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hat's on today issues

Book launching: Two books, 'Bangladesh Environment: Facing the 21st century — a report on the state of the country's environment, and 'The last forests of Bangladesh' by Philip Gain, published by the Society for Environment and Human Development (SEHD), will be launched at a ceremony. Venue: Jatiya Press Club. Time: 4 pm. Chief guest: Prof Kabir Chowdhury. A discussion on Bangladesh's environment will follow.

Violin recital: Nusrat Mumtaz Ruposhi will give a solo performance. Organiser: Kathakoly Sangeet Vidyalaya Venue: Indian Cultural Centre auditorium, 754 Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi. Time: 7 pm.

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Workshop: A workshop on 'Acknowledging sexual harassment: Problems and perspectives' will be held. Organiser: The British Council. Venue: British Council auditorium, 5 Fuller Road. Time: 9 am-5 pm.

Function: Sanan has organised a function to mark Rabindra-Nazrul Jayanti. Venue: Bishwa Sahittya Kendra auditorium. Time:

Gujral, Ershad discuss various

The visiting former Indian Prime Minister, IK Gujral, made a courtesy call on Jatiya Party Chairman HM Ershad at his Baridhara office yesterday. reports UNB.

During the 40-minute meeting, the two leaders had discussion on mutual interests, political situation in the sub-continent. SAARC and post-nuclear

test situation in the region. Both the leaders emphasised on the role of SAARC to solve various problems in the sub-

continent. They also discussed trade relations between Bangladesh and India and free trade between the two countries by the

Weather

Thundershowers likely

Light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty wind is likely at many places over Khulna, Barisal, Rajshahi and Sylhet divisions and at a few places over Dhaka and Chittagong divisions during the next 12 hours till 6 pm

today, reports UNB. Moderately heavy falls may occur at many places over Khulna, Barisal and Sylhet divisions during the period. Met Office predicted slight fall of day temperature over the

country. The sun sets today at 6.50 pm and rises tomorrow at 5:15 am. Maximum and minimum temperatures and humidity recorded in some major cities and towns yesterday were :

City/Town	Temperature in Celsius		Humidity percentag	
	Max	Min	Morn	Eve
Dhaka	33.4	28.2	82	Wicoscy 8
Chittagong	35.6	27.2	69	, i
Rajshahi	33.8	26.7	87	
Khulna	32.7	27.0	86	
Barisal	33.6	26.5	86	

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