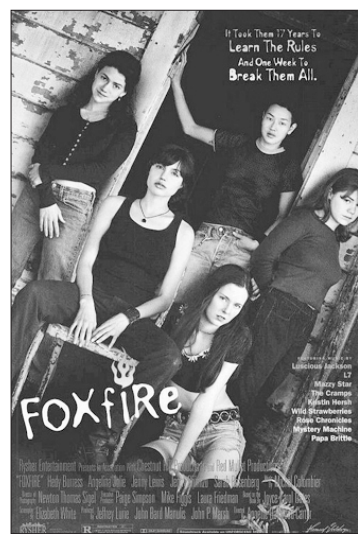


PICK OF THE WEEK



Our Choice

Foxfire (IMDb rating 5.9)
On HBO, January 24 at 09:30pm
Directed by Annette Haywood-Carter
Genre: Drama
Hedy Burress, Angelina Jolie, Jenny Lewis, Jenny Shimizu, Sarah Rosenberg
Four girls who attend the same school are thrown together one day when an enigmatic female drifter, brash and gutsy "Legs" Sadovsky, enters the school and crashes into their biology class.



The Sport

India Tour of Pakistan

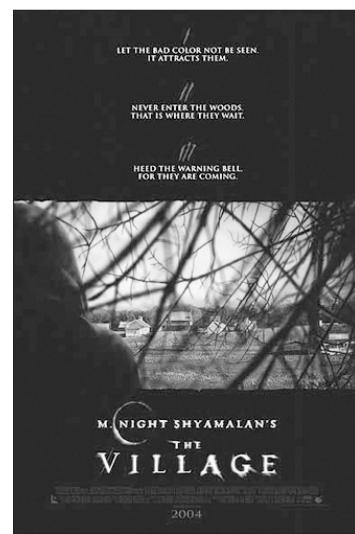
Allianz Cup

2nd Test

Live from Faisalabad

On Ten Sports

January 21-25 at 10:45am



The Movie

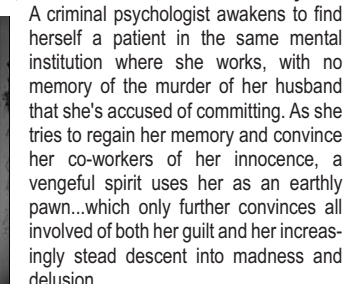
The Village (IMDb rating 6.7)
On Star Movies, January 25 at 11:35pm
Directed by M. Night Shyamalan
Genre: Drama/Mystery/Thriller
Bryce Dallas Howard, Joaquin Phoenix, Adrien Brody, William Hurt, Sigourney Weaver
In a quiet, isolated village in old Pennsylvania, there lies a pact between the people of the village and the creatures who reside in the surrounding woods: the townspeople do not enter the woods, and the creatures do not enter the village.

Satellite TV

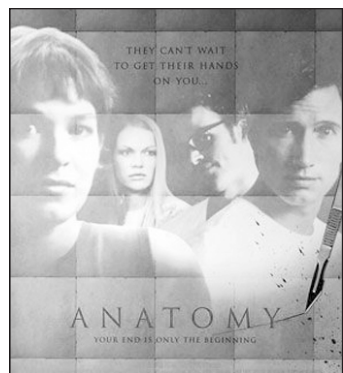
Seed of Chucky (IMDb rating 5.3)
On HBO, January 21 at 09:30pm
Directed by Don Mancini
Genre: Comedy/Crime/Horror
Brad Dourif, Jennifer Tilly, Redman, Hannah Spearritt, Keith-Lee Castle
The killer doll is back introducing Glen, the orphan doll offspring of the irrepressible devilish-doll-come-to-life Chucky and his equally twisted bride Tiffany! When production starts on a movie detailing the urban legend of his parents' lethal exploits, Glen heads for Hollywood where he brings his bloodthirsty parents back from the dead.



Gothika (IMDb rating 5.8)
On HBO, January 23 at 09:30pm
Directed by Mathieu Kassovitz & Thom Oliphant
Genre: Horror/Thriller/Mystery
Halle Berry, Robert Downey Jr, Nenôpe Cruz, Bronwen Mantel, Kathleen Mackey
A criminal psychologist awakens to find herself a patient in the same mental institution where she works, with no memory of the murder of her husband that she's accused of committing.

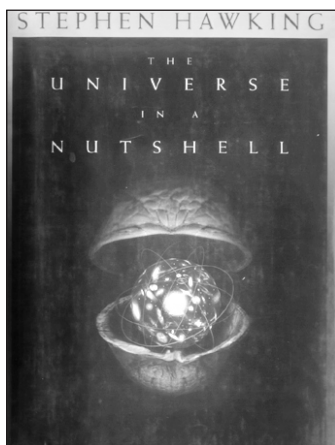


Anatomy (IMDb rating 6.1)
On Star Movies, January 21 at 11:15pm
Directed by Stefan Ruzowitzky
Genre: Horror/Thriller
Franka Potente, Benno Fürmann, Anna Loos, Sebastian Blomberg
Medical student Paula Henning wins a place at an exclusive Heidelberg medical school. When the body of a young man she met on the train turns up on her dissection table, she begins to investigate the mysterious circumstances surrounding his death, and uncovers a gruesome conspiracy perpetrated by an Antihippocratic secret society operating within the school.

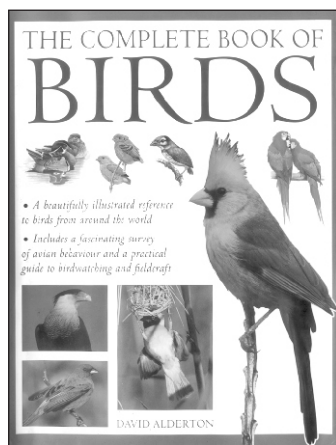


Harold & Kumar Go to White Castle (IMDb rating 7.1)
On Star Movies, January 26 at 09:10pm
Directed by Danny Leiner
Genre: Adventure/Comedy
John Cho, Kal Penn, Brooke D'Orsay, Paula Garcés, Neil Patrick Harris
Two twenty-something stoner roommates—one a Korean American investment banker; the other an Indian American medical school candidate—go through a life-changing journey, as they spend a night roaming the state of New Jersey in search of White Castle hamburgers.

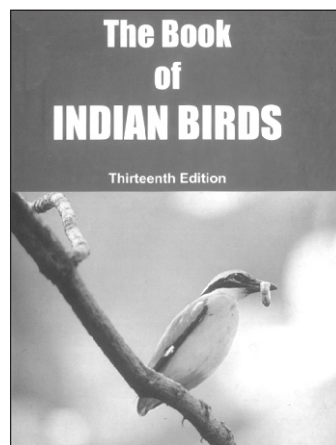
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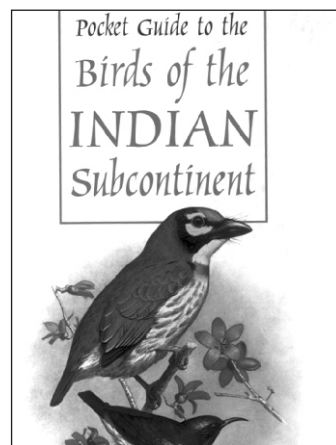
The Universe in a Nutshell
Stephen Hawking
Price: Tk 2850.00
One of the most influential thinkers of our time, Stephen Hawking in this new book takes us to the cutting edge of theoretical physics, where truth is often stranger than fiction, to explain in laymen's terms the principles that control our universe.



The Complete Book of Birds
David Alderton
Price: Tk 2260.00
A pocket-sized illustrated guide to birds from around the world, detailing distribution, size, habitats, and feeding and nesting behaviour, the book includes many interesting as well as unusual species, such as falcons and finches, raptors and rails, cranes and corvids.



The Book of Indian Birds
Salim Ali
Price: Tk 890.00
Salim Ali was as active in the field of conservation as he was in ornithology. He was probably the only person who had travelled to all the obscure regions of the Indian Subcontinent at one time or another of his life and knew the country, its forests and its birdlife intimately.

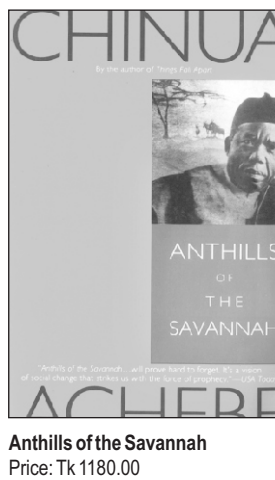


Pocket Guide to the Birds of the Indian Subcontinent
Richard Grimmett, Carol Inskipp & Tim Inskipp
Price: Tk 1250.00
This is the perfect field guide companion, covering all the species—nearly 1300—found in India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh and the Maldives.

Chinua Achebe Collection

Arrow of God
Price: Tk 1290.00

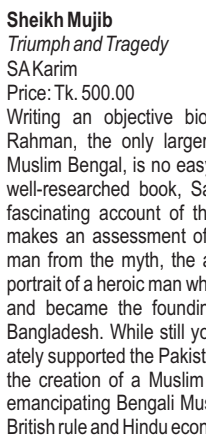
Arrow of God, the second of Achebe's novels of colonialism, takes place in the 1920s after the British have established a presence in Nigeria. The "arrow of god" mentioned in the title is Ezeulu, the chief priest of the god Ulu who is the patron deity of an Ibo village. As chief priest, Ezeulu is responsible for initiating the rituals that structure village life, a position vested with a great deal of power.



Anthills of the Savannah
Price: Tk 1180.00

A Man of the People
Price: Tk 1180.00

In this novel, Achebe casts a critical eye on African politics. The author's eye-piece is the books narrator Odili, a schoolteacher; the object of his scrutiny is Chief the Honourable MA Nanga. Member of Parliament, Odili's former teacher and a popular bush politician who has risen to the post of Minister of Culture in his west African homeland.

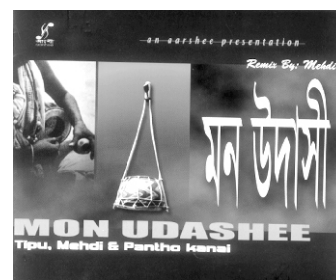


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SYED WALIUILLAH
Tree Without Roots
Edited by Niaz Zaman, Price: Tk 380.00
Tree Without Roots is the English translation/transcription of Syed Waliullah's classic novel Lal Shalu.

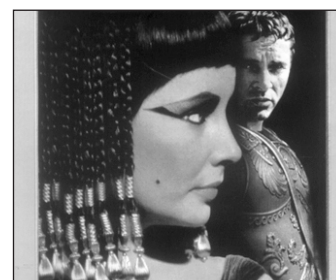
CDs, DVD



Aarshree brings two new albums—Mon Udashi and Anchor. The first one is a mixed collection of songs in folk style by Tipu, Mehedi and Pantha Kanai. The tracks include Holuda pakhi, Amarey chharia, Habiganj, Bondhu chhara and others.



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Cleopatra (1963)
Directed by Joseph L. Mankiewicz
Cast: Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton, Rex Harrison, Pamela Brown
Price: Tk 120.00

Breakfast at Tiffany's (1961)
Directed by Blake Edwards
Cast: Audrey Hepburn, George Peppard, Patricia Neal, Buddy Ebsen
Price: Tk 120.00



The Fall of the Roman Empire (1964)
Directed by Anthony Mann
Cast: Sophia Loren, Stephen Boyd, Alec Guinness, Omar Sharif
Price: Tk 120.00



Spring, Summer, Fall, Winter... and Spring (2003)
Directed by Ki-duk Kim
Cast: Yeong-su Oh, Ki-duk Kim
Price: Tk 120.00

Swar Tarang & Lure of Desert
DVD
Flute by Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia
Thumri by Pandit Vishwa Mohan Bhatt
Price: Tk 400.00



TV GUIDE

Table with columns for BTW, CHANNEL-i, ATN BANGLA, and ntv, listing program titles and times.

Table with columns for Drama Serial, Talk Show, Music Express, and other programs, listing titles and times.

PICK OF THE DAY
Urey Jai Bokpokkhi
On ntv at 09:10 pm
Drama Serial
Cast: Shaon, Swadhin Khasru, Masum Aziz

Table with columns for ANIMAL PLANET, DISCOVERY, STAR PLUS, STAR WORLD, NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC, and ESPN, listing program titles and times.