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The Junior Inventor of the

Year (JIY) competition is organized by the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka, for the 23rd consecutive time, this year.

The competition which commenced with the objective of promoting science and mathematics education and usage of technology among the school goers has provided the youngsters of this country the much required forum to display their ingenuity.

Previous competitions have proved despite the fact that Sri Lanka was lagging behind in terms of technological know how compared to developed countries in the world, the young genera-

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tion was capable of and interested in creating products that were highly technical and of high utility value.

Some of the creations that had won prizes during the previous years have obtained patent rights to manufacture them commercially.

The 50 competitors, who were competing for the prestigious title of "Junior Inventor of the Year" in 2008, were selected from a large number of applicants who sought to compete for the title.

Unlike in most competitions, all applicants were given the opportunity of presenting their inventions for primary evaluations

that were held in their own regions. Primary evaluations were held in Ratnapura, Kurunegala, Anuradhapura and Colombo.

Prior to primary evaluations, the organisers conducted a mentoring session for all the applicants. At this session, each applicant was individually guided by professional engineers on techniques to improve their novel inventions.

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In addition to this unique prize, gold, silver and bronze medals would be awarded for the first three places with cash rewards.

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මෙම තරගය සඳහා නව නිර්මාණ 50 ක් තෝරා ගැනේ. පළමු ස්ථානය ලබා ගන්නා නව නිර්මාණ ඇමරිකාවේ වාර්ෂිකව පැවැත්වෙන නව නිර්මාණ තරගය හා ප්‍රදර්ශනයට ඉදිරිපත් කිරීමට නිවැසුම්කරුට අවස්ථාව හිමි වේ. මේ සඳහා අධ්‍යාපන අමාත්‍යාංශය, ජාතික විද්‍යා පදනම හා ඉන්ටෙල් ආයතනය සහය දක්වයි.

මීට අමතරව මුදල් ත්‍යාග හා රන්, රිදී, ලෝකඩ පදක්කම් දිනා

ගැනීමට ද ජයග්‍රහකයන්ට අවස්ථාව හිමි වේ.

ශ්‍රී ලංකා ඉංජිනේරු ආයතනයේ සභාපති රංජිත් ගුණවර්ධන, ඉදිරි වසර සඳහා තෝරා ගත් සභාපති ඩී. පී. මල්ලවආරච්චි සහ ජේ. මිගොඩ මහත්වරුන් ගේ අධීක්ෂණය යටතේ තරගය පැවැත්වේ.

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