

MA Wahab elected Rotary governor

CITY DESK

Engr MA Wahab has been elected district governor of Rotary International District 3281 Bangladesh for 2022-23, says a press release.



He was elected at Rotary District Conference held in Dhaka on Saturday. MA Wahab is associated with several social organisations.

Tahera Wahid chairperson of Inner Wheel Dist 345

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Tahera Wahid, charter president of Inner Wheel Club of Dilkusha, has been elected chairperson of Inner Wheel Dist 345 for 2020-21, says a press release.



The election took place at Gulshan Ladies Club in Dhaka on February 29, which was attended by representatives of 37 clubs of the district.

Other elected office bearers are Angela Baisakhi Mendes (vice chairman-I), Fatema Mazid (vice chairman-II), Tahia Khalil (immediate past chairman), Parveen Zaman (secretary), Sharmeen Rahman (treasurer), Tahera Muzaffar (extension organiser), Farah Naz Qaiyum (ISO), Sultana Nur Jahan Rosy (editor) and Lutfa Sarkar Lipi (webmaster).



A tin-shed structure has been constructed on Chattogram's Chaktai canal. Transgressions into waterbodies like this have become a regular occurrence across the country. This photo was taken yesterday.

PHOTO: RAJIB RAIHAN

Taking on the challenges

FROM PAGE 3 is septic tanks, which ultimately lead to dumping faecal waste in Buriganga river or nearby canals. So, we are polluting the environment.

There is still so much disparity -- we pay some Tk 11.57 for every thousand litres of water but people in the coastal belt are paying Tk 20 for a pitcher of water. Yet, we should all have equal rights as human. We're working on this issue and I hope to see positive change in the future.

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For faecal waste management, we have set up a plant in Sakhipur in Tangail with a full value chain -- faecal waste source-to-end use. Now the World Bank, Islamic Development Bank, and the Asian Development Bank have come forward with funds.

Ishraque files lawsuit

FROM PAGE 3 claimed that the February 1 election was held amid irregularities and corruption, adding that on the day, a satisfactory number of voters did not turn up to cast their votes.

Ishraque also alleged that the election commissioner, in collusion with others, declared Taposh the mayor of DSCC.

He also appealed to the tribunal to declare election process for the post of mayor in the DSCC polls 2020 void and order for a fresh election.

On Monday, Tabitha Awal, BNP-nominated candidate for the Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) mayoral election, filed a similar lawsuit with the election tribunal, demanding cancellation of the February 1 election.

GRAFT CASE

Meantime, trial of a graft case against Ishraque started yesterday, through deposition of the complainant of the case.

Judge Shaikh Nazmul Alam of the Special Judge Court-4 of Dhaka recorded the statement of ACC Assistant Director Shamsul Alam in the case filed against him for not submitting his wealth statement to the ACC.

After recording his statement, the judge fixed April 7 for the next hearing.

On January 15, the same court framed charges against Ishraque in the case. The graft watchdog on August 29 in 2010 filed a case against him with Ramna Police Station.

On December 6 in 2018, ACC Deputy Director Jahangir Hossain pressed charges against him.

Tarnishing values

FROM PAGE 3 Citing Narendra Modi's scheduled visit to Dhaka on March 17, Kuddus said Modi makes frequent visits but a group is trying to misguide citizens by protesting his upcoming visit centring Bangabandhu's birth centenary.

"We want justice for Muslims in India, but at the same time, we need to acknowledge the contributions India made; so, we should welcome him [Modi]," he added.

Bangladesh Hindu-Buddhist-Christian Oikya Parishad General Secretary Rana Dasgupta criticised Modi and his party, BJP, at the programme.

"We should be aware so that none can undermine the image of Bangladesh by

creating similar violence here," he added.

Mufti Faizur Rahman, a member of the Protirodh Morcha, said the Indian government should take legal action against those who had attacked Muslims in Delhi.

He also alleged that a group in Bangladesh is opposing Modi's visit to the country, but they said nothing when Muslims were attacked in China.

Among others, the platform's convener FM Shahin, joint convener Barrister Tureen Afroz and Dhaka University Bangabandhu Hall Union General Secretary Mehedi Hasan Shanto also spoke at the human chain.

Meanwhile, the death toll in Delhi's violence rose to 46 till Monday, according to different media reports.

Suddhananda

FROM PAGE 3 kept at his hermitage in Dharmarajika Bouddha Bihar for the followers to pay tributes.

The mortal remains will be kept preserved into a casket for ceremonial cremation at a convenient time.

Born in 1933, Suddhananda Mahathero received prestigious Ekushey Padak in 2012 for his contribution to social services.

He was the president of Bangladesh Bouddha Kristi Prachar Sangha for a long time.

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina expressed deep shock and sorrow at his death. In a condolence message, she said he was a messenger of peace and humanity, who dedicated himself to social services.

The prime minister prayed for the salvation of the departed soul and conveyed profound sympathy to the bereaved family members, well-wishers and followers of Shuddhananda Mahathero. Jatiya Sangsad Speaker Shirin Sharmin Chaudhury also expressed shock at the demise.

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'FASHION FOR LIFE' A fun day for children

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, CIG

Participated by underprivileged and street children, Fashion for Life-2020 was held in Chattogram city's CRB Shirish Tola area on February 28, participated by distinguished personalities.

At the event, children were given new clothes and they walked the ramp with guests and models. Eminent fashion designer Bibi Russell was also present.

Tithi receives

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Municipality, said the plying of heavy vehicles comes as an inevitability of not having a by-pass road. "We're in talks with police and the local administration to find a way to minimise the recurrence of such incidents," said the mayor.

Upazila Education Officer Monika Parvin said for their part, they hosted several discussions, programmes and rallies in participation of professional drivers to raise awareness over issues responsible for causing road accidents.

"We are waiting for the post mortem report. We will submit the final charge sheet after we get the report," said OC Md Borhan Uddin Khan of Gouripur Police Station. Tithi's father had lodged a case with the police station. The OC said investigation for it has been completed.

During the investigation, truck driver Humayun was found completely responsible for the accident, the OC said. However, this correspondent got to learn from Tithi's father Ranjan that Humayun and Robin are now out on bail. This is painful for the aggrieved family.

"We want exemplary punishment for the culprits," Ranjan said.

Locals also alleged that a culture of impunity prevails in the country's transport sector.

Meanwhile, Rita lamented that the truck owner or his staff did not even visit the family -- as if they knew nothing will happen to them.

How they got licence

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On September 21, Rab filed a case with Gulshan Police Station against GK Shamim. Later, his bodyguards were shown arrested in the case.

Advocate Shamim Sarder appeared for the petitioners, while Advocate Khurshid Alam Khan argued for the ACC. Deputy Attorney General AKM Amin Uddin Manik represented the state.

2 killed, 4 injured

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an accident on Dhaka-Mymensingh highway. The deceased was identified as Emon (18), a pick-up van staff, hailing from Mymensingh district.

Police said the accident occurred after a truck hit a pick-up van around 6am, leaving Emon dead on the spot.

The body was sent to Shaheed Tazuddin Ahmad Medical College Hospital. A case was filed in this connection, police sources said.

লিগ্যাল নোটিশ

এতদ্বারা সর্বসাধারণের জ্ঞাতার্থে জানানো যাইতেছে যে, আমার মরেল উপদেষ্টার হোভিসে লিগিটেড, আর এম সেন্টার (৪র্থ তলা) ১০১ গুলশান এভিনিউ, ঢাকা-১২১২, নিম্ন তফসিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি ক্রয়ের জন্য সম্পত্তির বর্তমান মালিক ১) মোঃ নজরুল ইসলাম উইয়া, পিতা- মৃত হাকিম উদ্দিন উইয়া, মাতা-মোসাম্মা রোকেয়া বেগম, সাং-বরুয়া, পোঃ বরুয়া, থানা-খিলক্ষেত, জেলা-ঢাকা। ই-১২/০২/২০২০ তারিখে সাফ-বিক্রয় করার প্রস্তাব ঘোষণা করিলে আমার মরেল উপদেষ্টার ইচ্ছা প্রকাশ করেন। এক্ষেত্রে নিম্ন তফসিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তিতে যদি কাহারো বা কোনো প্রতিষ্ঠানের কোনো স্বত্ব-স্বার্থ বা দাবি থাকে তবে অত্র নোটিশ প্রকাশের ০৭ দিনের মধ্যে নিম্ন স্বাক্ষরকারীর সহিত নিম্ন টিকানায় নিজ নিজ স্বত্বের বা দাবির কাগজাদী লইয়া যোগাযোগের জন্য অনুরোধ করা যাইতেছে। অন্যথায় মেয়াদ অত্তে নিম্ন তফসিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি নিষ্কটক গণ্যে আমার মরেল রেজিঃ মুলো ক্রয় করিবেন। পরবর্তীতে কোনো দাবি গ্রহণযোগ্য বলিয়া বিবেচিত হইবে না।

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OBITUARY

Renowned Soil Scientist and Researcher Dr Sultana Ahmed started her eternal journey on February 29, 2020 at 10 am. Inna Lillahi wa inna Elaihe Rajiun. She was the wife of Prominent Soil Scientist Late Dr S. Mahbubur Rahman. She has served 35 years in Bangladesh Institute of Nuclear Agriculture (BINA) and retired as the Head, Soil Science Department and Chief Scientific Officer. She was living in Canada with her Daughters. She has left behind two daughters Urmi-Orchi, Sons - in - Law Mushfiq & Anayet, Grandchildren Antara, Arnab, Leona and relatives & well-wishers to mourn her passing away. Her Quikhani will be held at her Gulshan residence after the Asr prayers on 5th March, 2020.

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