

World Environment Day observed

CHITTAGONG, June 5: The World Environment Day was observed here today with a pledge to create mass awareness for building a healthy and pollution free environment, reports BSS.

Directorate of Environment here brought out a procession of children and juvenile organisations from the Circuit House.

City Mayor Mir Mohammad Nasiruddin led the procession. The Directorate also distributed saplings among the people.

A discussion was also held at the City Corporation Conference with Azadi Editor Prof. M. A. Hossain presiding in the chair.

City Mayor was the chief guest while Deputy Director of the Directorate, Dr. Abdus Sobhan presented the key note paper. Deputy Commissioner A. H. M. Abul Kashem, Divisional Forest Officer Mohammad Shafi and M. M. Hassan, Director, Forest Research Institute, among others, took part in the discussion.

The participants called for creating mass awareness about the environmental hazards and

turning it into social action which are essential for our survival.

The population control, in the context of Bangladesh, must be the central point of the country's poverty alleviation, they observed. The speakers also stressed the need for removal of the poverty alleviation for protecting the environment.

Khulna

The day was also observed in Khulna today in a befitting manner.

Various programmes were organised by the Environment Department, district administration, Khulna City Corporation, BRTA and Khulna Metropolitan Police. The programmes included poster, procession, rally, seminar, discussion, cleanliness campaign and leaflet and sapling distribution.

A procession with colourful festoons and placards was brought out from Khulna Circuit House Maidan which paraded the main city thoroughfares.

It was led by city Mayor Sheikh Tayebur Rahman and

Divisional Commissioner Abdul Muktadir Choudhury.

Khulna City Corporation distributed saplings among the participants of the rally.

Environment Department, BRTA and metropolitan police jointly launched drive on roads for checking black smoke and hydraulic horn of the motor vehicles.

A seminar on "Let us build up an elegant environment by breaking poverty's chain" was held at Khulna City Corporation's Shaheed Altaf auditorium.

Highlighting on the significance of the day, the speakers at the seminar underlined the need for creating social awareness for protecting the environment.

Bogra

State Minister for Finance Mojibur Rahman Saturday underlined the need for adopting community afforestation project through creating mass awareness to protect the environment.

He was speaking at a seminar on "Poverty and the Environment: Breaking the vicious circle," arranged in observance of the World Environment Day at Bogra Zia Parishad auditorium.

The seminar was jointly organised by Rajshahi divisional office of Environment Department and ADAB, Bogra.

Director General of Rural Development Academy Bogra, Dr. Ashraf Uddin Ahmed presented the key-note paper.

The Minister said, we have to face the challenge effectively with coordinated efforts to make the environment suitable for our posterity.

Development of environment and poverty alleviation is complementary to each other, Rahman said, adding the BNP government was pledge bound to alleviate poverty from the country.

He mentioned that implementation of 51 poverty alleviation projects along with other people welfare programmes were now underway and utmost emphasis had been laid on tree plantation.

Termining deforestation the main reason of environment pollution, the State Minister called upon the people to plant trees in a planned way for checking desertification.

The speakers said the rate of deforestation in the northern region was alarming. They suggested the use of oven innovated by improved local technology which would save 60 per cent firewood.

About one crore saplings were planted in Rajshahi division during the current fiscal year.

Earlier, a procession led by the State Minister for Finance was brought out in the town.

Dr Nurul Islam off to Tokyo

National Professor Dr Nurul Islam, founder-president of Adhunik, a national anti-smoking campaign, left Dhaka for Tokyo on Thursday to attend a conference on "Tobacco or Health," reports UNB.

Dr Islam will present papers on anti-tobacco activities in Bangladesh in the plenary session of the conference and participate in various group discussions.

He was specially invited by the Asia-Pacific Association for Control of Tobacco, which has organised the conference, in appreciation of the contributions of Adhunik in the campaign against smoking.

Adhunik in a separate press release yesterday thanked all who had taken part in the observance of World No-Tobacco Day on May 31.

It also appreciated the assurance given by the Prime Minister for various steps towards elimination of tobacco from the country to achieve a tobacco-free society.

'UNB trying to modernise photo service'

United News of Bangladesh (UNB) has been trying to modernise the photo service to provide its clients with best available quality pictures, reports UNB.

A day-long programme was organised by the Bangladesh Nationalist Party Satkhira district branch. The programmes included Quran Khawm, milad mahfil and feeding the destitutes.

A discussion was held at the party office on the life of the late President who was the founder of BNP. Presided over by Advocate Shamsul Huq, the meeting was addressed, among others, by Kamrul Islam Farooq, Secretary of district BNP, Shaikh Nizam Uddin, President of Satkhira city BNP, Shamsuzzoha Bablu and Tozammel Hossain, leaders of Chhatradal and Mithu and Hassan of Jubadaj.

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Body formed to build up unity of journalists

A three-member sub-committee with Wali Ashraf, MP, as convener was formed in line with decision of the meeting of parliamentary standing committee on Ministry of Information held on April 24 to build up unity and understanding among the journalists, according to official sources here yesterday, reports BSS.

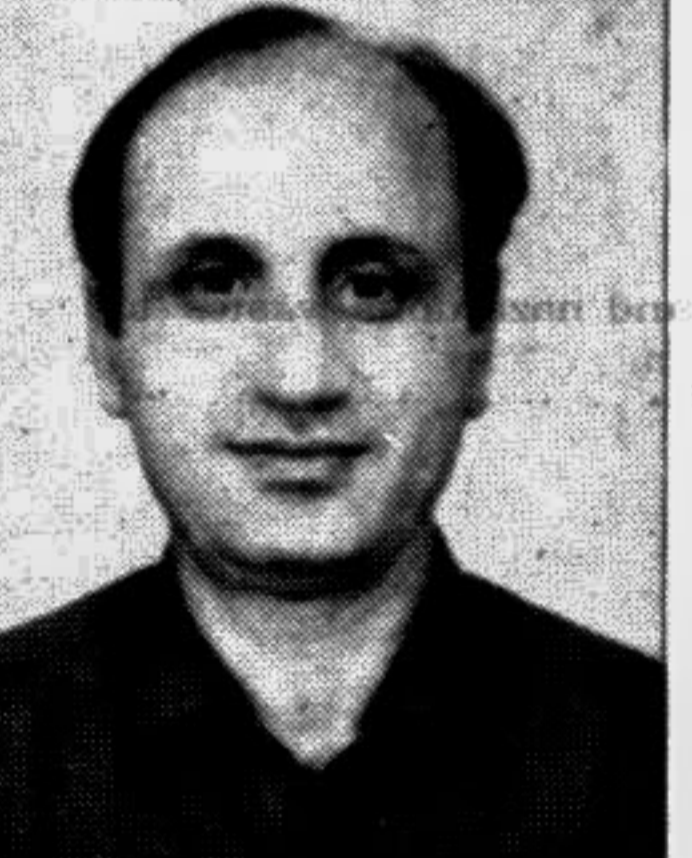
The other members of the sub-committee are Abul Kalam Azad, MP, and Mohammad Golam Rabbani. All the three members of the committee are the members of the parliamentary standing committee on Ministry of Information.

In carrying out its objective, the sub-committee will hold discussions with the Bangladesh Sangbad Patra Parishad (BSP), Bangladesh Federal Union of Journalists (BFUJ) and Dhaka Union of Journalists (DUJ).

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Joint Editor of the Daily Al Amin and former President of Rajshahi Union of Journalists (RUJ) Ranjan Kishore Chowdhury was cremated yesterday afternoon at Postagola Cremation Centre, reports BSS.

Chowdhury, who also served in a number of other newspapers including the Purbodesh, the Rajshahi Barta, the Janata and the Daily Rupali, died of a heart attack Friday.

A large number of journalists, admirers, relatives and community leaders including Maj General (Retd) CR Dutta and Dr Nimchandra Bhaumik were present at the cremation centre to pay their last respect to this dedicated journalist.

In the morning, the body of the deceased was taken to the National Press Club where a large number of his professional colleagues including senior journalists paid their respect to him.

In the evening a condolence meeting was held at the news room of the Daily Al-Amin with News Editor Sudhamony Kar in the chair. Among others, Amena Newaji, Mufti Ahmed, Sad Bin Rabbi, Liton Haider, Mozammel Mazumder and Saiful Islam spoke on the occasion.

The meeting paid tributes to Chowdhury and recalled his contributions to the profession. The meeting conveyed heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved family and prayed for the salvation of the departed soul.

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HERE and THERE

BPMPA
Bangladesh Private Medical Practitioners Association (BPMPA) called for an increase in budget allocation in the health sector.

In a statement yesterday the Association President Dr Mirza A Sobhan, Secretary General Dr CM Dilwar Rana and Treasurer Dr Md Muntruzaman Bhuiyan said, at least 20 per cent of the total budget should be allocated for health sector to make the programme 'Health for all by 2,000' a success.

BCS General Education Assoc
A five-member delegation of BCS General Education Association led by its Secretary General Abu Yusuf called on Professor SMA Fayed, Chairman of Public Service Commission, at his office yesterday.

Leaders of the association urged the Chairman to take steps by June 30 to fill up 20 per cent reserved posts of Assistant Professors, Associate Professors and Professors which have been lying vacant for a long time.



State Minister for Environment and Forests Gayeswar Chandra Roy speaking at a seminar yesterday on the occasion of World Environment Day at the United Nations Information Centre in the city. — PID photo

Zia's death anniversary observed in Khulna

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Theft at BNP leader's house

A group of young men stole cash and goods worth about Tk 3 lakh from the residence of a BNP leader Saturday noon.

The thieves broke into the locked house of Kazi Asaduzzaman, Convener of Jatiyabadi Shechhashebak Sangatha, at East Shasho around 11.30 am and took away a reported amount of cash of Tk 2.5 lakh. They also stole some electronic goods including a VCP.

Asaduzzaman and his family was away from home during the incident.

One of the thieves, while fleeing was held by the local people and handed over to police.

Burglars caught red handed at Kathalagan

Four burglars were caught red handed yesterday evening at Kathalagan while they were attempting to break open the grill of a house.

Police said that the burglars — Delwar, Idris, Rabin and Hannan — attempted to saw-off the grill of a house at 170, Kathalagan at about 6 pm.

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Lyricist hospitalised

S.M Bakht Shah Chisti, a lyricist and composer, has been admitted to the Dhaka Medical College Hospital following acute illness, reports BSS.

He has already undergone a throat operation, family sources said.

Chisti is now at Ward No. 14 of the Medical College Hospital.

Tender Notice

বিদ্যুৎ বিল নিয়মিত পরিশোধ করুন

Description of work: Construction of main water outlet drain at project residential area. Eligibility of contractor: PDB's 'A' class (stated class of works & Govt. Public Works Dept) contractors. Estimated cost: Taka 15,69,917/=. Price of tender: Taka 500/=. Place & date of tender availability: From Agrani Bank, Chatteswari Road branch, Chittagong & Chief Engineer, PSC, PDB, Dhaka Office respectively up to 13-6-93 with prior approval of Project Director (Chief Engineer), Superintending Engineer (Punisa) 210 MW, CTPSC Project, 447, Muradpur, Chittagong & the undersigned and Chief Engineer (PSC), PDB, Shahjahanpur, Dhaka and on payment of stated tender price (non-refundable) per set in Pay Order/Bank Draft in favour of Deputy Director (Accounts), Zonal Accounts Office (E&P), PDB, Chittagong from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh. Date of receiving & opening: 14-6-93 up to 12-30 hours & on the same day at 12-45 hours. All other formalities of tender must be complied with.

Executive Engineer (CCD-3) 210 MW CTPSC Project PDB, Chittagong
Biddu/Jana-1395 (5) 92-93
DFP (BA) 4629-25/5
G-746

Notice Inviting Tender (RHD), Road Division, Dinajpur

- Tender Notice No : 45 EE/D of 1992-93.
 - Name of work : Bullah palasiding work at west side approach of Gabura Bridge at 21st KM of Saidpur-Baldanga Road under Road Division, Dinajpur, during the year 1992-93.
 - Estimated cost : Tk 1,54,768/-
 - Earnest money : Tk 3,095/-
 - Time for completion : 25 (Twenty-five) days from the date of issue of work order.
 - Eligibility of contractor : A to E (General).
 - Name of offices : Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Dinajpur/Thakurgoan/Nilphamary.
 - Name of offices to receive the tender bids : Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Divn, Dinajpur/Thakurgoan/Nilphamari. AND Superintending Engineer (RHD), Dinajpur Road Circle, Dinajpur.
 - Last date of selling of tender documents (during office hours) : Up to 14-6-93.
 - Last date of receiving tender bids : Up to 12-30 PM on 15-6-93.
 - Date and time of opening of bids : At 12-45 PM on 15-6-93.
- Md Lutfur Rahman
Executive Engineer (RHD)
Road Division, Dinajpur
- DFP(G) 8968-27/5
G-745

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Office of the Executive Engineer Local Government Engineering Directorate, Rajbari

Tender Notice No.17/1992-93

Tenders are invited in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 under sealed cover are invited from Local Govt Engineering Directorate enlisted special-class/A-class/B-class contractors (applicable only for those who have renewed their licence for 1992-93 financial year) for the following work under Rural Infrastructure Maintenance Programme during 1992-93 within Govt Budget under Local Govt Engg Directorate.

Estimate No Group No	Name of work	Earnest money	Time limit for completion of work	Price of tender document (non-refundable)
38/92-93 Group No.1	Maintenance (Bituminous) work of Pangsha-Kalitola-Sengram Road.	10% (ten) per cent of quoted amount	60 days	Taka 1,500/=

- Tender document, schedule etc can be purchased at prescribed cash price (non-refundable) from the office of the undersigned on all working days during office hours up to 12-6-93 (29-2-1400 BS) and will be received in the tender box kept at the office of the undersigned up to 3.00 PM on 13-6-93 (30-2-1400 BS) and opened on the same day at 4.00 PM in presence (if any) of the tenders.
- Rate should be quoted in the tender schedule with itemwise analysis. Per cent above/below/at par will not be acceptable. Tender without itemwise analysis of rate will be rejected outright.
- Qualitative standard of the work and the materials used therein will be determined through daily random test of each work from beginning to end. If the standard of work or material is not found satisfactory, then the work will not be acceptable.
- Work-plan of the work must be submitted with the tender. If the successful contractor fails to execute progress of work as per work-plan after issuing of work order, then stringent legal steps will be taken in accordance with the contract document.
- The successful contractor cannot transfer, give sub-contract or sub-lease the allotted work under any circumstance. If any contractor is found to be indulged in such act then his/his tender will be cancelled with forfeiture of earnest money and he/they blacklisted.
- Earnest money at the rate 10% (ten per cent) of the total quoted rate in the form of BD/CD from any scheduled bank in favour of Executive Engineer, Local Govt Engineering Directorate, Rajbari should be deposited with the tender. Otherwise tender will be rejected outright.
- VAT and Income Tax will be deducted from contractor's bill as per Govt directives. Itemwise quoted rates submitted by the contractor should include Income Tax, VAT, price of materials, labour rate, transportation, profit of contractor, site maintenance and sundries etc.
- Attested photocopy of enlistment/prequalification certificate must be submitted with the tender.
- List of works executed during 1991-92 and 1992-93 should be procured from the Executive Engineer of respective office and submitted with the tender. Such contractors as have failed to execute any work during the period under LGED or failed to maintain ratio of progress of work will be considered as ineligible to participate in the tender.
- Certificate on successful completion of road construction/reconstruction work worth minimum Taka 6 (six) lakh within the past 5 (five) years from the respective Executive Engineer must be submitted with the tender, otherwise tender will be treated as rejected outright.
- Contractor participating in the tender must attach copy of VAT payment, enlistment certificate with the tender. Otherwise tender will be treated as cancelled outright.
- The authority reserves the right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.
- This notice being abridged, detailed information and terms and conditions of the tender can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Mohammad Musa
Executive Engineer
Local Govt Engg Directorate, Rajbari

DFP(G) 9018-29/5
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WORLD SERVICE TELEVISION

Sunday, 6th June

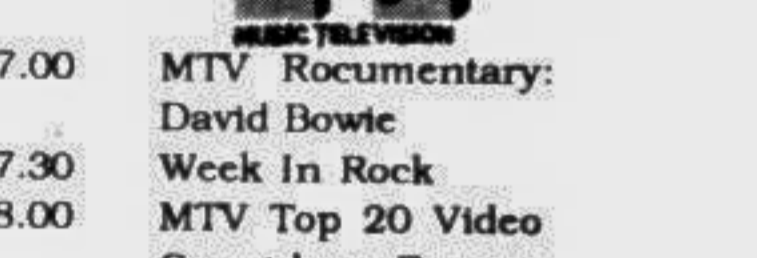
(All programmes in local time)

- 6 am World News
- 6.25 World News Week
- 7.00 World News
- 7.25 Assignment
- 8.00 World News
- 8.25 Film '93
- 9.00 World News
- 9.25 TBA
- 10.00 World News
- 10.25 Public Eye
- 11.00 World News
- 11.30 Business Matters
- 12.00 World News
- 12.25 Network East Extra
- 1.00 World News
- 1.25 The Late Show
- 2.00 World News
- 2.25 Winning
- 3.00 World News
- 3.25 World News Week
- 4.00 World News
- 4.25 Public Eye
- 5.00 World News
- 5.25 Antenna
- 6.00 World News
- 6.25 Assignment
- 7.00 World News
- 7.25 The Late Show
- 8.00 World News Headlines
- 8.25 Breakfast With Frost
- 9.00 World News
- 9.25 On The Record
- 10.00 World News
- 10.25 World News Week
- 11.00 World News
- 11.25 Business Matters
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- 5.00 World News
- 5.25 World Business Report



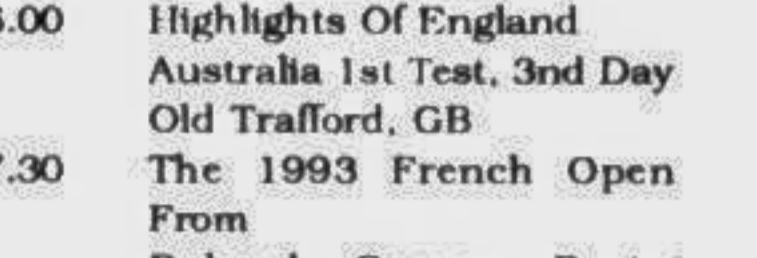
6 am Emu TV

- 6.30 Drak Pack
- 7.00 Children's Room
- 7.30 Dappledown Farm
- 8.00 Terrahawks
- 8.30 The STAR Kid Show
- 9.00 Treasure Hunt: East Midlands
- 10.30 The India Show
- 11.00 The Best of Qonahue: Do You Know Your Husband Or Did You Marry The Wrong Men? Ruth Rendell: Achilles Heel
- 12.30 Kung Fu Masters: Lightning Kung Fu
- 3.00 White Shadow
- 4.00 Movie Television
- 4.30 Eye On Asia Scendipity
- 5.00 Love At First Sight
- 5.30 In The Picture
- 6.00 Movie: The Trial Of The Incredible Hulk
- 8.00 Drop The Deed Donkey
- 8.30 The Incredibly Strange Film Show: John Waters In The Picture
- 9.30 Mini Series Rege Of Angels: The Story Continues
- 12.10 Travel Travel: Los Angeles
- 12.40 Video-fashion Special: Accessorize
- 1.10 Battle For The Planet
- 1.40 The Bold & The Beautiful
- 2.10 Santa Barbara
- 3.00 Donahue: Violence And Sex On TV
- 4.00 Are We Going Too Far? Attitudes
- 5.00 Sharky & George
- 5.30 Emu TV



7.00 MTV Documentary: David Bowie

- 7.30 Weck In Rock
- 8.00 MTV Top 20 Video Countdown Europe
- 9.30 VJ Angela Chow
- 12.00 VJ Sophia
- 3.00 MTV Top 20 Video Countdown Asia
- 6.00 MTV Unplugged: Midnight Oil
- 6.30 Goe Tatwan
- 7.00 Classic MTV
- 8.00 Dial MTV
- 9.00 MTV Heart And Soul
- 9.30 Angela
- 10.00 MTV Top 20 Video Countdown USA
- 12.00 The Grind
- 12.30 Weck In Rock
- 1.00 VJ Angela Chow
- 4.00 Awake On The wild side



6.00 Highlights Of England

- Australia, 1st Test, 3rd Day
- Old Trafford, GB
- 7.30 The 1993 French Open From Roland Garros Paris, France
- 2 Men's Singles Final & Men's Doubles Final
- European Soccer
- Trans World Sport
- 3.00 US PGA Tour Southwestern
- Bess Colonial Day 4 From Fort Worth Texas, USA
- 6.30 The 1993 French Open From Roland Garros Paris, France Ladies Final
- 8.30 Highlights Of England v Australia 1st Test, 3rd Day Old Trafford, GB
- 10.00 Trans World Sport
- 11.00 Delayed The 1993 French Open From Roland Garros Paris, France
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- 3.00 US PGA Tour Southwestern Bell Colonia Day 4 From Fort Worth Texas USA