drama

Ratan Thiyam's Magic

TWO things are surely going to remain permanently etched on the memory of Dhakaites: the creative lighting and innovative stagecraft of Padmashri Ratan Thiyam's Chorus Repertory Theatre at Osmani Memorial Hall March 9. Ratan Thiyam's production Chakravyha or The Wheel of War takes its inspiration and

by Ziaul Karim

structural elements from Manipuri tradition and juxtaposes with modern technique to give a wholly new dimension to contemporary Indian theatre.

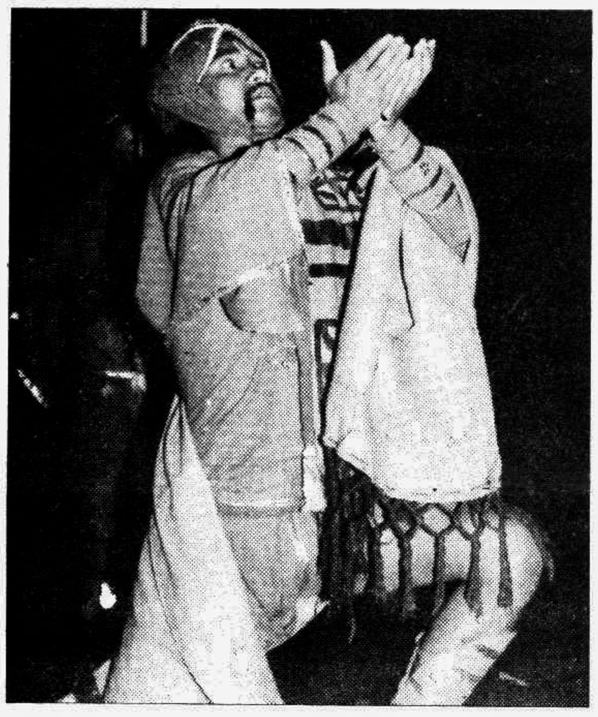
The six-scene play is emotionally charged and dramatically achieves a platform where audience participates themselves intellectually along with the actors. In Chakravyuha Ratan Thiyam poses piercing questions about dharma, war and ambition.

The play revolves around Abhimanyu, a boy warrior, his birth and death. What Thiyam wants to convey through his highly original production is whether we are handing our children a future full of lust and guiding them to a world to become a victim of mindless power game?

When our political scenario is vitiated with terrorism, and mindless wrangling of power, the staging of Thiyam's Chakravyuha is no doubt carries significance. The brochure that was available at the hall has a quote by Ratan Thiyam which to a curious audience holds key to the understanding of the particular genre of theatre that Thiyam has wonderfully successfully developed. The quote goes like this: "I communicate the basic things first. Language should be carried out with a vehicle — either a horse or a boat — where the actor has to win with his expressions and then the moment happens when a bridge is formed by the outward movement of the two". Yes, indeed the creative light play and the impressive expressions of the actors of Chakravyuha spun the emotional wheel of the audience present on March 9.

According to the brochure the repertory came into being in 1976 in the valley of hill state Manipur under the guidance of legendary theatre personality Ratan Thiyam. The repertory, beside being a professional theatre group, imparts training to young people in the field of direction, acting, stagecraft, and most importantly encourages and inspires theatre people to experiment with Indian traditional styles.

The repertory has been successfully staged its productions around the globe including London, Athens, Leningrad, Amsterdam, Bradford, Zurich etc. It has in its account a number of prestigious national and international awards.



Ratan Thiyam's Chorous Repertory's delightful performance was a rear treat.

cinema

A scene from Chitra Nadir Pare

All on Chitra Nadir Pare

TANVIR Mokammelis latest endeavor: Chitra Nadir Parey - a two hour feature film starring Towkir Ahmed, Afsana Mimi, Momtajuddin Ahmed, Shumita Debi, Rowshan Jamil, Ramendru Majumdar, Amirul Huq Chowdhury, Najmul Huda, Pratibha, Moushumi, Ira, Onnie, Topu and Babu among others. The partition of India and Pakistan in 1947 is the backdrop of the film.

Momtajuddin Ahmed plays

by Nadine Murshid

the role of an erratic lawyer who refuses to leave East Bengal after the division. Afsana Mimi is his delicate daughter and Towkir, gets the role of a visionary who goes to Dhaka and attends university. Rowshan Jamil impersonates the role of their compassionate aunt, who comforts them in times of hardship.

The film starts with children of both Hindu and Muslim origin, playing by the river Chitra on a wintry day of 1947, "Sultana Biniyana Shaheb Babu'r Boithokhana...".

Najma, Salma are siblings of Badal and Minoti, the sibling of Biddut. These children and their parents are the main characters of the cinema. Minoti is the daughter of Shashikanta Sen Gupta (Momtajuddin Ahmed) who is a lawyer. With them, lives their aunt, Anupravha Dashi. They all live besides the 'Chitra' river in a single storied house named "Panthanir". During that time, many of the Hindu people were leaving for Calcutta or any other part of India and many were waiting for Shashikanta Sen Gupta to leave so that they could take over the old, beautiful house.

In the meantime, Badal and Minoti grows up to become mature teenagers. While Minoti (Afsana Mimi) goes to Narail

Dui Joddha today

The second episode of *Dui Joddha*, a drama serial penned by Rabiya Khatun and directed by Munir Hassan Chowdhury will be aired at 8.00 pm on ATN Bangla today.

In today's episode it will be seen that the Pak army is surrounding the capital city. To combat them resistance movements grow up in various corners of the city. The news of resistence reaches Maruf's

by Cultural Correspondent

house. He expresses his wish to do something to help his fellow country-men

The serial produced by Impress Telefilm Ltd. stars Azizul Hakim, Afsana Mimi, Mozammel Hossain, Meghna and others. It will be repeated tomorrow during *Impress TV Time* on ATN Bangla.

College, Badal (Towkir Ahmed) goes to Dhaka University. Even though they were from different religions, they fell in love, proving, yet again, that love knows no bound. At that time (during the 60s) student politics and demand for democracy was at its peak and Badal too joined with them. Then, one fine day, he gets shot by a policeman, and dies an unnatural death.

The brother of Shashikanta Sen Gupta, Nidhukanta Babu is a homeopathic doctor. His daughter, Bashanti Chitra, gets raped one day, and she, not being able to bear it, commits suicide by jumping into the river "Chitra". Then, Nidhukanta Babu and family leaves home.

All these tragedies around him, makes Shashikanta Sen Gupta even more ill and one evening, he dies due to problems of the heart. At that point Minoti and her aunt leaves for Calcutta, with "Chitra Nadi" as the witness of all that has happened.

The Filming of "Chitra nadir parey" at Alliance Francais on 10th March, 1999 was a huge success. It is no doubt that this film is the turning point of the actors and actresses concerned, specially Afsana Mimi, whose performance was trully remarkable, and Towkir Ahmed.

Corrigendum

In our culture page the news caption that was carried under the title Till Death Do Us Apart yesterday says Tauquir and Bipasha "are finally man and wife" should be "they are finally going to be man and wife in July. We regret the oversight.

drama

Dristipath's 15th

TIME: 7:00 p.m. Date: 9th March. The Mohila Shamity playhouse was almost packed with crowd. Dristipath's 15th production, 'Buddhu', a Moliere comic drama was on stage. Translated by Abdul Halim Aziz and directed by Shopon Kumar Dash, the play is packed with humor.

The story is a simple love story. Reshmi Begum and Abdullah are two people in love and their father's family fight against them. The story starts

by Nafid Imran Ahmed

with a scene where the loving couple is getting married, then with a flashback to the time when their love story begins. Reshmi Begum is the daughter of the chairman and she is deeply in love with Abdullah, the hero of the play. Well as the story continues she stands 'stoned' and pretends to be love sick as preplanned. Her father thinks that she has some spiritual influence on her and calls the Emam from the mosque to cure her. The fraud Emam examines her and says that there is an influence of a bad spirit over her.

festival

Revealing Lustre and Adroitness

ALREADY fifteen theatre groups of children participated in National Children-boys Theatre festival, 99 for five days. On the consecutive sixth day the stage of the public library auditorium entitled "Muktow Jebon Goray Tolar Moncho Moder Torownee" was animated with the lustrous dramatic representations of kids.

by Mahfuz Ali

The festival began, as in other days, at 4-30 PM with theatrical representation of the groups named "Kishore Theatre, Feni." Boys as well as girls belonging to this group staged the play 'Jhalapala" written by "Shukumar Ray" and directed by "Bappy Poddar". The play reflected how the growth of human being came to be obstructed under the feudal system. In the first scene the audience enjoyed an encounter between two students and a pundit. That Pundit has no right to claim his position to genuine scholarship and wisdom. Because he stuffed the head of his students with wrong information. As he brought about the exposure of his bogus scholarship, it became a source of humour to the spectators.

The Pundit whom the audience beheld on the stage felt enchanted with the idea of adulating the 'Zamindar'. And he constantly kept on winning the heart of the 'Zamindar' by praising him excessively. The children thorough their performance played brilliantly the roles of the Pundit and the Zamindar.

Two students who appeared on the stage were fickle-minded. They did not concentrate their attention upon studies. Their mind was diverted from studies to music festivals arranged by the Zamindar.

In the feudal system, the social overlords precluded the flourishing condition of people by creating noisy situation in the name of holding festivals in this way. Thus the play ends.

The spectators who seated themselves in the gallery of the auditorium comprise people of all ages. They from time to time cheered up the little actors by clapping hands. After the play was staged, "Suborna Mostofa" a renowned TV artist of our country walked up the stage and she on behalf of Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy congratulated the little actors and gave them the laudatory certificates.

At six PM the stage of the auditorium bustled with the brilliant performance of a Children theatre group named "Agnibeena, Gazipur," Their representation was "Jago Sundoor Cherokishor,". Last of all a theatre group of Munshiganj named "Zagoron" staged the play "Porekkha pahser Montro".

Children theatre festival has drawn attention of the connoisseurs and critics alike.

TV Guide

Thursday 11th March

(All programmes are in local time. The Daily Star will not be responsible for any change in the programme)

PTV-2

8:00 TILAWAT AUR TARJUMA/ HAMD/ NAAT **8:20** CARTOON **8:30** KHABRAIN **8:45** MANSOOBAJAAT BARAI KHUD KAFALAT **9:00** SUR SAVARIA & Sehra Ka Safar & Sada-E-Kasmir **9:40** SHANA BA SHANA **9:50** AAJ KI KITAAB+AIK NAZM **10:05** Boor Kay Ladoo **10:30** ENGLISH FILM: CHIP AND DALE **10:55** MILLI NAGHMA **11:00** KHABRAIN **11:10** Serial- **11:35** Serial- **12:00** Urdu Khail **12:55** QURAN-E-HAKEEM **1:02** BISMILLAH. **1:15** Drama Serial- **2:00** Serial- **2:50** The Earth Revealed **3:20** Araishi Puday **3:40** Natural world **4:35** How Things Work **5:00** YEH MUMK IN HAE **5:25** HAMARA SEHAT **5:55** Kitab Quiz **6:25** AIOU COURSES **7:00** Taranum **7:05** Felix The Cat (cartoon) **7:30** Such Gup **7:45** ENGLISH NEWS **8:00** MORVEN GOLD Raceday **8:25** Girgit **8:55** Ptv Gold (Prog) **9:00** Break for Headline News **9:20** Aap Ki Anwar Maqsood **10:00** Khabarnama & Commercial News **11:00** Serial- **12:00** NYPD Blue (series) **12:45** Khas Khabrain / Close Down

ZEE INDIA TV

7:00 Jagran **7:30** Zee News- Hindi **8:00** Zed it Pro **8:30** Zee News- Hindi **9:00** Ghomta Aaina **9:30** Zee News- Eng. **10:00** Verdict'98 and After **10:30** Naye Nagme **11:00** Positive Health Show **11:30** Zee News Update **11:50** Zee Business News **12:00** Bournvita Quiz Contest **12:30** Haseen Pal (Trailer Show) **1:00** Zee Business Show **1:30** Zee News- Hindi Bulletin **2:00** Gaane Anjane **2:30** Money Game **3:00** Teer Kaman **3:30** News Line **4:00** Aashiana **4:30** Hum Honge Kamyab **5:00** Naye Nagme **5:30** Zed it Pro **6:00** Tech Show **6:30** The Dream Marchant **7:00** Haseen Pal (Trailer Show) **7:30** Zee World **8:00** India Debates **8:30** Zee News- English **8:50** Zee Face To Face **9:00** Beech Shahar **9:30** Zee News-Hindi **10:00** Center Stage **10:30** Zee News-Hindi **10:50** Zee Business News-Hindi **11:00** Mystery Unfold **11:30** Zee News **12:00** Shot Gun Show **12:30** Zee Sports Show **1:00** The Diplomacy Show **1:30** BQC **2:00** Zee News- Hindi **2:20** Zee Face To Face **2:30** Positive Health Show **3:00** Zee News-Hindi **3:30** Best of India **4:00** (EL TV) Hindi Feature Film (B/W)

Space Island One on StarWorld at 6 pm

MTV INDIA

7:00 Non-Stop Hits **8:00** MTV Hanging Out Vj Rahul / Sonia **9:00** Classic MTV VJ Sarah / Rahul **10:00** Non-Stop Hits **10:30** MTV Most wanted VJ Nadya **11:30** MTV Chill Out VJ Shehnaz/ Amrita / Nikhil **12:30** MTV Hit Film Music **1:00** MTV Housefull V Nafisa **1:30** MTV Fresh VJ Rahul **2:00** MTV Recycled **2:30** MTV Select VJ Nikhil **3:30** Thums-Up Non-Stop Hits **4:00** Non-Stop Hits **4:30** Pepsi Dance Connection Special- TV MTV **5:30** MTV Most Wanted VJ Nadya / Rahul **6:30** MTV Chill Out VJ Shehnaz / Amrita/ Nikhil **7:30** MTV In Control-Cricket **8:30** **TBA 9:00** Non-Stop Hits **9:30** MTV Hit Film Music **10:00** House Full VJ Nafisa **10:30** Non-Stop Hits **11:30** The Grind (Beach Show) **12:30** Non-Stop Hits Continue

MUSIC ASIA

7:30 Aalaap **8:00** B & W Gems **8:30** All Time Hits (Hit Songs Show) **9:00** Old Tavern- Sizzlers **9:30** Aalaap **10:00** All Time Hits **10:30** Bagpiper-Jharokha **11:00** Raagaon Se Filmon Tak **11:30** Bajaj- Music Box (Trailer Show) **12:00** Coca-Cola-World Premiere **12:30** Old Tavern- Sizzlers **1:00** Bagpiper- Jharokha **1:30** Banga Anga **2:00** Music News **2:30** Bajaj- Music Box (Trailer Show) **3:00** Old Tavern- Sizzlers **3:30** Bagpiper- Jharokha **4:00** Pop Korn **4:30** Bajaj- Music Box (Trailer Show) **5:00** All Time Hits **5:30** Bagpiper- Jharokha **6:00** B & W Gems **6:30** Music News **6:45** Coca-Cola-World Premiere **7:30** Old Tavern- Sizzlers **8:00** Coca-Cola- World Premiere **8:30** Bagpiper-Jharokha **9:00** Bajaj-Music Box (Trailer Show) **9:30** Cibaca Tube- Top Ten **10:30** Jharokha **11:00** Aalaap **11:45** Shabab **12:30** All Time Hits **1:30** Jharokha

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10:30 Janmadin (Birthday Greetings) **10:35** Daily Sope: Shree Ram Krishna **11:00** Daily Sope: Dropadi (Rupa Ganguli, Suneetra, Kushal, Sankar) **11:15** Classical/Folk Songs **11:30** Parliament Hour / Musical **12:30** Daily Sope: Singha Bahini / Guptabari **1:00** Daily Sope: Aasha **1:30** Daily Sope: Rupkatha **2:00** Daily Sope: Kanakanjali **2:30** Daily Sope: Shree Ram Krishna **3:00** Daily Sope: Maha Probhu **3:30** Daily Sope: Mohini **4:00** Daily Sope: Bhangagarar Khela **4:20** Nepali Programme **5:05** Ghare Baire/ Sahitaya **5:30** News **5:40** Jibeeka Samachar **5:50** Palli Katha **6:10** Astaraag (Serial) **6:40** Khas Khabar **6:50** Daily Sope: Janmabhumi **7:30** Bangla Sambad **8:00** Darshaker Darbare **8:30** Modern Songs **9:00** Daily Sope: Janmabhumi **9:30** Daily Sope: Dropadi (Rupa Ganguli, Suneetra, Kushal, Sankar) **10:00** Khas Khabar **10:10** Bengali Movie: (Underrun Closed)

DD CHANNEL-1

5:55 Vande Mataram & Thought of The Day **6:00** DV Music: Aradhana **6:30** For The Universities UGC Programmes **7:00** UGC Programmes **7:30** Samachar **7:45** Suba Sabera **8:30** Business Plus **8:45** The News **9:00** Suba Sabera **9:30** Serial: Palsha **10:00** UGC Programmes **10:30** Serial: Tarang **11:30** Serial: Youg **12:30** Serial: Aurat **01:00** Serial: Aparaajita **01:30** Serial: Itihaas **1:30** Serial: Waqt ki Raftar **2:30** News in Hindi **2:40** News in English **2:50** Serial: Roop Suhane **3:00** Serial: Aap Ki Shanti **3:30** Serial : Ujala **4:00** Tea Time Monoranjan **4:30** Anjuman: Serial **5:00** Bhajan: Serial **5:15** Ankur **5:30** Weekly Sports **6:00** Programme on Environment **6:15** Sab Rang **6:30** Kala Parikrama **7:05** Rural Woman **7:30** Samachar **8:00** Serial: Ajab Ajooba **8:25** Chitrahar **9:00** Samachar **9:30** News **10:00** Series: Aawaz ki Duniya **10:30** Serial: Sab ko Mallik Ek **11:02** Serial: **11:32** Serial: Vidhan **12:02** Telebrand Show

SONY TV

7:30 Indian Holiday **8:00** Risiprasad **8:30** Aaina **9:00** Kabhi Yeh Kabhi Woh **9:30** Cine Clips **10:00** Family No. 1 #24 **10:30** Challenge #52 **11:00** Alpviram #Ep-33 **11:30** World Of Cricket **12:00** Movers & Shekars **12:30** The Good Home Show **1:00** Chamatkar **1:30** Cine Clips **2:00** Boogi Woogi **2:30** Kabhi Yeh Kabhi Woh **3:00** Ek Mahal Ho Sapno Ka (Daily Sope) **3:30** Junoon **4:00** Cine Matinee-Hindi Feature Film **7:00** Indian Holiday With Anu Malhotra **7:30** Battle of Hollywood **8:00** Cine Clips (Trailer) **8:30** Dekh Bhai Dekh **9:00** Colget Gel- Boogie Woogie (Contest) **9:35** Hum Sab Ek Hain **10:05** Serial: C I D **10:40** Movers & Shekhars With Gust- **11:10** Ek Mahal Ho Sapno Ka (Daily Sope) **11:45** Junoon **12:15** Cine Clips **12:30** Heena #11 **1:00** Aahat **1:30** Thoda Hai Thode Ki Zaroorat Hai **2:00** Pop Pouri **2:30** Rang Birangee **3:00** Kabhi Yeh Kabhi Woh **3:30** Cine Nite Show-Hindi Feature Film

ZEE TV

6:00 Yeadon Ki Pal (B/W Songs) **6:30** Zee News & Zee Business (Rpt) **7:00** Bhakti Songs **7:30** Jagran **8:00** Vishwas #Ep-28 **8:30** Chasme Badoor **9:00** Disney Hour Cartoons **10:00** Ek Nazar **10:45** TVS Saregama-Classic **11:30** Public Demand **12:00** Zanjeeren **12:30** Zaike Ka Safar **1:00** Naye Nazrane (Trailer/Songs) **1:30** Daily Sope- Dillagi **2:00** Daily Sope- Hum Paanch **2:30** Daily Sope- Paribartan (Re-run) **3:00** Daily Sope- Silsila (Re-run) **3:30** Daily Sope- Zara Hans Ke **4:00** Daily Sope-Scandal **4:30** India's Most Wanted **5:00** Colget Top Ten **6:00** Fitness Plus **6:30** Ek Nazar (Trailer) **7:00** Disney Hour Cartoons **8:00** Coca Cola-Dance Mastia (Dance Prog. Anchore- Ruby Bhatia) **8:25** Hip Hip Hurrey #19 **9:00** Ghar Jamai #Ep- 37 **9:30** Kaha Se Kaha Tak #Ep-10 **10:00** Commando #Ep-8 (Action Serial) **10:30** Baat Baan Jaye # Ep-81 **11:00** Lakshya #Ep-23 **11:30** Chahat Aur Nafrat **12:00** Amanat **12:30** Saturday Suspense (Horror Drama) **1:30** Knock Knock Kaun Hai **2:00** Zee News **2:30** Kaha Se Kaha Tak #Ep-10 **3:00** Hindi Feature Film **6:30** Tom & Jeri **7:00** Heads & Tels **7:30** Sangeet Anand **7:50** Entertainment Now/Cinema Cinema **8:00** Nature Calls **8:30** Kuchh Is Tarah **9:00** Didi Ka Dulha (Serial) **9:30** Sher Mere Yaar (Serial) **10:00** Padosan (Serial) **10:30** Aaj Taak (News) **10:50** TBA **11:05** Hello Zindagi **11.30** Silent Reech (Eng Serial) **12:30** UGC Prog

CHANNEL [V]

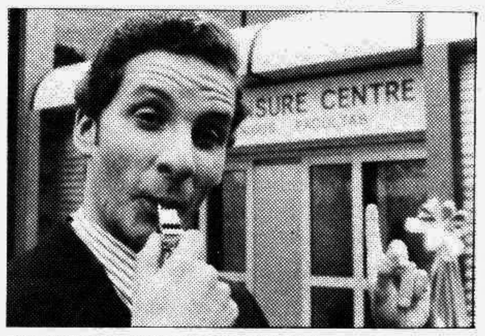
7:00am Turn On T [V] (Back to Back vids) **8:00** Turn On T [V] (Back to Back Vids) **8:30** Rewind VJ Sophiya **9:30** Zabardast Hits **2:00** House Arrest VJ Ranvir (On Hindi Pops & Films) **2:30** Catch-22 #10 **1:00** Zabardast Hits **2.30** First Day First Show **3:00** Turn On T [V] (Back to Back vids) **4:30** VJ Strip **5:30** Turn On T [V]- Teen Strip (Back to Back Vids) **7.30** First Day First Show **8:00** House Arrest VJ Ranvir (On Hindi Pops & Films) **8:30** Kingfisher-Mangta Hai VJ Meghna Reddy **9:30** Turn On T [V] (Back to Back Vids) **10:30** House of Noise **11:00** Toofan TV #10 **11:30** Band at Bedtime **12:00** The Juuice VJ laila **12:30** The Dram Fm Australia **1:00** Turn On T [V]- **3:30** Turn on T [V] **5:30** Turn On T [V] **6:00** Bilboard US Countdown

BBC WORLD

6:00am BBC World News **6:30** World Living: The Travel Show **7:00** BBC Newsroom inc. World Business Report/ USA Direct/Asia Today /24 Hours **9:00** BBC Newsroom inc. World Business Report/Asia Today/24 Hours **10:00** BBC World News **11:30** World Focus: Reporters **12:00** BBC World News **12:30** World Living: The Travel Show **1:00** BBC World News **1:30** Hard Talk **2:00** World News **2:30** World Focus: Reporters **3:00** BBC World News **3:30** Hard Talk (r) **4:00** BBC World News **4:30** World Living: The Travel Show **5:00** BBC The World Today **6:30** Wild World: Natural World **7:00** BBC World News **7:15** World Business Report **7:30** BBC The World Today **8:30** World Living: Talking Movies #4/9 (r) **9:00** BBC World News **9:30** World Focus: Hard Talk **10:00** BBC World News **10:30** World Living : Film India (Anchore- Victor Benarjee) **11:00** BBC World News **11:30** World Living : The Travel Show- Holiday **12:00** The World Today **1:30** World Focus: Hard Talk **2:00** BBC News **2:30** World Focus: The Money Programme **3:00** BBC World News **3:30** World Living : Top Gear **4:15** Europe Direct **5:00** BBC Newsdesk inc. World Business Report/24 Hours

STAR PLUS

6:30am Ninaad **7:30** Good Morning India (News, Business & Entertainment News) **9:15** The Trial Show - Film Trialer **9:30** Good Morning India - Rpt. (News, Business & Entertainment News) **11:30** Aaj Ki Baat **12:00** Ek Din Ek Jeevan **12:30** Amul India Show #301 **1:00** So Lets Yahoo #53r **1:30** Film Based Prog- Hallo VJ Ruby **2:00** Hindi Serial : Kora Kagaz #23 (Renuka Sahane) (Rpt) **2:30** Daily Sope: Yeh Hai Raaz #8 **3:00** Daily Sope: Swabhiman #179 (N) **3:30** Daily Sope: Kabhie Kabhie # 18 (N) **4:00** Reporter (Shekhar Sumon) #Ep-35 Rpt. **4:30** LG - Is Dunia Ki Sitarey **5:00** Putli Baba Ki #25 **5:30** Doogie Howser M.D. **6:00** The Wonder Years **6:30** Small Wonders **7:00** Meri Awaz Suno # 67 rpt. **7:25** The Trail Show- Film Trailer **7:30** Star News (Hindi) **8:0Q** Hello (VJ Ruby) **8:30** Hindi Serial : Tanha #Ep-15 (Atul Agnihotri) **9:22** Rahee Naye Naye **9:30** STAR News (English) **10:00** World Cup Cricket- Magic Moments #4 **11:00** Aaj Ki Baat **11:30** Daily Sope: A Mouthful of Sky #Ep-142 **12:00** Ek Din Ek Jeevan **12:30** The Bold And The Beautiful **1:00** Newheart **1:30** Snowy River... **2:30** Lovejoy **3:30** Series: L A Law **4:30** Santa Barbara **5:30** The Oprah Winfree Show



Brittash Empire on Star World at 4.00 pm

STAR WORLD

7:30 The Wonder Years **8:00** Mysterious Island **8:30** Newhart **9:00** Series: L A Heat **10:00** Series: The Pretender **11:00** The Oprah Winfrey Show **12:00** Series: Santa Barbara **1:00** The Bold And The Beautifull **1:30** Burt Wolf's Cooking **2:00** Daily Series: Snowy River **3:00** Mysterious Island **3:30** Small Wonder **4:00** Brittash Empire **4:30** Sky World News **5:00** Asia News Update **5:05** Fox World Business Report **5:30** Home Improvment **6:00** Spece Island One **7:00** Series: The Big Easy #10/22 **8:00** Series: Murder Call **9:00** The Bold And The Beautifull **9:30** Series: Home Improvment **10:00** Spece Island One **11:00** Series: The Big Easy #10/22 **12:00** Series: Murder Call **1:00** Series: Home improvment **1:30** Series: New Hart **2:00** Brittash Empire **2:30** The Bold And The Beautifull **3:00** The Wonder Years **3:30** Mr Belvederel **4:00** Aerobics Oz Style **4:30** Sky World News **6.30** Brittash Empire

DD INT'L

9:30 Opening & News in English **9:45** Business Plus **10:00** Film Ki Dunia May (Film Magazine) **10:30** Hello! Zindegi/India This Week (Reporting) **11:00** Light Music **11:15** Junoon (Ramesh Sippy's Serial) **11:45** Saat Phere (Jaya Bachhan's Serial) **12:15** Bharat Samachar (News in Hindi) **12:30** TBA **1:00** Hindi Film **10:00** Hindi Film (rpt)

CARTOON NETWORK

5:30 amWorld Famous Toons **6:30** The Real Adventure of Jhonny **7:00** Tom & Jerry Kids **7:30** The Popeye Show **8:00** Scooby g Scrappy D **8:30** Perils Of Penelope **9:00** Josie & Pussycate **9:30** Drink The Little **10:0** Flintslone Kids **10:30** Riche Rich **11:00** Top Cat **11:30** Captain Planet **12:00** Scooby Doo **12:30** The Cartoon Grand Pix **1:30** Fantastic Max **2:00** Crocadoo **2:30** The New Scooby Doo Moyles **3:30** Galtar and the **4:00** Centurons **4:30** Swats Kats **5:00** Ninja Robots **5:30** Flintstones **6:00** Top & Jerry Kids **6:30** Crodadoo **7:00** The Mask **7:30** Desters Laboratory **7:45** Whats a Cartoon! **8:00** The Addams Family **8:30** Scooby Doo Where Are You **9:00** The Popeyee Show

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8:00am NIT Tournament Basketball Live **10:00** UEFA Champions League Highlights **10:30** NIT Tournament Basketball Live **12:30** Sportscenter Live **1:30** Standard Chartered Marathon Highlights **2:30** ATP Tour/Mercedes Super 9 1999 Newsweek Champions Cup **4:30** Cricket Magazine Show Flasback **5:00** Dutch Football: FC Utrecht vs Ajax Amsterdam **7:00** Bloopers **7:30** European Football Weekly **8:30** 'ATP Tour/Mercedes Super 9 1999 Newsweek Champions Cup **10:30** English Premier League Highlights **11:30** ATP Tour/Mercedes Super 9 1999 Newsweek Champions Cup Live **1:30** 1999 State Farm U Figure Skating Championship **3:30** European Football Weekly

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7:00am Cricket Up Close **7:30** Five Nations C'ships 1999 Wales vs France **0:00** Five Nations C'ships England vs Ireland **2:00** Fox Sports News Live **1:00** Watersports World **2:00** International Motorsports News **3:00** Asia Sport Show **3:30** New Zealand Cricket South Africa Tour to NZ 1st Test South Africa vs New Zealand **7:30** World Wrestling Federation Raw **9:30** Futbol Mundial **10:00** Cricket Classics **11:00** Cricket Magazine Show All Stars Of World Cup **11:30** PGA Tour Highlights Doral-Ryder Open **12:30** World Wide Rugby (Super 12s) **2:30** World Wrestling Federation Raw