



## Festival Highlights

Opening Ceremony (From 11.00 am to 12.00 noon)  
Sri Lankan Cultural Performances (Throughout the day)  
by Dance & Music Groups in Canberra and "Sanka Ridma Dancing Ensemble", Sydney  
Sri Lankan Musical Evening (From 5.00 to 6.30 pm)  
Delicious Sri Lankan rice & curry, hoppers, thosai, watalappan, koththu, vadei,  
short-eats, lamb biriyani (Sri Lankan style), beer and much more....  
Tea from main seven tea growing regions in Sri Lanka  
Spices & traditional rice varieties  
Tourism information, Ayurveda & astrology  
Batik, handlooms and handicrafts  
Jumping castle & obstacle course for children  
Raffle draw with attractive prizes  
Interactive display by ACT Policing and meeting with "Kenny the Koala"

## Key Government Stakeholders

Sri Lanka Tourism Promotion Bureau (SLTPB): Sri Lanka Tea Board (SLTB): Sri Lankan Airlines:

## Participants

Australia Sri Lanka Association, Canberra  
Australia Sri Lanka Buddhist Association  
Sri Lanka Dharma Vihara Association  
The Alumni Association of the University of  
Peradeniya, Canberra Chapter  
Sinha Sports Club  
Sinhala Cultural Association  
Tamil Senior Citizens Association  
Canberra Sri Lanka Muslim Association  
Lanka Lions Cricket Club  
"Shanthi Foundation"- 'to provide culturally  
appropriate Palliative care throughout the  
world': <http://shanthi-foundation.org>  
"Banana Leaf" Restaurant, 240/250 City Walk,  
Canberra City, 02-6257-7681.

"Claypot Chef", 2, Farrer Place Farrer ACT  
2607, Tele: 02-6286-8081.  
Dr. Stanley Dharmakumara, "Siddhartha  
Ayurveda & Astrology Centre", 41, Buckley St.  
Noble Park, VIC 3174, 0435006912  
Mr. Athula Manchanayake; Sri Lankan  
Astrologer: [amanchanayake@yahoo.com](mailto:amanchanayake@yahoo.com)  
"Sunimals" handlooms, 376, Pannipitiya Rd.  
Palawatte Battaramulla, Sri Lanka:  
<http://www.sunimals.com>  
Spice Market, 43-57, Townshend St. Phillip,  
ACT. Tele: 02-6282-1905  
Ms. Kumudu Ratnayake, Hugh Ford &  
Associates- Solicitor & Migration Agent and  
Legal Advice: 0433359306.

*The High Commission appreciates the cooperation of Sinhala, Tamil, Muslim and Burghier Community representatives in Canberra to make this first ever Sri Lanka festival a reality*

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