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Greetings from Diyagala Boys' Town

On behalf of the Diyagala Boys' Town community and especially of the De La Salle Brothers in Sri Lanka, I am pleased to announce that Rev. Bro. Pubudu Rajapakse FSC is the proud recipient of one of ten awards of the TOYP 2011 (Ten Outstanding Young Persons) presentation awarded to him by the JCI (Junior Chamber International) on 6th September 2011 at a glittering ceremony in Colombo.

This is an annual event that is organized by JCI (Sri Lanka) to identify and honor ten outstanding young persons in Sri Lanka, for their contributions to society which range from medicine to law, personal achievements, entrepreneurship, media and voluntary contribution to children and Human Rights.

Bro. Pubudu Rajapakse FSC who is the present Managing Director of this apostolate of the Lasallian Brothers was selected by an eminent panel of judges in the Category of Child Development, Human Rights and World Peace because of his unstinted and relentless pursuance in the education and spiritual formation of the poor and needy male youth since 2005.

Bro. Pubudu was nominated for this award by Rev. Bro. Denzil Perera FSC, Provincial Visitor. On receiving the trophy, Bro. Pubudu was indeed humbled when he said that he accepts the trophy NOT as a personal triumph but as a tribute to the 350 years of educational services rendered by the worldwide society of De La Salle Brothers, of which he is also Reverened Brother.

The Chief Guest, Honorable First Lady, Mrs. Shiranthi Rajapaksha distributed the awards.

Yours faithfully,

R.T. FERDINAND
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