the Supreme Court
Justice Sri Skandarajah	served as a Judge of the Supreme Court
Justice K.D.de Silva	Served as a Judge of the Supreme Court
Mr.L.H.R.Pieris	Served as Secretary to the Ministry of Justice

In the height of the Civil War in Burma, a country with majority of the population Theravada Buddhists, several students were brought to Sri Lanka and given free education at Ananda under the guidance of then Principal, late Mr P.de S.Kularatne. One of them became the Attorney General of Burma at a later date.

(4) Anandians who reached the pinnacle in Politics

Mr Ratnasiri Wickremanayake	Served as Prime Minister for 2 Terms .TheThe second term ended in July,2010
Dr N.M Perera	Founder Leader of Lanka Sansamja PartyLeader of the Opposition from 1956 to1959Served as Finance Minister from 1970 toTo 1977
Mr Phillip Gunawardene	Served as Minister of Agriculture in 1956 Cabinet & Minister of Fisheries .in1965 Cabinet He was popularly known as father of Marxism in Sri Lanka & Boralugoda Singhaya.
Mr Robert Gunawardene	A brother of Mr Phillip Gunawardene A former member of Parliament for Kottawa
Dr S.A Wickremasinghe	Hailed from Akuressa in Matara District Founder Leader of Lanka Communist party Served a Minister of Health in 1970 Cabinet
Mr I.M.R.A.Iriyagolle	A revolutionary politician.Served as Minister of Education in 1965 Cabinet
Mr Athulathmudali(Senior)	Hailed from Agalawatte. A member of State Council before Independence Served as a Minister Father of Late Mr Lalith Athulathmudali
Mr Dharmasiri Senanayake	Served as Minister of Tourism from 1970 to 1977
Mr V.A Sugathadasa	Served as Mayor of Colombo in early 60s And as Minister of Transport from 1965 To 1970
Mr Karu Jayasuriya	Served as Minister of Power & Energy From 2002 to 2004 Also served as Minister of Public Administration Deputy Leader of United National Party
Mr. Thilak Karunaratne	Founder Leader of Hela Urumaya Party Served as a member of Parliament
Dr Tissa Witharana	Served as Minister of Industrial Development
Dr Rajitha Senaratne	Served as Minister of Land from 2002 to2004
Mr Basil Rajapakse	A younger brother of H.E Mahinda Rajapakse and a member of Parliament
Mr Lionel Jayatilleke	Served as Minister of Educational Services and was assassinated during 1989 insurrection
Mr Bernard Soysa	A politician with clean record Represented Colombo South in the Parliament as LSSP member Became Party Leader after Dr.Colvin R de Silva's death
Mr T. Dayaratne	A MP since 1977 Served as Minister of Power & Energy
Mr Arjuna Ranatunge	Served as Deputy Minister of Sports
Mr Prasanna Ranatunge	Currently the Chief Minister of Western Province
Mr Geethanjana Gunawardene	Served as Deputy Speaker after 2002 Currently, a Deputy Minister
Mr Imithiaz Bakeer Marker	Served as Deputy Speaker & Minister Of Media

Mr Bimal Ratnayake Mr. Ruwan Ranatunge	The first Old Anndian JVP MP to enter the Parliament in 1994 A younger brother of Arjuna and entered Parliament in 2010 April Elections from Gampaha District
Gen. Sarath Fonseka	Former Army commnader who Successfully manourvered his forces to defeat LTTE in May,2009. He was elected to Parliament from Colombo District in April,2010 elections
Vice Admiral Sarath Weerasekera	Elected to Parliament from Matara District as a PA nominee
Mr Mohan Lal Grero	Elected to Parliament form Colombo District as a UNP nominee in April2010 elections
Mr Ajith Perera Dr.Gamini Wijesekera	Elected to Parliament as a PA nominee, in April,2010 A Medical officer by profession, became the Chairman of CTB. He was assassinated by a Terrorists' bomb blast
Mr.T.B.Subasinghe	Represented the Katugampola Electorate in the Parliament and became the Speaker in 1960. In 1970-75 period he held the Cabinet portfolio of Minister of Industries
Mr.A. Ratnayake	Represented Wattegama Electorate and Was a Minister in the 1948 Cabinet. A highly Respected Politician who has worked hard for getting free education to children of Sri Lanka
Mr Thomas Amarasuriya Dr.Ananda Tissa de Alwis	He was the President of the Senate House A writer and a good Orator. Served as Permanent Secretry to some Ministries Served as private Secretary to late Mr.Dudley Senanayake & Sir John Kotalawela. Served as a Minister in the Cabinet of President J.R,Jayawardene
Dr.Wickremabahu Karunaratne	Leader of the Nava Lanka Samasamaja Party
Mr.Stanley Tillekeratne	A former Speaker of the National State Assembly
Mr.P.B.G.Kalugalle	Represented the Kegalle Electorate since1960 and served as Minister of Transport
Mr Dallas Alahapperuma	Served as Minister of Transport in PresidentMahinda Rajapakse's Cabinet
Mr.Anura Pradeep Hapangama	Represented Mahara & Kelaniya Electorates during 1994 -98 period
Mr D.P Atapattu	A former MP for Beliatta and served as Deputy Minister of State during 1965-70Period
Mr.Tudor Gunasekera Mr.Ranjith Maddumabandara Mr.Chandra Andrahendy	Served as a MP representing Mahara Electorate during 1977-81 period Currently serving as a MP representingBibile in the Monaragala District Served as a MP from Hambanthota District and as Deputy Chairman of Committees in 2002-04 period
Dr.W.D.de.Silva Mr.Bharatha Lakshman Premachandra Mr.Ossie Abeygunasekera	Served as MP for Borella Electorateduring 1960-65 period Served as a MP for Colombo Districtrepresenting Borella Electorate Served as a MP representing Colombo District and died tragically from a terrorist Bomb blast in 1994
Dr.Wickremabahu Karunaratne	Leader of the Nava Lanka Samasamaja Party.Served as a Provincial Councillor representing Colombo District. Unsuccesfully contested the Presidential Election in 2005 and 2010
Mr.P.de.S.Kularatne Mr.Ratnasiri Rajapakse Mr.Chamal Rajapakse	Served as MP for Ambalangoda during 1965-70 period Served as Mayor of Colombo upto 1992 upto 2010 served as Minister of Ports & Aviation and currently serving as Speaker of the Parliament
Mr.Rohitha Bogallagama	served as a MP from Kurunegala District And as Minister of Foreign Affairs Until 2010
Mr.Asoka Somaratne	Served as a MP for Galle District Representing Ratgama Electoate Until

Mr.Lakshman Jayakkoddy	1985 Served as an MP representing DivulapitiyaElectorate in the Gampaha District since 1960. He has held several Cabinet Portfoliosincluding Ministry of Budddhasasana
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(5) Anandians who reached fame in Medical Profession

Prof. Ransinghe	Professor and Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist`
Prof. K. Rajasuriya	Professor & Consultant Physician in Medicine
Prof. H.R.Seneviratne	Prof and Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist
Dr.D.S Liyanaarachchi	Consultant Surgeon and President of College of Surgeons of Sri Lanka
Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe	Professor and Consultant Physician in Medicine
Dr P.A. Weerasinghe	Consultant Ophthalmologist
Dr Charith Fonseka	Consultant Ophthalmologist
Dr V.T. Herath Gunaratne	Served WHO as
Dr J.L.Mallikarachchi	Consultant Ophthalmologist
Prof. Ravindra Fernando	Forensic expert
Prof. Harendra de Silva	Consultant Paediatrician
Dr S.P.de Silva	Consultant Radiologist
Dr.H.T.Wickremasinghe	Consultant Paediatrician
Dr Lal de Silva	Consultant Surgeon
Dr L.I.Wijesuriya	Consultant surgeon
Dr Banagala	Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon
Dr M.R. Anwar	Consultant Physician
Dr J.V.Mannakkara	Consultant Physician
Dr Buddhadasa Bodinayaka	Consultant Psychiatrist-UK
Dr Asoka Jayasena	Consultant ENT Surgeon
Dr Upul Wijewardene	Consultant Cardiologist
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Dr H.S Perera	Consultant Cardio-Thoracic Surgeon- He was the first Srilankan Surgeon to perform a Coronary Bypass surgery
Dr.Anura Deepa Senanayake	Director of Infectious Diseases Hospital, IDH

(6) (5)Anandians who reached the top rung in Public Administration

Mr Chandrasoma	Entered Ceylon Civil Service (CCS) Held several top positions in the Public Sector departments
Mr Sam Wijesinghe	Became Clerk to the Parliament and later the Secretary General He has studied upto Senior Level at Ananda before shifting school
Mr D.G Dayaratne	Entered Ceylon Civil Service and held several top positions in the Public Sector Institutions
Mr.R.L.Balasuriya	Served as Secretary of the Public Service Commission (PSC)
Mr.V.C.Jayasuriya	served as Commissioner of Local Government
Mr.M.de.S.Manamperi	Served as Chairman of Mahaweli Development Board
Mr. Ananda Tissa de Alwis	Served as Permanent Secretary to Several Ministries
Dr Nalaka Godahewa	Currently the Managing Director of Sri Lanka Insurance Company Ltd
Mr.M.W.F.Abeykoon	He has held several top Administartive Positions in the State Sector before retiring as Inspector General of Police
Mr.P.A.Silva	Held several top administrative Positions in the State Sector

(7) Ananians who held Diplomatic and International Postings

Mr Ravinatha Ariyasinghe	
Mr Lal Kurukulasuriya	
Dr.W.S.Karunaratne	Was the ambassador to USA since 1977
Mr C.D.S Siriwardene	Served as Ambassador to Russia In early 60s
Prof.J.B.Dissanayake	Presently serving as ambassador to Burma
Mr. Tudor Gunasekera	MP for Mahara during 1977-81 era And later became the first Sri lankan Ambassador to Poland, Bulgaria & Romania
Dr. Nandadeva Wijesekera	Served as Commissioner of Official Language & later as Ambassador to Burma
Mr.Karu Jayasuriya	Served as Ambassador to Germany

(8) Anandians who became Economists of highest caliber

Dr Warnasena Rasaputra	Became Governer of the Central Bank
Dr C.Rajapathirana	Became Governer of the Central Bank
Dr M. Hewage	Became Sri Lanka's Trade Commissioner in London
Dr Gamini Abeysekera	
Dr A.S.Jayawardene	Became the Governor of the Central Bank
Mr. M.B.J de Silva	Served as Commissioner of Inland Revenue (Top Post)
Mr.L.Piyasena	Served as Commissioner General Of Inland Revenue and later as Chairman of State Film Corporation

(9) Anandians who achieved Island Merits at GCE (O/L) , GCE (A/L)

And other Public Examinations

S.I. Liyanarachchi	Island First in Biological Stream at GCE(A/L) Examination held in 1963
Ranjan Herath Gunaratne	Island First in Mathematics stream at GCE(A/L) Examination held in 1964
Hemachandra	Island Second in Mathematics stream at GCE(A/L) Examination held in 1964
B.M.A Balasuriya	Island First in Mathematics stream at GCE(A/L) Examination held in

(9)Anandians who excelled in Engineering Field

Mr.D.J.Wimalasurendra	Father of Hydro-Electricity.He pioneered The setting up of Laxapana Hydro Electricity Project through a proposal submitted in 1918 but it came to fruition In 1850
Dr A.N.S.Kulasinghe	Chairman of State Engineering Corp Hold patent for several engineering Inventions including a special kind of Cement
Dr K.K.Y Perera	Chairman of Ceylon Electricity Board (C.E.B)
Mr B.D.Rampala	Former GMR (General Manger Railways).He introduced automatic Signals and was instrumental in designing the first Diesel Locomotive in Sri lanka
Mr.V.C de Silva	A blue eyed boy of Principal, P de S Kularatne and climbed up the rungs of the ladder till he reached the top Position of Director of Public Works(in the former PWD)
.Mr. M.Chandrasena	His greatest contributions have been in designing and constructing Concrete Bridges all over Sri lanka during the colonial era (in place of fabricated Steel Bridges). He ended up as Secretary To the Ministry of Irrigation,Power and Highways
Mr.M.de S.Manamperi	Served as Director of Irrigation and the Chairman of Mahaweli Development Authority. He was responsible for the Design of Canal systems & Roads in Sri Lanka
Mr.A.H.Mendis	He was associated with most of the Hydro-power Development projects

Mr.Thilak Wijesinghe	Connected with Gal Oya & Maskeli-Oya Projects He has carried out the initial work on the Galle Harbor development project He was also responsible for Maskeliya and Ella–Wellawaya road projects
Dr.A.M.N.Amarakoon	Served as Secretary to the Ministry of Housing & Construction during 70-77 era
Dr.B.M.A.Balasooriya	He was instrumental in designing and Constructing the Primary school Bldg & Renovation of Hostel Bldg. His contributions to the engineering sector has been enormous
Mr.Sudharman de Silva	Has served as Chief Electrical Engineer Of the Gal-Oya development Board, at the time of his death

(10) Anandians who became Heads of Research Institutes and Scientists

Mr.M.L.M.Salgado	Served as Director of CRI (Coconut Research Institute)
Dr. Dharmawardene	Served as Director of Sugar Cane Research Institute
Dr. L.M.K.Tillekeratne	Served as Director of RRI (Rubber Research Institute and as Chairman Of Inventors' Commission
Dr. K.P.A. Senaratne	served as Deputy Director of ITI(formerly CISIR)
Dr. Ranjith Mahindapala	Served as director of CRI (Coconut Research Institute)

(11)Anandians who reached highest Cricketing fame at National

Arjuna Ranatunge	Hold Under -13 National Schools Record for Highest Individual Score Became Best Schoolboy Cricketer twice Became Sri Lanka Cricket Captain Captained the World-Cup winning side In 1996
Siddath Wettimuny	Captained Ananda Team.... Sri Lanka's Opening Test Batsman in the Inaugural Test Match Sri Lanka played at Colombo Oval in 1996. First Sri Lankan player to score a Test Century
Sunil Wettimuny	Was the regular opening Batsman in Sri Lanka Team –upto 1996
Mithra Wetimuny	The second in the Wettimuny family And opened batting in the Test Team
Marvan Atapattu	One of the most stylish & technically Correct Batsmen in the world upto2008. Had 6 test double centuries to His credit. Captained the Sri Lanka Side
Sarath Wimalratne	One of the greatest All-rounders Ananda has produced. Captained the Team in 1962. Opened both bowling and batting.Represented Sri Lanka both as an opening batsman and opening bowler. Joined the Medical Faculty in 1963 and ended up as a Doctor
Yatagama Amaradasa	One of the versatile all-rounders Ananda has produced , captained the side in 1960, with the highest success story, beating even Royal with a century by him.Became runner-up at the Best Schoolboy Cricketer contest in 1960
Anuruddha Polonnowita	A leg spin bowler, captained the side and later played for Sri Lanka He was a national cricket selector. for many years
T.D.Rajapakse	Got the best Fielder award in 1961
Ajith de Silva	He was the ace leg spin bowler of the Sri Lankan side in early 70s
Avishka Gunawardene	Represented Sri Lanka in a few Matches as a batsman
Duleep Samaraweera	Opened batting in the Sri Lankan Test Team and has scored a few double centuries & centuries Presently serve as a Test Selector
Brendon Kuruppu	Was an opening batsman in the Test side
Chandika Hathurusinghe	Was a great all-rounder in late 50s Played for Sri Lanka
Dhanasiri Weerasinghe	The most consistent middle order Batsman in the present Sri Lankan Test side with an array of strokes
Thilan Samaraweera	
Sanjeeva Ranatunge	A younger brother of Arjuna Has opened batting for Sri Lanka and has a century to his credit
Nishantha Ranatunge	A younger brother of Arjuna. Played a few matches for Sri Lanka
Sony Yatawara	As a schoolboy he played for Sri Lanka against visiting West Indies team and

	had the distinction of clean bowling Cricketing Legend, Sir Garfield Sobers and Wesley Hall (1958)
Dhammika Ranatunge	Elder brother of Arjuna. Has played several test matches with a few good scores
Prasanna Amerasinghe	Played for the Sri Lanka Test side for a very brief period

(13)Anandians who reached top ranks in the Sri Lanka Army

Gotabhaya Rajapakse	Was a Colonel at the time of retirement from the Army in 199 Took over the key position of Defense Secretary under President Mahinda Rajapakse in 2005 and lead the country to historic victory against fierce LTTE outfit
General Hamilton Wanasinghe	One of the 3 Anandians who simultaneously became Major General Became Army Commander (16 th Aug1988 to 15 th Nov.1999)
Major Gen.Mike Silva	Retired as Major General in 1988
Major Gen. Asoka Jayawardene	retired as Major General
Lt. Gen. Rohan de S. Daluwatte	Became Army Commnder (1-05-1996 To 15-12-1998)
Lt Gen.Lionel Balagall	Became Army Commander(from: 25 th Aug.2000 to 30-06-2004)
General Sarath Fonseka	Became Commander of the Sri lanka Army on 6-12-2005 and spearheaded War against LTTE. Later became Chief Of Defense Staff of Sri lanka
Maj. Gen.Jaliya Nammuni	
Maj. Gen.Gamini Gunasekera	
Maj.Gen. Kamal Gunaratne	
Maj Gen.Lucky Dias	
Maj. Gen Mallawarachchi.	
Maj. Gen. Chergi Gallage	
Maj Gen. Lucky Algama	

(14) Anandians who reached top ranks in the Sri Lanka Navy

Admiral Wasantha	Became Commander of the Sri Lanka Navy (From:2005 to 2009) Lead the war
Karannagoda	against LTTE Sea Tigers, thus crippling their Logistics Routes
Rear Admiral Sarath Weerasekera	
Vice Admiral Rathnatilleke	
Rear Admiral Ananda Pieris	The Eastern Naval Commander

(15) Anandians who reached top ranks in the Sri Lanka Air Force

1.Air Vice Marshal, Channa Gunaratne	From: to He was made the Commanding Officer in charge of Airport Security soon after LTTE attack To Katunayake Airport
2. Commodore,Ananda Samarakoon	From: to He was made competent Authority of ITN from till

(16) Anandians who reached top ranks in the Sri Lanka Police

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Mr Mahinda Balasuriya	Became Inspector General in 2009
Mr P.K.P Pathirana	DIG

Mr Lawrence Amarasena	DIG (From: to)
Mr Ronnie Gunasinghe	DIG (From: to) .Died in a suicidal bomb attack by LTTE in 1993,along with President R.Premadasa
Mr Sarathchandra	DIG
Mr.M.W.F.Abeykoon	A top rank Administartive Officer later served as Inspector General of Police, a unique occurrence that happened during Mrs.Bandaranayake's period as Prime Minister, in 1960
Mr.Osmund de Silva	The first Anandian to serve as Inspector General of Police
Mr.Premadasa Udagama	Served as Permanant Secretary to The Ministry of Education in 70-77 period

(17)Anandians who reached top ranks in the Civil Defence Force

Rear Admiral Sarath Weerasekera	Became it,s Commander and played A key role in safeguarding civilians during the final face of war against LTTE
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(17) Anandians who became Educationists of highest caliber

Dr Mrs Thilokasundari Kariyawasam	
Col.G.W Rajapakse	
Mr Palihakkara	
Mr. E.A.Wijesuriya	served as Principal of Mahinda College, Galle
Mr.M.W.Karunanada	Served as Principal of Ananda. He was the first person to translate Physics Books into Sinhala and to Advocate teaching of Science in Sinhala
Mr. A.E. Perusinghe	Served as Principal of both Dharmaraja and Ananda
Dr.E.W.Adikaram	a great Philosphist
Mr.D.G.Sumanasekra	Served as Principal of Mahanama Vidyalaya and Nalanda College He is the founder Principal of Vidura Vidyalaya
Mr.Sugathadasa Athukorala	served as Principal of Nalanda College
Mr.Upali Gunasekera	Served as principal of Royal College
Mr.Dharma Gunasinghe	Served as Principal of Nalanda college
Mr.L.D.H.Peiris	Served as Principal of Royal College
Mr.W.D.Makuloluwa	Served as Director of Education
Mr.Bogoda Premaratne	Served as Principal of Royal College And later as the commissioner of Examinations
Mr.Mahinda Ranaweera	In 1948 he has got an award for the Best Student. Later he has served as Director of Education for Science Education at the Dept. of Education

(18) Anandians who became top Business Tycoons

Mr Ashok Pathirage	Chairman Softlogics, Uniwalkers and Asiri, Asiri Surgicals & Asha Central Hospitals
Mr. Chula Jayasuriya	Chairman of James Finlay Group of Companies
Dr Gamini Wicremasinghe	Chairman- Informatics Group & Bank of Ceylon
Mr Upali Dharmadasa	Director of Nawaloka Group of Companies

Mr Lalith Hapangama	Chairman of Lalan Group including Watawala Plantations
Mr Balasuriya	Kandy Lake Club
Mr.Chandra Jayaratne	A leading businessman
Mr.Dinesh Ambani	Deputy Chairman Suntel & Chairman Metropolitan Group
Mr J.J.Ambani	Chairman of Metropolitan Group
Mr.Mohan Pandithage	Chairman of Hayleys Group of Companies
Mr. Ranjith Pandithage	Chairman of DIMO Group

(19) Anandians who became top Business Professionals

Mr Devasiri Rodrigo	An Accountant by Profession Managing Partner of Coopers
Dr Gamini Wickremasinghe	Chairman of Bank of Ceylon
.....de Silva	Managing Partner of B.R de Silva & Co
Mr.Maxi Prelis	Chairman of DFCC
Mr H.S.R Pieris	Became General Manager of People's Bank (From: to)
Mr Punchihewa	General Manage-Sampath Bank Ltd
Mr.Ana Punchihewa	A former CEO of Pure Beverages Co Ltd
Mr Tilak de Silva	Managing Director of LAUGFS Holdings
Mr.P.A.Silva	Served as Chairman of C.W.Mackie And Co & Ceylon Trading Co Ltd
Mr.Karu Jayasuriya	served as Managing Director and Chairman of C.W.Mackie & Co and Ceylon trading Co Ltd

(20) Anandians who became prominent Dramatists,, Singers, Actors, Composers And other Literary Geniuses

Mr Dayananda Gunawardene	A participant of original "Maname" Stage drama of Prof. Ediriweera Sarathchandra. Also of original "Naribena " stage drama
Mr. Premasiri Kemadasa	Famous Music Composer
Mr Wijeratne Warkagoda	Singer & Actor of stage Dramas
Mr Jananath Warakagoda	Island's No.1 Hevisi Drummer a son of Mr Wijeratne Warkagoda
Mr. Kasun Kalhara	A son of late Malini Bulathsinhala and is called the king of Sinhala Rock Music
Mr Bhathiya Jayakkody	of Bhathiya & Santhush Music Group
Mr Ajith Jinadasa	Lama Nalu in film "Madol Duwa" Based on book written by Martin Wickremasinghe
Mr Lucky Dias	A famous Film/TV Actor
Mr Ranapala Bodhinagoda	Chairman of ANCL (Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd. As President of OBA he was Instrumental in getting the then President of S.L , Mr J.R Jayawardene committed to release the land for the Cricket ground Was a Vice President of YMBA
Dr Tarzie Wittachchi	Was an Internationally reputed Journalist
Mr. Premakeerthi de Alwis	A famous Sinhala Lyrics writer who Had an untimely death
Dr.Praneeth Abeysundera	A well known Lyrics writer
Mr. K.A.W Perera	a famous Film Director/Producer
Mr.Kularatne Ariyawansa	A song composer
Mr.Meemana Premathilake	A Poet and a writer
Mr.D.B.Nihalsinghe	An Accomplished film maker- and A Cameraman
Mr. D.B.Dhanapala	A writer/ Journalist
Mr.Reggie Siriwardene	A journalist,Poet,Writer

(21) Anandians who made substantial contribution to Buddha Sasanaya by

Serving as Buddhist Monks of highest order

Ven.Balangoda Ananda	Died at the age of 100 Years in Participated in a Buddhist Council in Year
Maithree Ther	, on the invitation of King of Burma
Ven. Prof. Parawahera	Professor of Buddhist Philosophy Vidyalkara University, Kelaniya
Vajiragnana	
Ven.Aggamaha Panditha	
Polwatte Buddhadda Thero	

(22) (24) Anandians who became Archaeologists and Historians of highest caliber

Dr Nandadeva Wijesekera	Served as Head- National Archives
Dr ..Wimalaratne	Served as Head- Archaeology dept.
Prof. Sudharshan Seneviratne	Archeology Dept University of Peradeniya

(23) Anandians who have sacrificed life in defending the sovereignty of the country in the fight against LTTE

Capt. Vaz Gunawardene	1983 July
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(24) Anandians who became Heads of Institutions, such as Corporations,Boards,Chamber etc

Dr Nalaka Godahewa	Currently the Managing Director of Sri Lanka Insurance Company Ltd
Mr.Patrick Amarasinghe	Served as President of the Chamber of Industries
Mr.Upali Sunil Arambawela	Former Additional Director General Of SLRC (Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corp CEO of Isura FM),
Mr.Ananda Wijesuriya	The Director General of Wild Life Conservation Department
Mr.Bandula Padmakumara	Chairman of Lake House Group(ANCL)
Mr L.Piyasena	A former commissioner General of Inland Revenue, later served as Chairman of State Film Corporation
Mr.D.G.Dayaratne	Served as Chairman of Sri Lanka Tyre Corporation in mid 1970s
.Dr.L.M.K.Tillekeratne	Served as Chairman of Sri Lanka Inventors' Commission until 2008
Mr.Sarath Kongahage	Served as Chairman of Associated Newspapers Ceylon Ltd(ANCL) in 2008
Mr.Asoka Somaratne	Served as Chairman of Ceylon Cement Corporation in the post-1985 era
Mr.Ananda Samarakoon	Served as Competent Authority of ITN in early 90s