

NatGeo 2012 Editors Choice, Photo of the day and Photo of the Month - Greater Crested Tern Chick at Talaimanar

Lalith Ekanayake Wildlife Photography

Surgeon Rear Admiral Lalith Ekanayake won the first place and the prestigious United Photographers International (UPI) Gold Medal from Sweden in the wildlife category at the recently con-cluded 57th International **PSSL Photography Competi-**

He won the PSSL Bronze Medal and also won in Mono-chrome in Wildlife category of this competition. He is the first ever to win a number of medals in a single wildlife photography competition and competing with 20 other

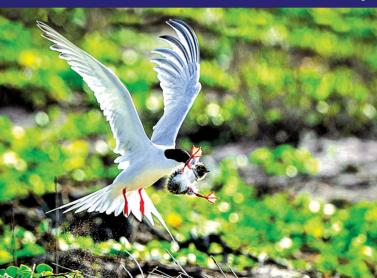
Photographic Society of Sri Lanka (PSSL) is the oldest photography society of the country. Seven of Lalith's wildlife and nature photos were exhibited at the PSSL exhibition at the Lionel Wendt. Gold medal picture (a flying blue bird) was taken in Masai Mara, Kenya, the bronze award picture Wild horses was taken in Delft Island and the monochrome for Zebras was taken in Kenya. Lalith also won the first place in wildlife category and third places in other two categories at the Chaaya Wild and Etisalat Photography Competition held recently and eight of his pictures were exhibited at their exhibition. oicture at the Yala National Park.



Dr. Lalith Ekanayak



PSSL UPI Gold Medal 2012 - Blue Bird asai Mara at Kenya



Indian Wildlife contest 3rd Place 2011 - Roseate Tern at Talaimannar



Chaaya wild third place competition