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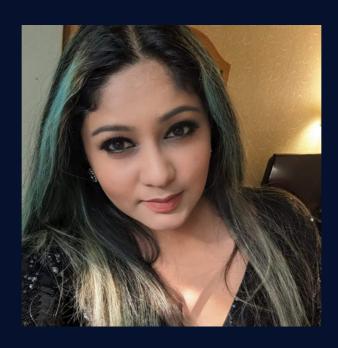


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#### Message from the President



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A warm welcome to each of you! Your presence at this event is a testament to the strength of our community. We are thrilled to have you here, and I hope you enjoy the enriching experiences that await. Thank you for joining 'SPM Bollywood Gala 2024'!

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to each member of the organizing committee, their family members, our generous sponsors, all our dedicated members & friends for their unwavering commitment and hard work in making this event a resounding success.

Your collective efforts have truly made a lasting impact.

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Dahami Ranaweera (LLM, LLB, Attorney-at-law) President of SPM PPA UK (2022-2024)

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### Bollywood Gala Programme

6.30 - 7.00PM	Guests arrival & Welcome drinks
7.20PM	Doors opening to our Cinematic world
7.45PM	Introduction & Pahan ceremony
7.55PM	School song of St Paul's Girl's School, Milagiriya
8.00PM	Let's celebrate the moment!
8.05PM	Group photo
8.10PM	Welcome speech by the President Dahami Ranaweera Launching the website of SPM PPA – UK Branch
8.15PM	Bollywood performance 1 & Starters
8.25PM	First dance by the President & Husband Followed by a dance act of Paulians
8.35PM	The dance floor opens for everyone!
8.55PM	A little surprise for some Paulians
9.00PM	Bollywood performance 2
9.05PM	Enjoy our authentic Indian buffet!
9.50PM	Bollywood performance 3
9.55PM	Who are the lucky winners?
10.15PM	Dun dun dun!!!
10.25PM	Back to the dance floor
11.30PM	Vote of thanks by the Secretary Dilina Dias
11.35PM	Dance floor continues
1.00AM	National anthems of Sri Lanka & UK
1.15AM	The end!



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#### Message from the Principal



I am indeed happy to pen these words of good will to the Digital Souvenir published in connection with the Bollywood Gala, organized by the St. Paul's Girls' School, Past Pupils Association, United Kingdom branch. The Bollywood Gala is a testament to the vibrant spirit of our school community.

Our school has always been a beacon of excellence, nurturing young minds and fostering a spirit of community and camaraderie. It's heartening to see our alumni spread across the globe, making significant contributions to various fields.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the organizers of this gala for their tireless efforts in bringing together this spectacular event despite the challenges posed by the current global circumstances. Your commitment to fostering connections and preserving the legacy of our alma mater is truly commendable.

Wishing you a memorable and successful Bollywood Gala, filled with laughter and love.

Mrs Chandi Siriwardhana Principal

SPM BOLLYWOOD GALA 2024



# DAHAMI AND TEAM SPM PPA UK BRANCH

FOR A SUCCESSFUL AND ENJOYABLE EVENING

"BOLLYWOOD GALA 2024"

FROM: NAZ MAYADEEN

#### **Our Team**



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If SPM's amazing, She won't be easy. If she is easy, She won't be amazing. If she is worth it, You won't give up. If you give up, You are not worth it. If I am a girl, I would join them. Best wishes as always. -Kuni



# SPM BOLLYWOOD GALA CELEBRATION CAKE BY

Spabeena Mizam



To St.Paul's Girl's School

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In memory of my late father Shelton Edward Kern,

1924 - 2022





Presentation of my father's World War II Medals to the Artillery Museum Panagoda (Sri Lanka) Army Camp on 13th February 2023

from

John Kern and Family Members



#### Message from the Secretary



Dear honourable guests and Friends,

One behalf of the Past Pupil Association of St. Paul's Girls' School UK Branch, I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to each and everyone of you who attend the "SPM Bollywood Gala 24" today. And it would not have been possible without your presence and support today.

We have taken a different approach this year with our annual fund-raising event; "SPM Bollywood Gala 2024", As you may have noticed, this event marks a departure from the traditional dinner dance concept that we have grown accustomed to. Owing to the fact that, we feel in addition to working with the Sri Lankan Community in the UK, we also actively work with other local and national Communities for building a more integrated society, connecting communities, and building trust.

I would like to thank our President, Mrs. Dahami Ranaweera for her guidance, leading from the front, she puts in a tremendous amount of effort and energy into every project and initiative we undertake, all the while remaining calm and confident, she has been truly exemplary. I must say her energy for winning the battle is bigger than Rishi Sunak's. Also our treasure, Mrs. Ruvini Ranatunga for her methodical routes and bombarding us with financials all the time which helped us to achieve what we did today. Also our Event Coordinators from the Social Committee Ms Chandima Dharmawickrama and Singi Dona Weerasekara for bringing the Originality, Vision and Uniqueness to the table and making is all a reality, what we all see today is months and months of hard work of these ladies. And also the entire committee for their unveiling support, enthusiasm, incredible energy you bring in is truly outstanding. I would also like to thank all our partners of the committee members who sacrifice their valuable time, energy and for always be there for us, Paulians.

To our sponsors, advertisers, and raffle donors, we are immensely grateful for your generosity and willingness to contribute. Special thank you to our Platinum Sponsor Mr. Wasantha Pathiranage and one of our founding member's Dr. Chandani Pathiranage.

Also Our celebrity DJ, Virush, Hotel, Food and Beverage coordinator Nazoomi and Caterer Ajith (Choice of Taste) for always picking up the calls and fulfilling all our requests.

I would like to stress that all net proceeds from this event will beneficial to less privileged children in Sri Lanka and you all have indirectly contributed towards a worthy course for helping us to make this event a success.

Once again, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for making the "SPM Bollywood Gala 24" a resounding triumph. Your involvement has made a significant impact, and we are grateful beyond words.

With deepest gratitude,

Dilina Dias Secretary for SPM PPA UK





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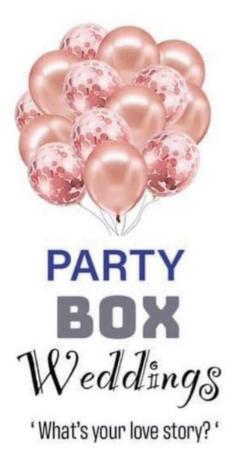






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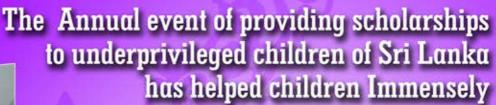
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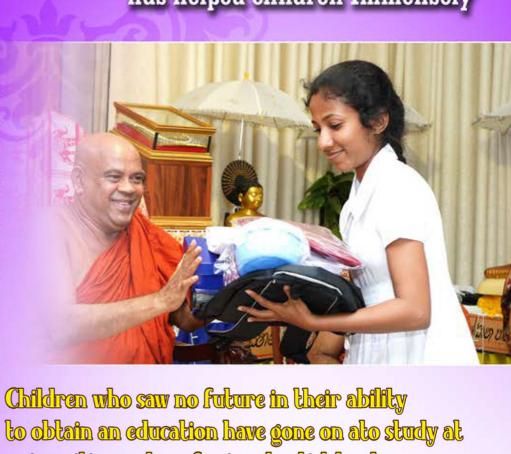


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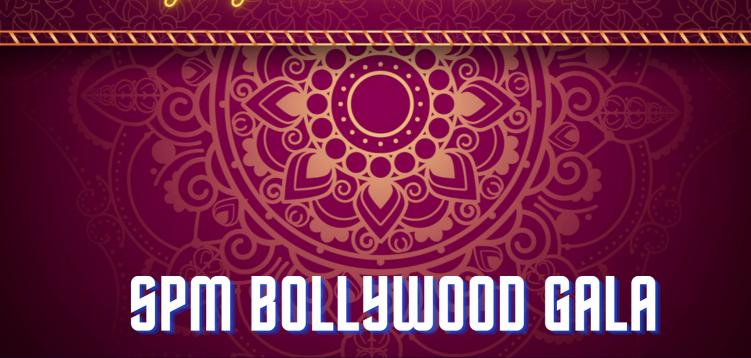


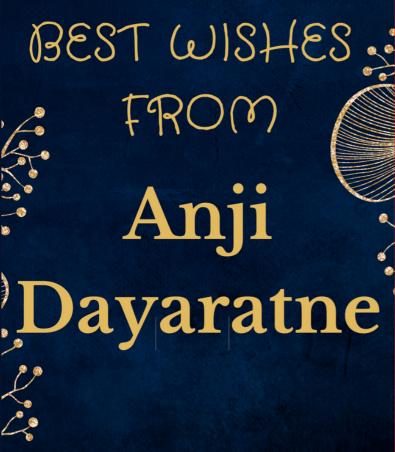


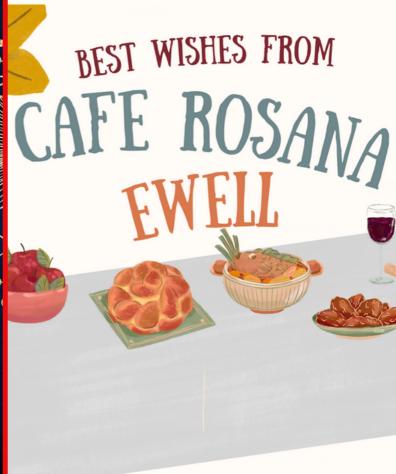


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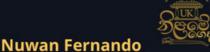
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