

Metropolitan

WVA Ladies Lunch

Women's Voluntary Association will hold an "International Ladies Lunch-1999" on June 5, at the Pan Pacific Sonargaon Hotel (from 10 am to 5 pm) in aid of its benevolent projects for the underprivileged section of the society, says a press release.

Cards will be available at the WVA office at Rd 27, House 405/A, Dhanmondi. Phone—9116228 and 812333.

Phensidyl seized

COMILLA, May 18: Detective police in a raid recovered 80 bottles of Indian phensidyl from a bus on Comilla-Feni road at Chashapur in Sadar thana here on Sunday, reports UNB.

Acting on a tip-off, the DB police raided the Chittagong-bound bus and seized the narcotics at 1:45 pm.

Police, however, failed to nab anyone in this connection.

OFFICE SPACE TO LET

Newly constructed 4290 sq ft office space in one floor available for rent at Suvastu Tower 9th Floor (beside Jeni Kabab Ghar) on Pantha Path Contact: Anwar, 841990/9340764.

LAND FOR SALE DHANMONDI

South facing one bigha land with 3 storied building with 12500 sq. ft (Approx.) constructed area is for sale. Interested organizations/parties able to make payment at a time are requested to contact during office hours.

Mr. Jahangir, Tel : 913-2068, 913-2070

WANTED

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(2) A Technician for above diabetic centre. Experience preferred.

Salary etc. for both posts negotiable. Apply with full bio-data, attested copies of academic certificates and two passport size photographs to G.P.O Box No. 3111 Dhaka-1000 by 03.06.99.

EXTENSION OF TIME

Notice inviting Technical & Financial offer for interior decoration & renovation of Main Lounge of

DHAKA CLUB LIMITED

Published in the dailies on 25th May, 1999.

Please amend to read the date for collection of Terms of Reference (TOR) till 25th May, 1999 instead of 8th May, 1999 and submission of the proposals on or before 29th June, 1999 instead of 8th June, 1999.

Secretary

Dhaka Club Limited

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer
Barisal Public Works Division, Barisal

Tender Notice

No 113/1998-99

Tenders in BD Form No 2911 in sealed envelopes are hereby invited from special class I/class I sanitary and plumbing contractors/contractor's firm enlisted with the Public Works Department/class II sanitary and plumbing contractors/contractor's firm enlisted with Public Works Zone, Khulna for the undermentioned work. Tenders can be submitted till 12-00 Noon on 27/5/99 in all the offices as shown in serial no 5. Tenders will be opened on the day of submitting tender at 12-15 PM in presence of the interested tenderers and the name of work, name of contractor/contractor's firm and address and the name and address to whom it is to be submitted will have to be mentioned on the envelope.

- Name of work : Work of installation of fire service and civil defence in 32 important thana headquarters/place. Of them one at Guranadi thana in Barisal district. Sub-head: Installation of 50 mm diameter deep tubewell of PVC pipes including distribution line.
- Head of expenditure: 267 fire.
- Estimated cost : Taka 2,80,043/-
- Earnest money : Taka 5,605/-
- Time limit for completion of work : 90 (ninety) days.
- Name of offices where tenders will be sold and received : All the divisions under Public Works Circle, Barisal.
- Last date of selling : 26-5-99 (till office hours).
- Date of receiving tender : 27-5-99 (till 12-00 Noon).
- Prepared tender schedule with Bangladesh Form No 2911 and additional terms and conditions can be seen and each tender can be purchased on payment of usual fee of Taka 400/- (four hundred) only and BD Form No 2911 can be purchased on payment of Taka 25/- (twenty-five) only (non-refundable in both cases). The Managing Director of contractor's firm/contractor himself or his/nominated representative bearing authorised letter issued by them the signature of whom has been attested by the contractor/Managing Director of contractor's firm can purchase tender schedule by producing original book of enlistment.
- Contractor/contractor's firm will have to apply at least 3 (three) days before the last date of selling tender for purchasing tender schedule from the Public Works Division as stated in serial No 5 other than Barisal Public Works Division. No application will be accepted after that period.
- Attested copy of certificate of Value Added Tax registration and attested copy of certificate regarding TIN of the concerned first class sanitary and plumbing contractor/contractor's firm and attested copy of blue-book including the signature will have to be submitted along with the tender.
- Any sort of attestation will have to be done by class-I gazetted officers.
- If more than one lowest tenderer is found in tender, then in order select 1 (one) contractor a lottery will be held on 9/6/99, Wednesday at 11-00 AM in the office room of the undersigned. All or his/nominated representatives are requested to present in the lottery.

Md Abdul Ghani

Executive Engineer

Barisal Public Works Division

Barisal

Phone No-52143

DFP-10685-13/5
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Bangladesh supports WHO projects

Bangladesh yesterday expressed its full support to the World Health Organisation's (WHO) Cabinet projects on "Roll Back Malaria" and "Tobacco Free Initiative", reports BSS.

"We appreciate the gravity of malaria situation in Africa and WHO's response there to. At the same time, we draw the attention of WHO to the deteriorating Malaria situation in South East Asia," Health and Family Welfare Minister Salah Uddin Yusuf said at the 52nd session of the World Health Assembly in Geneva.

He said political, socio-economic and demographic transition and epidemiological changes now taking place in the region were posing unprecedented challenges to health, according to a message received here tonight from Geneva.

The health minister said the region's population continues to grow rapidly and it now harbours half of the poor population of the world. "They are disadvantaged in many ways and have limited capacities to cope with health related risks and vulnerabilities," he added.

He said many of the communicable diseases like malaria and tuberculosis were now re-emerging and new scourge like HIV/AIDS and STDs were coming as major threat to public health.

Yusuf said the government of Bangladesh has been pursuing a policy of health development that ensured provision of basic services to the entire population of the country, particularly in the rural areas.

BCL countrywide demonstration May 20

By DU Correspondent
Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL), student wing of the ruling party, yesterday announced that they will bring out processions and hold rallies across the country on May 20, in protest of killing of a BCL leader and terrorist activities of Islami Chhatra Shibir.

The announcement was made in a rally in front of DUCSU building on the Dhaka University campus at noon, organised to protest the killing of Sohel in Mymensingh.

Sohel, general secretary of BCL Ishwarganj thana unit, was killed on Monday and many others were injured when activists of Shibir allegedly opened fire on them.

Addressing the rally, the BCL leaders condemned the attack and blamed Shibir activists for the incident. They also demanded immediate arrest and exemplary punishment to those involved.

Otherwise, we will launch a movement to drive out the religious fanatics from the country," Ajay Kar Khokan, BCL general secretary said.

Among others, Shahjahan Alam Saju, Baloram Podder, Ashraf Alam Ruben, Abdul Matin and Beg Shubin Jahan addressed the rally.

Fly-overs at Jatrabari, Mohakhali likely

The first meeting of the Greater Dhaka Transport Planning and Coordination Board (GDTPCB) yesterday discussed the proposal to construct flyovers at Jatrabari and Mohakhali to ease the traffic congestion in the city, reports BSS.

Mayor Mohammad Hanif presided over the meeting held at Nagar Bhaban. Construction of three bus and truck terminals near Dhaka city was also discussed in the meeting.

Besides, ban on rickshaws without licenses, earmarking some roads as one-way, improvement of signal lamps, parking charge of buses, trucks and rickshaws, storing construction materials alongside different roads without permission and fixing time for movement of goods trucks also came up for discussion in the meeting.

Director General of the Department of Environment, Chairman of RAJUK, Divisional Commissioner of Dhaka, Chairman of BRTA, Chief Executive Officer of Dhaka City Corporation, Additional Director General of Bangladesh Railway, Chairman of Tongi Pourasabha and the concerned officials from the ministries of Communications and LGED and, IWT, Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry and DC Traffic (North) joined the meeting.

Unicef to sink 30 deep tube-wells in Ctg

CHITTAGONG, May 18: Unicef will sink thirty deep tube-wells in this southern port city under the Urban Basic Service Delivery Project to ensure supply of safe drinking water.

This was said at a project review meeting in the city corporation auditorium presided over by Chittagong City Corporation (CCC) Secretary AFM Soaiman Chowdhury. Maor ABM Mohiuddin Chowdhury, Unicef urban programme chief Selim Ahmed, ward commissioners and CCC officials were present at the meeting.

The main objectives of the project is to extend basic services to the poorer section of people in urban areas.

Under the project, loans would be distributed among the poor to generate employment for them.

Mayor Mohiuddin Chowdhury stressed the need for associating people and their representatives with the project to ensure better services.



Chhayanaut presents Tagore's 'Shyama' at the Shishu Academy auditorium yesterday to mark the poet's birth anniversary.

—Star photo

Evicted N'ganj businessman yet to be rehabilitated

By Staff Correspondent

Despite orders from the Home Minister, the evicted businessman of Narayanganj, Bashudev Banik, is yet to be rehabilitated in his 130-year-old ancestral business.

Since March 16, Bashudev has been in hiding fearing reprisal from the same quarter that demolished his shop and looted his godown in the Kalir-bazar area of the town in broad daylight.

Although Narayanganj police first refused to help the businessman, they eventually accepted a case on March 26. Bashudev filed the case accusing nine persons including a Juba League leader of the town, Golam Sarwar, of extortion, illegal eviction, theft and looting. The rest are Robin, Fazlu, Helal, Pronob Chakrabarty, Tapan Chakrabarty, Pappu Chakrabarty and Tipu Chakrabarty.

While Narayanganj police said that they were still investigating the matter, the accused are moving freely. One police official, requesting anonymity, said some of these accused are 'notorious criminals' and are backed by ruling partymen.

"There are instructions on us not to go ahead with any arrest in the Banik case," said the police officer. He suggested that the Banik should 'first go through proper channel to seek justice'.

It is also alleged that despite precise information that the accused were hiding the looted goods, worth about Tk 15 lakh,

the police did not take any action.

Bashudev Banik had been running one of the most prestigious and famous shops in Narayanganj town called Ramdhan Ushadhalaya which he had inherited from his ancestors.

The shop was situated in the premises of a Hindu temple for which Bashudev regularly paid a rent to the temple committee. The caretaker of the temple Pronob Chakrabarty had been trying to evict the businessman and the matter rolled on to the court of justice.

Banik claimed that the temple was a public property while the caretaker insisted that he was the bonafide owner of the temple. As the matter lingered in the court, apparently an impatient Pronob sought help from the local musclemen who immediately unleashed a reign of terror on Bashudev extorting money and then forcibly evicting him.

Following the eviction, a grateful Pronob hung two large signboards in front of the premises giving credit to Golam Sarwar for helping the recovery process.

After reports published in the press, the Home Minister ordered concerned authorities to take measures to rehabilitate the businessman in his shop and let the course of law prevail. But till date nothing has been done.

What's on today . . .

Inaugural ceremony: President Shahabuddin Ahmed will open the 43-bed Specialised ENT Hospital of SAHIC. Venue: Mohakhali. Time: 10 am.

ICAB seminar: The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB) will hold a seminar on "Implications of GATS/WTO on the Accountancy Profession." Chief guest: Housing and Public Works and Civil Aviation and Tourism Minister Mosharraf Hossain. Venue: ICAB auditorium of Chartered Bhaban. Time: 3 pm.

Founding anniversary: Assistance for Blind Children (ABC) will observe its 21st Founding Anniversary. UNICEF Chief Representative in Bangladesh Shahida Azfar will be the Chief Guest. Venue: WVA auditorium. House-20, Rd-27 (old), Dhanmondi. Time: 5 pm.

Eid reunion: Uttarbanga Chakurijibi Kalyan Parishad, Dhaka University, has organised a 'Eid reunion.' Chief guest: DU Pro-VC Dr Md Shahadat Ali. Venue: TSC of Dhaka University. Time: 5 pm.

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



Office of the Executive Engineer
Com. Operation Division, Satmasjid, Dhaka
Electric Supply Authority, Dhaka

Memo No. Bapa/Sat/Desa/98-99/8.01/848

Dated: 21/4/99

Tender Notice

Sealed tenders in PDB Form No. T-2 are invited from the enlisted contractors of PDB/DESA/ bonafide suppliers for the supply of stationery Articles for Com Operation Division, Satmasjid, DESA, Dhaka, its estimated cost of Tk. 69,206 (sixty-nine thousand two hundred six) only. Tender schedule will be available up to 30-05-99 at a cost of Tk 30 (thirty) only (non-refundable) in the shape of Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in favour of Addl Director of Accounts, RAO, DESA, Dhaka from the office of the General Manager (North), Dhaka Electric Supply Authority, 75, Kakrai, Dhaka, Superintending Engineer, Consumer Service, Satmasjid Circle, DESA, Mohammadpur, Dhaka and the undersigned. Tender will be received the aforesaid offices on 31-05-99 up to 12-00 Noon and will be opened at 12-30 PM on the same day in presence of the tenderers or their authorised representative, if any. Tender accepting authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Executive Engineer

Com. Operation Division, Satmasjid

DESA, Dhaka. ASA

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Free access to information a constitutional right : Sayeed

State Minister for Information professor Abu Sayeed said yesterday that free access to information was a constitutional right of the citizens of the country, reports BSS.

"Traditional outlook must be changed to face the challenges of the new millennium by ensuring citizens' free access to information," he told the installation ceremony of the welfare association of employees of the Press Information Department.

The minister said the government has taken initiative to set up a media centre that would work round the clock in the PID office.

He said Bangladesh Sangbad Sangstha (BSS) has been modernised, and it would launch photo service.

The association president photographer Iqbal Chowdhury presided over the function, which was also addressed by Principal Information Officer (PIO) Haroonur Rashid, association vice-presidents Ruhul Amin and Abdul Awal and general secretary Rafiqullah Chowdhury.

Professor Sayeed said, "In a democratic society there would be differences of ideals and opinions, but consensus should prevail on issues like removal of illiteracy and unemployment, increase in production, erasing of terrorism and checking the culture of distortion."

Speaker stresses building trained manpower

Speaker Humayun Rashid Chowdhury yesterday stressed building trained manpower in all sectors to face the challenges of the new millennium, reports UNB.

"There is no alternative to training," he said while addressing the concluding session of a training course on "Introducing Parliamentary System and Office Management."

The 45-day course was arranged for 48 newly appointed class three employees of the parliament secretariat.

The Speaker said trained manpower is essential to maintain competence and dynamism in the parliamentary activities as "Parliament is the focal point of all activities of the country." To this end in view, the Institute of Parliamentary Studies (IPS) has been established," he said.

He asked the parliament secretariat to furnish all logistic support for providing training to the officers and employees.

Earlier, the Speaker distributed certificates among the trainees. Whip Vice-principal Mohammad Abdus Shahid and Whip Prof Khaleda Khanam were also spoke on the occasion.

More bodies slate move to build NAM confce centre at Osmani Uddyan

More organisations yesterday criticised selection of Osmani Uddyan for construction of the international conference centre for NAM summit despite the availability of alternate space, reports UNB.

BCAS, BELA, CAMPE, CEN, EDA, FEJB and National Committee of IUCN, Bangladesh, in a joint statement, said such construction is bound to add to the scarcity of open space in the city and the alarming state of air pollution of the surrounding vicinity.

They urged the concerned authorities to come forward to save the green of the city before losing it.



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জনতা ব্যাংক চাঁদপুর অঞ্চলধীন পুরান বাজার শাখার একটি নিলাম বিজ্ঞপ্তি গত ১৪/৫/৯৯ই তারিখে ডেইলী স্টার পত্রিকায় প্রকাশিত হইয়াছে। উক্ত নিলাম বিজ্ঞপ্তিতে মালামালের বিবরণ কলামে "সরিষার তৈল" এর স্থলে "সরিষার খৈল" পড়িতে হইবে।

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ঢাকা গ্যাসা টেন্ডার বিজ্ঞপ্তি (২য় আবেদন)

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আগামী ২৩/৫/৯৯ই পর্যন্ত ঢাকা গ্যাসার প্রধান হিসাবরক্ষণ কর্মকর্তার অফিস, গ্যাসা ভবন, ৯৮, কাজী নজরুল ইসলাম এডিনিউ, ঢাকা ও ঢাকা গ্যাসার সকল মডস জোন অফিসে টেন্ডারের সিডিউল/বিল অব কোয়ানটিটিজ পাওয়া যাইবে। অন্যান্য বিস্তারিত বিবরণ নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারীর অফিসে পাওয়া যাইবে।

ঠিকানাঃ "গ্যাসা ভবন"

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Government of Bangladesh
Office of the Executive Engineer (RHD)

Workshop Division, Feni

Notice Inviting Tender

- Tender No : 33 (RHD) Workshop Division, Feni/1998-99.
- Name of work : Group-1 Supply of spare parts for 150 HP Volvo Penta, 60 HP Kelbin Engine under the RHD Workshop Division, Feni during the year 1998-99.
Group-2 Supply of State (Dala) for different ferries under the RHD Workshop Division, Feni during the year 1998-99.
Group-3 Supply of spare parts for different Case Vibromax Soil Compactor under the RHD Workshop Division, Feni during the year 1998-99.
Group-4 Supply of spare parts for JM Roller No-1 differential gear box, fuel pump and related spares under the RHD Workshop Division, Feni during the year 1998-99.
Group-5 Repair and painting of pontoon Inv. P-O-no-016 at Chandpur ferry ghat under the RHD Workshop Division, Feni during the year 1998-99.
- Name of offices of availability of tender document : 1. EE (RHD), Workshop Division, Feni/Mymensingh.
2. Sub-Divisional Eng. (RHD), Workshop Sub-Division, Feni.
- Name of offices to receive tender bids : 1. Superintending Engineer (RHD), Workshop Circle, Dhaka.
2. Executive Engineer (RHD), Workshop Division, Feni/Mymensingh.
- Last date of selling tender : 25-5-99.
- Last date of receipt of tender : 26-5-99 (till 12:30 PM).
- Last date of opening tender : 30-5-99 (At 1:00 PM).
- Value of tender documents : Bangladesh Form No-2911 of Tk 25/- & 2908 of Tk 15/- and at the rate of per set schedule Tk-500/-.

Tender No	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time allowed	Eligibility of contractor
33 (98-99)				
Group-1	1,16,200/-	2,324/-	20 (Twenty) days	1. "A" to "C" General Class of (RHD) Department.
Group-2	3,36,000/-	6,720/-	-do-	2. "D" Class of (RHD) Workshop Circle, Dhaka.
Group-3	1,55,500/-	3,110/-	-do-	
Group-4	99,680/-	1,994/-	-do-	3. "E" Class of (RHD) Workshop Division, Feni.
Group-5	4,96,142/-	9,923/-	30 (Thirty) days	

Executive Engineer (RHD)
Workshop Division, Feni.