

DU's new research centre

By DU Correspondent

The Dhaka University authorities have decided to set up a research centre for bringing out publications on the Liberation War of the country.

A seven-member committee has been formed with the Vice Chancellor, Prof Emajuddin Ahmed, as chairman to run the centre. 'Bangladesh Muktiuddha Gobeshona Kendra', said a press release yesterday.

Other members of the committee are: Dr Sirajul Islam of the History Department, Professor Anisuzzaman of the Bengali Deptt, Professor Abul Kalam of the International Relations, Professor Amir Hossein Khan of the Chemistry, Professor A K M Nurul Islam of the Botany and Professor Humayun Kabir of the ISRT.

The Academic Council of the university took the decision to set up the research centre.

DUJA polls today

The annual meeting and the elections to Dhaka University Journalists' Association (DUJA) will be held today, reports UNB. Six candidates are contesting for three top posts in the elections to be held from 3 pm to 4 pm.

Shalley Shibli, DU reporter of the Daily Bangladesh and Sagor Ahmed of the Dainik Al Amin are contesting for the post of president.

The annual general meeting will be held at 10 am to 1 pm.

Govt to frame folk fair, festival policy soon

The government has decided to frame a folk fair and festival policy soon, reports UNB. The policy will give the folk festival, which will be held at the Bangladesh Folk Art and Crafts Foundation annually, a image of the international stature and the biggest in the country.

This was disclosed yesterday at the trustee board meeting held at the foundation complex with State Minister for Cultural Affairs Professor

Jahan Ara Begum in the chair. A "craft village" policy will also be framed to revitalise the traditional arts and crafts of the country. The board approved the policy-drafts placed before it after a detailed discussion. The meeting was also informed that substantial progress has been made in renovation of the new museum building and decoration of the galleries. The works are expected to be completed by December.



IGP A S M Shahjahan distributing certificates at the concluding day of a training course for the police personnel, jointly organised by the Bangladesh Police and the Embassy of France in the city on Wednesday. French envoy Jean Michel Lacombe and IGP (CID) M Shahidul Islam were also present.

BCM's new body

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Ataur Rahman and Ziaul Huq Zia have been made the president and general secretary respectively of the Bangladesh Chhatra Motree (BCM). The 37-member committee for the next year of BCM was formed at the last day of two-day national council '94 at the TSC of the Dhaka University yesterday.

Obituary

Chowdhury Abdul Gaffar, a retired DIG of police, died of a heart attack at the Suhrawardy Hospital in the morning yesterday. He was 78, reports BSS. He joined the police service in 1941 and retired in 1979. Late Gaffar left behind his wife, three sons, five daughters and a host of relatives and admirers. He was buried at the Pallabi graveyard.

Workshops planned for International Confce on Women

By Staff Correspondent

The national preparatory committee for the International Conference on Women in Beijing next year has planned a series of workshops during the next two months to prepare a recommendation for the conference.

The workshop-schedule is as follows: Dinajpur Nov 6; Jessore Nov 17; Rajshahi Nov 24; Chittagong Dec 12 and Barisal Dec 29.

The national workshop will be held in Dhaka in January 1995.

Local NGO workers and grassroot-level women's organisations will participate and express their views in the workshops to help prepare the recommendations, for the conference scheduled for September 1995.

A sub-committee of the Beijing NGO Forum '95 will organise the workshops at regional and national levels.

Discussion on free market economy

By Staff Correspondent

The Making Our Economy Right (MOER), and organisation which advocates for free market economy, organised a discussion meeting yesterday at its office premises on free market economy.

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