

# Metropolitan



Uddichi Shilpi Gosthi brought out a rally in observance of its 28th founding anniversary in the city yesterday. —Star photo

## Shahabuddin Hasina greet Turkish President, PM

President Shahabuddin Ahmed yesterday felicitated President Suleyman Demirel of Turkey on the occasion of the anniversary of the proclamation of Turkey as a republic, reports BSS.

President Shahabuddin in a message expressed his confidence that the friendly ties and close cooperation between the two countries would be further strengthened and consolidated in the coming years.

In a separate message Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina also felicitated Turkish Prime Minister Dr. Nec. Etilin Erbakan, on the occasion.

The Prime Minister in the message said 'The fraternal relations that so happily existed between our two countries would be further expanded and strengthened in the coming years to our mutual benefits.'

## Hanif visits city area

Mayor of Dhaka Mohammad Hanif said here yesterday that necessary steps were being taken to present a new Dhaka to the city dwellers within March next, reports BSS.

He was speaking at a spontaneous meeting of the cross section of people while paying a regular visit to Ward No. 13 (Pirerbagh, Mirpur).

He urged the city-dwellers to extend their active cooperation in executing programmes of the city corporation like development of roads, disposal of garbage, control of mosquitoes and improvement of street lights.

Kamal Ahmed Majumder MP and local commissioner Abdul Sattar also spoke on the occasion.

## Call to ensure safer roads

The Dhaka University '67 Club has called upon the authorities to ensure safer roads to save people from reckless driving, reports UNB.

The call was made at a meeting of the DU '67 Club on Saturday to condole the death of its member Fashil Alam Jilani who died on the spot near Feni town hit by a speedy bus on Friday.

They also demanded exemplary punishment of those responsible for reckless driving resulting in fatal accidents, premature deaths and destruction.

The condolence meeting, chaired by Vice President of the club Mahub Kabir, stressed the need for urgent and coordinated steps to stop careless driving.

It expressed deep sympathy to the member of the bereaved family and prayed for salvation of the departed soul, said a press release yesterday.



## Death anniversary

The second death anniversary of Nasruddin Ahmed, former member of the National Board of Revenue (NBR), economic counsellor, Bangladesh embassy in Washington and Joint Secretary of ERD will be held tomorrow (Thursday) at Customs Officers Housing Complex, Road No. 2, Plot No. 58/E after Asr prayers, says a press release.

Friends, relatives and well-wishers have been requested to attend the milad mahfil.

## What's on today....

**Dhaka Reporters' Unity (DRU):** Workshop on news gathering and rules for investigative reporting. Venue: Jatiya Press Club. Time: 9:30 am.

**Signing ceremony:** The presentation and signing ceremony of the draft national policy on HIV/AIDS/STD related issues will be held. Chief guest: Health Minister Salahuddin Yusuf. Venue: Hotel Purani. Time: 11 am.

**Discussion on Moinuddin:** A discussion and cultural function will be held on the occasion of the 95th birth anniversary of Poet Khan Muhammed Moinuddin. Chief guest: Dr Ashraf Siddiqui. Venue: Wiseghat Bafa auditorium. Time: Afternoon.

**Science lecture:** A lecture on 'Food, nutrition and health', will be given by Prof H K M Yusuf as part of the lecture series on popular science, organised by the National Museum of Science and Technology. Venue: Museum auditorium. Agargaon. Time: 4 pm.

**Closing ceremony of Tourism Month:** The closing ceremony of Tourism Month '96 will be held. Chief guest: Speaker H R Choudhury. Venue: Osmani Memorial Auditorium. Time: 4 pm.

**LAF meeting:** The first meeting of the newly-elected executive committee of Legal Awareness Forum will be held. Venue: CDS office, 38/1, Ring Road, Shyamoli. Time: 3 pm.

**Concluding session of BMDC:** The concluding session of a week-long regional workshop on women labourers in South Asia, organised by the Bangladesh Management and Development Centre, will be held. Chief guest: State Minister for Labour and Manpower M A Mannan. Venue: BMDC. Time: 11 am.

**Workshop on wood-based energy:** The closing ceremony of the four-day national workshop on 'Wood-based energy systems for rural industries and village applications' will be held. Chief guest: Education Minister A S H K Sadek. Venue: HCSIR (Science Laboratory) auditorium. Time: 9-45 am.

**Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga:** The weekly meeting will be held. Venue: Hotel Sonargaon. Time: 5:30 pm.

**Rotary Club of Shyamoli-Dhaka:** The weekly meeting of the club will be held. Venue: Panda Garden Restaurant. Time: 7 pm.

**Rotary Club of Dhaka North West:** The weekly meeting of the club will be held. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 5:30 pm.

**Rotary Club of Dhaka Midtown:** The weekly meeting of the club will be held. Venue: House no: 8K, Road No: 27 (crossing of road nos 27&24), Nahar Manjil, Banani. Time: 6:30 pm.

## Weather

### Light rain likely

Light to moderate rain or thundershower with temporary gusty or squally wind may occur at many places over Sylhet, Chittagong, Khulna and Barisal divisions and at a few places over Dhaka and Rajshahi divisions in next 12 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.

Met Office said day temperature may remain nearly unchanged over the country during the period.

Meanwhile, the country experienced a heavy downpour in last 24 hours till 6 am yesterday. Met office recorded 156 mm rainfall in Mymensingh, 150 mm in Dhaka, 146 mm in Faridpur, 137 mm in Barisal, 132 mm in Jessore, 115 mm in Khulna, 94 mm in Rangpur, 74 mm in Comilla, 56 mm in Rajshahi and 51 mm in Sylhet during the period.

Sun sets today at 5:21 pm and rises tomorrow at 6:04 am. The country's highest temperature was recorded yesterday 29.7 degree Celsius at Patuakhali and the lowest 20 degrees at Rangpur.

## Obituary

### Anniversary of Fani Bhushan's death today

MA Khaleque Mia, a renowned social worker of Bikrampur in Dhaka, died of cardiac failure early Monday. He was 65, reports UNB.

He left behind his wife, four sons, four daughters and host of friends and relations to mourn his death.

His namaj-e-janaza was held at Moghbazar T&T mosque. His mortal remained there later buried at Azimpur graveyard on the same day.

The qulqhwani of late M A Khaleque Mia will be held at his 578, Nayatola, Moghbazar residence after Asr prayers on Friday.

## Qulqhwani

The qulqhwani of Syed Muazzem Hussain, a former deputy secretary, Central Government, will be held after Asr prayers on Friday at his residence at Road No 9A, Dhanmondi.

Muazzem Hussain died of age-old complications on Monday in the city and was laid to rest at his village home at Jalalchar, PS Nawabganj.

He is survived by his wife, eight sons and one daughter.

## WHO official calls on Yusuf

The Assistant Director General of the World Health Organisation (WHO) Dr R H Henderson yesterday called on Health and Family Welfare Minister Salahuddin Yusuf at his office here yesterday, reports BSS.

## গণ বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় GONO BISHWABIDYALAY

Gono Bishwabidyalay, a newly founded University near (আতীত শ্রুতিসৌধ) at Savar, Dhaka has been approved by the Bangladesh Government under Private University Act of 1992 and sponsored by Gonoshasthya Kendra Trust. The University had already built over 60,000 (sixty thousand) square feet teaching areas.

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**Scholars of distinction with social commitment and a motivation to work in such a people-oriented University are invited to apply, submitting evidence of their academic qualifications, research publications, work experience, and experience in working with popular communities if any. In addition, each applicant should submit a "think-aloud" set of ideas (five typed pages or so) on how she/he will want to approach her/his task of teaching that will combine science with popular knowledge; bring some benefit to local communities in addition to preparing students for academic degree and stimulate creative analytical thinking rather than textbook memorising in one's student. Only non-smokers may apply. Salary is negotiable.**

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Apply immediately to the Project Director, Gono Bishwabidyalay, Gonoshasthya Kendra Complex, Nayarhat, Dhaka-1350, Bangladesh.

Tel: 500406, 500720, Fax: 880-2-863567, 880-2-833182. Email: gk.mail@drik.bgd.toolnet.org.

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The completed application should be sent/submitted to the office of Program Director, Center for Post Graduate Studies (CPGS), Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management, Plot No. 4, Road No. 1, Section-2, Mirpur, Dhaka-1216.

## MBA graduation ceremony Nov 1

The graduation ceremony of 24th MBA graduates of Institute of Business Administration (IBA) will be held at IBA auditorium on November 1, says UNB. Some 79 students, both from day and evening sections of the MBA programme, will be awarded graduation certificates at the ceremony.

## British army chief visits Ansar Academy

The visiting British army chief General Sir Charles Guthrie visited Bangladesh Ansar Academy at Shafipur yesterday, reports UNB. He was briefed on the activities of Bangladesh Ansar and Village Defence Party and was taken around different sections of the academy.

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The following paragraphs are added to the end of the International Notice of Invitation for supply of Barge Mounted Power Plant(s) (BMPP).

1. A pre-bid meeting between the BPDB and the intending bidders who will have purchase the RFP shall be held in Dhaka on 02.12.1996 at 10 AM in the Committee Room No. 1 of BPDB, WAPDA Building (1st floor), Motijheel C/A, Dhaka.
2. The bidders shall submit their proposals in sealed single envelope system on or before 12:00 Noon (BST) of December 31, 1996 to the Office of the Secretary, BPDB, WAPDA Building (1st floor), Motijheel C/A, Dhaka.

All other terms and conditions of the "Invitation Notice" shall remain unchanged.

Habibur Rahman Jamaly  
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