

Metropolitan



Deputy Leader of the Opposition in Parliament Abdu Samad Azad speaking at a discussion on noted politician Ataur Rahman Khan in the city yesterday. — Star photo

Tributes paid to Ataur Rahman Khan

Leaders of different political parties yesterday met together to pay tributes to noted politician Ataur Rahman Khan on the occasion of his second death anniversary held under the auspices of the Ataur Rahman Khan Smriti Sangsad in the capital, reports BSS.

Speaking on the occasion the Deputy Speaker said since the emergence of Pakistan the late leader played a pioneering role for the political and economic freedom of the people of the country.

Panni also referred to different qualities of the late leader, particularly, his unique quality of political tolerance. He urged all to follow his example for the development of country's political culture.

Abdu Samad Azad said, Ataur Rahman Khan became the key personality of this part of the then Pakistan soon after its emergence in 1947. He took a bold step against the disparity that existed between the two parts of Pakistan.

In his presidential speech, justice Kemaluddin Hossain said despite a leader of a certain party the late leader did not believe in vote bank politics.

Dhaka to have more overbridges

A meeting on "traffic control and road accident in Dhaka Metropolitan area" was held at Home Ministry with Home Minister Abdul Matin Chowdhury in the chair, reports UNB.

Decisions were taken for reduction of road mishaps and development of traffic management in Dhaka City. Indication of parking sites in different important road junctions of the city and construction of more overbridges were also decided.

Amendment on some rules of motor vehicle ordinance, action against motor drivers without or holding fake license, against the black smoke emitting vehicles causing environmental pollution and prohibition of using hydraulic horns were discussed in the meeting.

Dhaka city Mayor Mirza Abbas MP, N Hamidullah Khan PM, Home secretary Azimuddin Ahmed and other high officials of the concerned departments were present.

Foreign trawler impounded

KHULNA, Dec 7: Navy ship Bishkhali, a patrol craft of the Bangladesh Navy, impounded another foreign fishing trawler and arrested all its 11 crew members yesterday from near the Fairway Buoy off Hiron Point, reports BSS.

The trawler was fishing within Bangladesh territorial waters.

The impounded trawler was later escorted to Mongla and was handed over to the local fishery authorities.

Syeduzzaman pays respect to late S M Ali

M Syeduzzaman, former secretary and Minister for Finance arrived in Dhaka yesterday from Kuwait for a five-day visit.

He is currently working as Special Advisor, Government of Kuwait, Ministry of Finance. On his arrival M Syeduzzaman called on Mahfuz Anam, Editor, the Daily Star to pay his respects to the memory of late S M Ali, says a press release.

What's on today

National Museum

Bangladesh National Museum as part of its regular network on Cultural Heritage of Bangladesh has arranged a seminar entitled "Wood-Curving in Bangladesh" today (Wednesday) at 4:00 pm at the Shishu Auditorium of National Museum.

Anwarul Haque will present the key-note paper while Begum Jinat Mahrukh Banu and Mohammad Hamiduzzaman Khan will take part in the discussion.

Pro-Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University Professor Wakil Ahmed will preside.

Dhaka Chamber of Commerce & Industry

The Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DCCI) organises a seminar on "Polythene shopping bag: use and problem" today (Wednesday) at 11 am at the auditorium of the DCCI.

Food Minister Mr Shawkat Ali will be the chief guest while Minister of State for Industries Lutfur Rahman Khan and President of the Federation of Chamber of Commerce and Industry (FCCI) will be the special guests.

Joy Bangla Sangskritik Oikyajote

The Joy Bangla Sangskritik Oikyajote will hold a four-day long cultural festival beginning today (Wednesday) at the Bangabandhu Avenue.

The festival includes victory rally, discussion, folk song, bookfair, drama, photographic and handicraft exhibition.

Rotary Club of Dhaka North West

The regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhaka North West will be held today (Wednesday) at 5:30 pm at the Sonargaon Hotel. It will be a "closed meeting."

Ex-students of Faridpur Zilla School

A meeting of the organising committee for re-union of the ex-students of Faridpur Zilla School will be held today (Wednesday) at 4:30 pm in the board room of the Trading Corporation of Bangladesh, TCB Bhaban, Kawran Bazar.

KM Rabbani, Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister will preside over the meeting.

Asiatic Society of Bangladesh

The Professor Muhammad Nurul Karim Trust Fund Lecture '93 will be held today (Wednesday) at 4:00 pm in the auditorium of the society.

Dr. MA Baqi, Associate Professor, Department of Islamic Studies, University of Dhaka will deliver the Professor Muhammad Nurul Karim Trust Fund Lecture '93 on 'Contributions in the Islamic literature of Bangladesh scholars: 1801-1971'.

Professor AKM Nurul Islam, president of the society will preside.

Rotary Club of Dhaka South

The regular weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka South will be held jointly with the Rotaract Club of Sir Salimullah Medical College at 4:30 pm today (Wednesday) at the Hotel Purani International.

Seminar on Engineering Insurance

A two-day seminar on Engineering Insurance begins today (Wednesday) at Bangladesh Insurance Academy from 9 am.

KR Weidl and Paul Czinsky, the internationally reputed engineering experts, will be the key-note speakers.

A total of 60 participants from private insurance companies and Sadharan Bima Corporation will attend the seminar.

Chhatra Moitree

The conference of the Dhaka University unit of Chhatra Moitree will be held today (Wednesday) at 11 am. It will be followed by a fresher's reception.

Rashed Khan Menon MP, General Secretary of Workers' Party will be the chief guest.

Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga

The regular weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga will be held today (Wednesday) at 5:30 pm at the Sonargaon Hotel.

Sultanzaman Khan, Chairman, Security and Exchange Commission will be the guest speaker and he will speak on 'Prospect of Security and Exchange in Bangladesh'.

North South University

The North South University (NSU) will hold a seminar and discussion today (Wednesday) at the Banani Campus building at 2:30 pm on the topic "Why Should We be Concerned about Poverty?"

Dr Akhter Ahmed, Consumption Economist, International Food Policy Research Institute, Washington DC, USA will speak on the topic.

Seminar on Sanitation

The NGO Forum for drinking water and sanitation has organised a one day seminar on 'Social Movement for Sanitation' at Karitas Training Centre at Malibagh in the city at 9 am today (Wednesday).

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Lady Brabourne Old Students Assoc

Members of the Lady Brabourne College Old Students Association will celebrate "Rokeya Dibash" tomorrow (Thursday) at 4 pm at 1, New Bailey Road (beside Mahila Samity auditorium).

3 killed in separate mishaps

By DMCH Correspondent

Three persons were killed in separate incidents in the city Tuesday. An unidentified female, 35, was killed when a speeding minibus ran over her at Sukrabad area early yesterday.

The victim was seriously injured and sent to the Dhaka Medical College Hospital (DMCH) where the doctors on duty declared her dead.

In a separate accident another person was killed when a running train ran over him at Pantha Path rail-crossing at about 9 am Tuesday. The unknown victim, 20, died on the spot.

An employee of Friends Garments, at Pallabi was electrocuted at his residence, Pallabi yesterday afternoon.

The victim Mohammed Selim, 30, was electrocuted while using a electric heater.

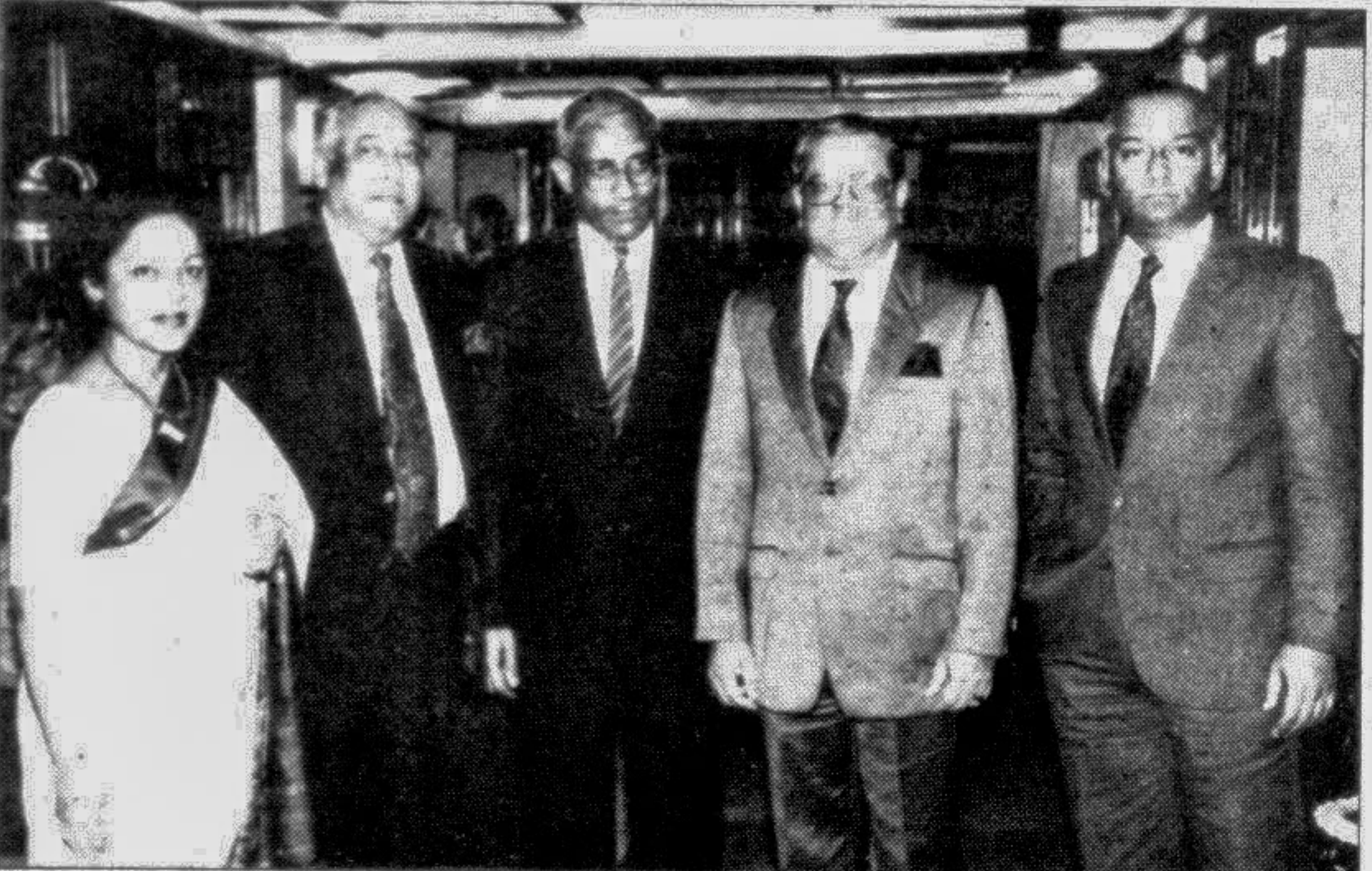
All the bodies were sent to the DMCH morgue for autopsy.

Obituary

Dr Nur Mohammad Chowdhury, Additional Director, Department of Livestock died of a heart attack in the city yesterday. He was 53, reports BSS.

He left behind his wife, three sons and two daughters.

His Namaz-e-Janaza was held at the Department of Livestock.



Zeaul Huq, the Honorary Consul General of Finland and Mrs Huq with (from right), President of Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce & Industry Latifur Rahman, Secretary of Ministry of Home Azimuddin Ahmad and Indian High Commissioner Baghnath at a reception at a local hotel Monday on the occasion of 76th Independence Day of Finland.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Food
 Bangladesh Sect., Dhaka
Amendment

It is informed for all concerned that the proposed consignment to be shipped by February 15, 1994 instead of January 31, 1994 as stated in the Tender Notice No.MF (Pro-11)/Japan-2/93-570 dated 30.11.93 which was published in The Daily Star on 3-12-1993.

2. All other terms & conditions in the published Tender Notice will be unaltered.

DFFP(G)20264-5/12 Md Abdul Baten Miah
 G-1687 Asstt. Secretary

BCIC Corrigendum

Sub: Extension of opening date of Tender Enquiry No. Pur-4. 1064/93-94 dated 23.10.93 for Intercom System for BCIC, H.O. Dhaka.

It is notified for information of all concerned that the opening date of Tender Enquiry No. Pur-4. 1064/93-94 dated: 23-10-93 for supply, installation and commissioning of 16 to 30 lines Intercom Telephone System in BCIC Head Office, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka has been extended. The tender shall now be opened on F7-12-93 at 11:00 AM instead of 30-11-93.

2. All other terms and condition of the Tender Enquiry No. Pur-4. 1064/93-94 dated 23-10-93 shall remain unchanged.

BCIC-1197-30/11
 DFFP (BA) 11007-4/12
 G-1692 Sr. General Manager (Purchase)



Begum Rokeya Day tomorrow

By Staff Correspondent

The Begum Rokeya Day will be observed throughout the country tomorrow with due honour.

To observe the day, different socio-cultural organisation have planned elaborate programmes.

Women's Affairs Ministry will hold a discussion on the works, ideals and struggle of Begum Rokeya on the day at Planning and Development Academy, Nilkhet, at 10 am.

State Minister for Women's Affairs Sarwari Rahman will be present as chief guest while Secretary of the Ministry Muhammad Enamul Huq will preside over the meeting.

Bangla Academy will hold a discussion at its premises at 4 pm on the day. Professor Md Maniruzzaman will be in the chair.

Nareegrantha Prabartana has organised a cultural programme entitled "Lakh Naree Sabak Hai Ekti Naree Dakey" to observe the day at the Planning and Development Academy at 5 pm.

NSU, GWU sign accord

President of North South University (NSU) Muslehuddin Ahmad and President of George Washington University (GWU) Trachtenberg signed an Academic Cooperation Agreement Monday. Deans and professors of GWU were present at the formal signing ceremony held at Rice Hall of the GWU campus, says a press release.

This agreement will enable NSU and GWU to exchange faculty and researchers; organise joint seminars and conference; accept students from the other institution at the undergraduate, masters, professional and doctoral levels; host visiting scholars from the other institution; exchange academic programme materials; and develop joint research and publication. Other forms of cooperation of mutual interest to both parties are not excluded.

After the ceremony, a meeting between the presidents considered sending teachers from the GWU to NSU in the near future. NSU president informed the GWU deans that it has set up an International Advisory Board comprised noted academicians which monitors the academic programmes of NSU.

President of World Population Council meets Kamal

Margaret Catley Carlson, President of World Population Council called on Health and Family Welfare Minister Chowdhury Kamal, Imne Yusuf at his residential office yesterday, reports UNB.

The Health Minister apprised the visiting President of World Population Council about the government's programmes, strategies and action plan regarding family planning.

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UNIVERSITY OF DHAKA: Applications in prescribed form obtainable from the Office of the Registrar are invited from the Bangladesh nationals for filling up two permanent posts of Associate Professor of Public Administration.

Pay Scale Tk. 7100-200-8700/-.

QUALIFICATIONS: Candidates must have high academic qualifications preferably a Ph.D or equivalent degree in Public Administration. They should have at least 7 years' teaching and research experience in a university or an Institute of Advanced Research. They should have original research works published in recognised research journals. Experience and performance as a teacher as well as significant contribution to different areas of university activities especially in guiding the overall educational and co-curricular activities of the students will also be treated as qualification. In special cases the condition of period of experience may be relaxed.

Eleven copies of application together with attested copies of certificates, testimonials and mark-sheets along with a Pay Order/ Bank Draft of the Value of Tk. 50 (fifty) only, payable to the Registrar should reach him on or before 30-12-1993. Candidates already in service must apply through proper channel. D-884

Institute of Statistical Research and Training
 University of Dhaka

Career Opportunity

Applications in the prescribed form obtainable from the office of the Institute are invited from the Bangladeshi nationals for the following posts:

- One permanent post of Assistant Professor.** Pay-scale Tk. 4800-175-7250. Requirements: (a) Candidates must have First Class either in Honours or in Master's degree in Statistics or in both or an equivalent degree from a foreign University with at least high second divisions in SSC & HSC examinations. or (b) Candidates must have First Class in Diploma in Statistics and Master of Statistics/Master of Demography degree with strong background in Statistics of ISRT or any recognized institutions of advanced learning with a minimum of second division/class in all other examinations. They should have at least 3(three) years teaching and research experience in a university. The above requirements may be relaxed in the case of those who have Ph.D degree or research publications in standard journals. Experience and performance as a teacher as well as significant contribution to different areas of university activities especially in guiding the overall educational and co-curricular activities of the students will also be treated as special qualification. Other qualifications being equal, preference will be given to those who have M Phil degree.
- One Permanent post of Lecturer.** Pay-scale Tk. 2850-125-3725-EB-130-5155. Requirements: (a) Candidates must have First Class either in Honours or in Master's degree in Statistics or in both with at least second divisions in SSC & HSC examinations. or (b) Candidates must have First Class in Diploma in Statistics and Master of Statistics/Master of Demography degree with strong background in Statistics of ISRT or any recognized institutions of advanced learning with a minimum of second division/class in all other-examinations. Other qualifications being equal, preference will be given to those who have M Phil degree.

Eight copies of applications together with attested copies of certificates, testimonials and mark-sheets of SSC and HSC examinations along with a Pay Order/Bank Draft of the value of Tk. 30.00 (thirty) payable to the Registrar, Dhaka University should reach the undersigned on or before 30.12.1993. Candidates already serving in Government or Semi-Government organizations must apply through proper channel.

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 Director
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STAR TV NETWORK

Wednesday 8th December
 (All programmes in local time)

BBC

6 am BBC World Service News
 6.15 Asia Today
 6.25 Newsnight
 7.00 BBC World Service News
 7.25 World Business Report
 8.00 BBC World Service News
 8.15 Asia Today
 8.25 Newsnight
 9.00 BBC World Service News
 9.15 Asia Today
 9.25 Germany Means Business
 10.00 BBC World Service News
 10.25 Holiday
 11.00 BBC World Service News
 11.25 Public Eye
 12 Noon BBC World Service News
 12.30 BBC Business Breakfast
 1.00 BBC World Service News
 1.25 Kilroy
 2.00 BBC World News Headlines
 2.05 Edge Of Life
 3.00 BBC World Service News
 3.15 Everyman
 4.00 BBC World News Headlines
 4.05 The Clothes Show
 4.30 BBC World News Headlines
 4.35 Top Gear
 5.00 BBC World Service News
 6.05 BBC World News Headlines
 6.05 Assignment
 6.05 BBC World Service News
 6.05 Hour
 6.05 BBC World Service News
 6.05 World Business Report
 6.10 BBC World Service News
 6.15 Fire in the Blood
 6.20 BBC World Service News
 6.25 Everyman
 6.30 BBC World Service News
 6.35 Hour
 6.40 BBC World Service News
 6.45 Ken Hom's Chinese
 6.50 Cookery
 6.55 BBC World Service News
 7.00 Film 93
 7.05 BBC World News Headlines
 7.10 TBA
 7.15 Edge Of Life
 7.20 BBC World Service News
 7.25 World Business Report
 7.30 BBC World Service News
 7.35 World Business Report

PLUS

6 am East Of The Moon
 6.30 Kabelle II
 7.00 Mr Rogers Neighbourhood
 7.30 The Magic Box
 8.00 East Of The Moon
 8.30 Kabelle II
 9.00 El Extreme Close-Up
 Paloma Picasso
 9.30 What Every Baby Knows
 10.00 Mother's Day
 10.30 Neighbours
 11.00 Santa Barbara
 12 Noon The Bold & The Beautiful
 12.30 Donahue: Goods News Sex Survey
 1.30 The Oprah Winfrey Show
 Teach Your Children
 2.30 The Bold & The Beautiful
 2.30 Today's Gourmet
 3.00 Mr Rogers Neighbourhood
 3.30 The Magic Box
 4.00 East Of The Moon
 4.30 Degraas Junior High
 5.00 El Extreme Close-Up
 Isabella Rossellini
 Neighbours
 5.30 Mash
 6 pm Mtn Series:
 6.30 Lonesome Dove
 7.00 The Bold & The Beautiful
 7.30 Santa Barbara
 8.00 Mtn Series: "Lonesome Dove"
 8.30 Mash
 9.00 El Behind The Scenes
 9.30 Neighbours
 1.00 Mtn Series: "Lonesome Dove"
 1.30 Young Doctors
 3.30 El Behind The Scenes
 4.30 Chippy & The Princess
 5.30 The Magic Box

MTV

6 am MTV's Most Wanted: Nontie
 7.00 Dial MTV: Nonie
 8.00 Classic MTV
 8.30 VJ Danny
 9.00 MTV Prime
 9.30 VJ David Wu
 11.00 MTV Stopless Hits
 11.30 VJ Danny
 1.00 MTV Mastermix
 1.30 VJ Sophiya
 3.00 MTV Prime
 3.30 VJ David Wu
 5.30 MTV sports
 6 pm Day in Rock
 6.10 3 From One
 6.30 Aft. Nation
 7.00 MTV's Most Wanted
 8.00 Dial MTV
 9.00 MTV Heart And Soul
 9.30 Angela
 10.00 Classic MTV
 11.00 Headbangers Ball
 11.30 VJ Danny
 1.00 MTV Mastermix
 1.30 VJ Sophiya
 3.00 Day in Rock
 3.10 3 From One
 3.30 Big Picture
 4.00 Awake On The Wild Side
 4.30 Angela Chow

PRIME sports

6 am Lipton Hong Kong Open Ladies Singles & Doubles Finals
 8.00 Australian Open Metropolitan GC Australia, Day 3
 2 pm Lipton Hong Kong Open Men's Singles & Doubles Finals
 4.00 Australian Open Metropolitan GC Australia, Final Day
 10.00 Lipton Hong Kong Open Men's Singles & Doubles Finals
 12.30 am Australian Open Metropolitan GC Australia, Final Day

Zee TV

2.30 pm HFF
 5.00 Teer Kamaan
 5.30 Dillagi
 6.00 Chitra Pancham
 6.30 Chitra Ranjani
 7.00 Galaxee
 7.30 Himgiri Ka Veri
 8.00 Yeh Hai Bombay Meri Jaan
 8.30 Sa Re Ga Na
 9.00 TBA
 9.30 Banegi Apni Baat
 10.00 Parampara
 10.30 Bazaar Buzz
 11.00 Mushaira
 11.10 Antahshahari
 11.40 Campus
 12.10 am Tara
 12.40 Rya Scene Hai
 1.10 Gaane Anjaane
 1.40 Close Down