

Going forward with activeness

Mahinda Chinthana national strategic programs

- Uplifting rural sport facilities
- Uplifting facilities for dangerous sports and aquatic sports
- Indoor stadium specially planned for winter sports
- Making opportunities for new sports
- Establishing sport training institutes to form sportsmen of international level
- Improving sports facilities for people with less facilities
- Improvement of infrastructure needed to access for entertainment activities

Objective

Identifying talented sportsmen of the province and providing facilities to bring them to national and international level is carried out by provincial sports division. Also it accomplishes basic structure needed to bring forth healthy and disciplined citizens.

- Western Province was able to win national championship in 2011 for 36th time recording the highest number of gold medals.

Medals	Year 2010	Year 2011
Gold	75	81
Silver	50	53
Bronze	54	45
Total	179	179





Sport grounds

District	400 m runner way	Runner ways less than 400 m (200 and 300)	Wolli ball courts	Total
Kalutara	03	26	210	239
Gampaha	07	60	302	369
Colombo	10	134	248	392
Total	20	220	760	1000

Key functions

- Conducting sport competitions at 3 stages as Divisional Secretariat Divisional, district and provincial and forwarding winners for National Sports festival
- Maintaining regional sports training centres and providing sports infrastructure
- Establishing and registering sports clubs at village level and providing sport equipment for sports clubs and operating them in an active level to achieve goals of sportsmen
- Holding sports camps such as high land training, beach training etc.
- Offering financial aids for sportsmen of the province who go abroad for recognized sports festivals with the approval of the line ministry
- Valuing sportsmen who excelled in the reviewed year and offering cash prizes for them
- Holding fitness programs for common people with a view to make a healthier community



Kalutara District - Sports

Development of recent 5 years (2007-2011)

Program / Project	Target and benefits	Present condition and progress
Improving infrastructure	Development of play grounds	Has developed 14 play grounds at rural and regional level (2011)
	Offering equipment for registered sports clubs	Has provide equipment for 382 registered sports clubs
Improving sports talents	Maintaining training pools	Conducting training pools
	Conducting training programs	Has conducted training program for each sport (at regional, district and provincial level)
	Holding sport tournaments	Has hold tournaments for all sports simultaneous to National Sports Festival in each year

Colombo District - Sports

Development of recent 5 years (2007-2011)

Program / Project	Target and benefits	Present condition and progress
Improving infrastructure	Development of play grounds	Has developed 31 play grounds at rural and regional level (2011)
	Offering equipment for registered sports clubs	Has provide equipment for 341 registered sports clubs
Improving sports talents	Maintaining training pools	Conducting training pools
	Conducting training programs	Has conducted training program for each sport (at regional, district and provincial level)
	Holding sport tournaments	Has hold tournaments for all sports simultaneous to National Sports Festival in each year



Gampaha District - Sports

Development of recent 5 years (2007-2011)

Program / Project	Target and benefits	Present condition and progress
Improving infrastructure	Development of play grounds	Has developed 20 play grounds at rural and regional level (2011)
	Offering equipment for registered sports clubs	Has provide equipment for 280 registered sports clubs
Improving sports talents	Maintaining training pools	Conducting training pools
	Conducting training programs	Has conducted training program for each sport (at regional, district and provincial level)
	Holding sport tournaments	Has hold tournaments for all sports simultaneous to National Sports Festival in each year

Western Province - Sports

Future development goals

Program / Project	2013 Cost Rs. mn	2014 Cost Rs. mn	2015 Cost Rs. mn	2016 Cost Rs. mn
Organizing sport competitions	1045	1045	1045	1045
Trainings and training camps	3000	3000	3000	3000
Development of regional and rural play grounds	15	15	15	15
Encouraging sportsmen (domestic)	1500	1500	1500	1500
Encouraging sportsmen (foreign)	400	400	400	400
Making fitness centres at government institutions	04	04	04	04
Popularizing entertainment games	01	02	02	02
Developing provincial sports school	25	50	50	-