



Weightlifting Womens team (capt. by Cpl Gomas BDH)



Women's Boxing team (capt. LAC Cooray MPPS)



Women's Judo team (capt. LAC Chaturangani)



Women's Wrestling team (Capt. LAC Perera CNN)



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Outstanding Sports Achievers Felicitated by Chief of Air Force

The Commander of the Air Force, Air Marshal Bandu Edirisinghe in his capacity as the President of the Air Force Sports Council (AFSC), graced a special felicitation ceremony held on March 26, at the Air Force Headquarters.

The ceremony honoured sportsmen and women of the SLAF who excelled in various disciplines including Boxing, Weightlifting, Judo, Lifesaving, Karate, Wrestling, Shooting, Volleyball, Handball, Archery, Taekwondo, Squash, Netball and Golf.

These individuals have demonstrated outstanding performance at Defence Services, National and International sports championships. In addition, individuals who have achieved ex-

cellence at the above levels were recognized and rewarded by the President of the Air Force Sports Council.

In addition to honouring specific individuals, the Commander acknowledged the dedication of SLAF Wrestling Coach, Sergeant Kumara DAW, SLAF Volleyball Women's team Coach, Corporal Jayakodi JADNR, SLAF Boxing Coach, SPCS Jayathilaka and SLAF Judo Coach, PG Sunil for their contributions in upholding the prestige of the SLAF in the field of sports.

The event was attended by the Deputy Chief of Staff, Members of the Air Force Board of Management, as well as Chairmen, Secretaries, Managers and a diverse group of players representing various SLAF Sports Disciplines.



Women's Cycling team (Capt. Cpl Dilrukshi)



Women's golf team (Capt. Cpl Sumanarathne)

(Pix by Sulochana Gamage)



Women's Volleyball team coach Cpl Jayakody



SLAF Judo coach PG Sunil



Men's Squash team (Capt. SqnLdr HSU Trimavithana)



SLAF boxing coach SPCS Jayathilaka



Netball team (Capt. WO TD Waththegedara)



Men's Volleyball team (Capt. LAC Refky)



Men's Archery team (Capt. LAC Udayashamal)



Women's Archery team (Capt. Cpl Ariyaratne)



Taekwondo women's team (Capt. LAC Ranathunga)



Women's Handball team (Capt. Cpl Erandi)