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Death Anniversary



Today 28th July, '99 3rd death anniversary of ex-Josephite Rafi Ahmed Shuja. Relatives, well-wishers and friends of Bhaiya are requested to pray to Almighty Allah for the eternal peace of his departed soul.
Rubayet Ahmed Trisha
"Diruba" House No 6B, Road No 67, Gulshan-2, Dhaka.
C-600 Well-Wishers

Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

পানির অপচয় বন্ধ করুন।। ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted 1st, 2nd & 3rd class mechanical & electrical contractors for the undermentioned works:

Name of work	Allotted cost	Date & time of receiving tender
1) Installation of sub-pump at 10 newly sunk wells under the Interim Project-4, Group-"A"	Taka 1,70,178/=	16-8-99 up to 12:00 Noon.
2) Installation of sub-pump at 10 newly sunk wells under the Interim Project-4, Group-"B"	Taka 1,70,178/=	do

Tenders will be opened at 2:00 PM on the date of receiving tender in presence of the tenderers or their representatives (if any).

Schedule of tender will be available at the Office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone Offices of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Address:
Hatkola Road,
Dhaka
WASA-PI-262/99
DFP-16141-22/7
G-1388

Ajit Kumar Roy
Executive Engineer
FM Division
Dhaka WASA.



Bangladesh Samajtantrik Dal (BSD) brought out a procession in the city yesterday demanding trial of the bank loan defaulters. — Star photo

Proper steps needed to upgrade library facilities in country

By DU Correspondent

Speakers at a seminar yesterday underscored the need for proper steps on national priority basis to establish libraries across the country including the educational institutions to ensure quality education, saying "the library system in the country still presents a poor picture and its rather passing through a traditional stage."

While addressing the seminar on "Development of Libraries in Bangladesh: A Study of the Historical Route," held at the Lecture Theatre of Dhaka University, the speakers also pointed out that the libraries in Bangladesh operating more or less under a chain of network, but the essential characteristics of library service have not developed that much from the point of view of the number of libraries, skilled manpower, systematic operation, modern technological facilities, utility orientation of the system and even from the Estimated Potential Users Population (EPUM).

The keynote paper on the topic was presented by Dr S M Mannan and Surayya Begum, teacher of the Department of Library and Information Science of the university.

The speakers also delivered a brief of the historical scenario of libraries in the country during the pre-liberation and post-liberation periods.

According to the keynote paper, "it is true that library can play an important role to influence the development of the character of the students but unfortunately, in our country schools do not have any worth mentioning libraries. In fact there are no libraries in any primary schools and no attempt has been made to establish libraries in primary schools in any development programme."

"The Commission on national education observed that 'Library is the heart of the school', but the government paid very little attention to the development of libraries in schools in Bangladesh," the keynote paper added.

Quoting a survey, the keynote speakers said, "the government colleges have some kind of libraries and the non-government colleges, except a few, have no libraries at all. They have libraries only in records, which is required for the purpose of affiliation of the college."

Expressing dissatisfaction they said, 95 per cent of the colleges in the country do not have any separate library building, have no reading room facilities, do not have sufficient furniture or equipments. There is no proper supply of books and most of the books the colleges

have are out dated, or obsolete.

Of 230 government colleges only 17 have qualified professional librarians and the rest college libraries are run by librarians who are not professionals and the condition is same in case of non-government colleges, they said.

"The establishment of the Department of Public Libraries by the government with its all inadequacies is a proper step in the direction and with this effort, at least a sustainable framework of public library service up to district level has been established. Now it depends of the concerned authorities and the professionals to follow up and make a public library service in the truest sense of the term for the country," Surayya Begum said.

Organised by the Centre for Advanced Research in Humanities (CARH), the programme was presided over by Prof Nasir Uddin Ahmed.

AFM Badiur Rahman discussed on the topic while a number of students, educationists including the Pro Vice Chancellor of the university Prof Sahadat Ali, Dr Fazlul Alam, librarian, planning and development of DU Central Library were also present at the programme.

Urs of Pagla Miah today

CHHAGALNAYA, Feni, July 27: The annual Urs of Syed Annusuddaula (Pagla Miah) will be held at Takeabari Mazar Sharif of the sufi tomorrow, reports BSS.

Khatme Quran, milad mahfil and waz mahfil will be held on the occasion.

A large number of devotees have gathered here to attend the Urs. Akheri Munajat will be offered during the Urs, an Urs committee source said.

Zillur stresses on scientific management 'Silver Revolution will reap success'

Minister for LGRD and Cooperatives Zillur Rahman yesterday emphatically pleaded for scientific management of all water bodies to increase fish production that would greatly help poverty alleviation as being spearheaded by the present government, reports BSS.

"We have immense scope of scientific management of our innumerable water bodies including ponds, lakes and rivers where we can involve our rural folks to increase fish production leading to improvement in their day to day life," he said.

The Minister said Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina announced "Silver Revolution" to encourage increased fish production in the country which would ultimately provide double benefits — increased protein supply and poverty alleviation — to the nation.

Zillur Rahman inaugurating a seminar here on "Rural Aquaculture and Poverty Alleviation" observed that the Silver Revolution would reap success by tempting the rural people towards fish production under a scientific management system for the country's all water bodies.

The inaugural session was

also addressed by Minister for Fisheries and Livestock ASM Abdur Rob, the special guest while Secretary of the Ministry Ayub Quadri was in the chair. Director General of Fisheries Directorate MA Karim and Director General of Bangladesh Fisheries Research Institute also spoke on the occasion.

Rahman highlighting the country's poverty leading to malnutrition for inadequacy in protein supply said, "50 per cent of the rural people are below the poverty line, 95 per cent children are suffering due to malnutrition and 30,000 children are falling prey to blindness for want of Vitamin-A annually."

Besides, he said, 600 children are dying everyday for malnutrition and such a trend can easily be checked through raising production of fish to ensure increased supply of protein, vitamin and other minerals required for the people of all ages.

Poetry Recitation Festival begins tomorrow

By DU Correspondent

The fifth National Poetry Recitation Festival will begin at the Shawko Osman auditorium of Central Public Library tomorrow.

Bangladesh Abriti Samanay Parishad (BASP) has chalked out an elaborate four-day long programme on the occasion. Member secretary of the Festival Celebration Council, Hasan Aref disclosed this at a press conference at the TSC on the Dhaka University campus yesterday afternoon.

Wahidul Haque will inaugurate the function in the afternoon while State Minister for Youth, Sports and Cultural Affairs Obaidul Quader will attend the programme as chief guest. Hasan Aref will deliver welcome address at the inaugural session presided over by renowned artist Asaduzzaman.

When asked, Hasan Aref said different cultural organisations of the city and from across the country will participate at the function.

Taka 20 has been fixed as entry fee for the function, Hasan Aref added.

A colourful rally will also be held on Friday morning, the second day of the programme.

Though all the tickets of the function have already been sold, he said some special tickets would be available at the function venue for eminent personalities.

The fifth annual conference of the Parishad will also be held on Saturday, the third day of the programme.

Among others, Shimal Mostaf, Ahkam Ullah, Rafiqul Islam, Iqbal Khorsheed, Azharul Haque, Shahadat Hossain, Sohel Ahmed and Mahidul Islam were present at the press conference.

5th council of DU BCF unit today

By DU Correspondent
The fifth council of the Dhaka University unit of Bangladesh Chhatra Federation (BCF) will be held on the campus today.

The theme of this year's conference is "to be united to make DU a genuine higher education centre". BCF leaders disclosed this at a press conference at the Madhu's Canteen yesterday noon.

At the press conference, the BCF leaders demanded of the university authorities ensure standard of education.

Besides, ensuring regular classes, they observed that effective steps should be taken by the authorities for holding regular discussion meetings, seminars and tutorial classes.

Terming the allocation for education support sector in the recent DU budget as 'very poor', the BCF leaders demanded more allocation for the sector to upgrade standard of education.

Among others, Taslima Akhter, Abeda Gulrokh, Iftakher Ayub and Feroz Ahmed were present at the press conference.

Lankan minister arrives in city

Sri Lankan Minister for Justice, Constitutional and Ethnic Affairs and National Integration and Deputy Minister for Finance Professor G L Peiris arrived in the city yesterday on a four-day official visit to explore possibilities of bilateral trade and economic relations, reports BSS.

Finance Minister Shah A M S Kibria received the senior Sri Lankan leader, who heads a delegation of business leaders of the island state at the Zia International Airport.

"Sri Lanka is interested to boost economic links with Bangladesh and some very important figures of Sri Lankan business arena are already in Dhaka to explore the ways towards that end," he said on the arrival at the airport.

Prof Peiris said his country was particularly interested in promoting links in service and manufacturing sectors.

"We have gained expertise in service sector," he said adding already the Sri Lankan financial institution 'Vanik' was operating in Bangladesh.

Finance Minister Shah A M S Kibria said despite current low volume of trading, there is a good prospect for economic relations between the two countries and Sri Lankan minister's visit will help promote the links for mutual benefit.

He is also due to call on Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and visit Ranganmati to meet tribal leaders there.

Tk 8.75cr UNFPA grant for Bangladesh

Bangladesh will receive a grant of US \$1.8 million (about Tk 8.75 crore) from UNFPA in terms of financial and technical assistance under four separate agreements signed yesterday, reports UNEP.

Dr A K M Mashur Rahman, Secretary, ERD and Shuyun Xu, UNFPA Representative in Dhaka signed the agreements on the projects for improvement of health services in the country.

The project activities would involve assisting the organisations that were providing productive health services and enhancing cooperation between the government and NGOs in implementation of Health and Population sector programme.

With the implementation of the projects, overall programme of population control and improvement of quality of life of the people will be facilitated, says a press release.

Railway employees demand 30pc dearness allowance

CHITTAGONG, July 27: Chittagong Regional Committee of Bangladesh Railway Sramik-Karmachari Oikya Jote here today demanded 30 per cent dearness allowance for the railway employees, a press release of the Jote said, reports BSS.

The Regional Committee at a meeting held at the central office of the Railway Employees League with Central Coordinator Muhammad Arkam Ali in the chair expressed its concern at the delay in granting 30 per cent DA for railway employees and protested the increment of Taka 70 only per month for each employee when Taka 55 is deducted for water, gas and electricity.

The meeting also demanded immediate repair of residential quarters of the Railway employees.

Railway Sramik-Karmachari Oikya Jote leaders Abu Taher Khan, Mahbubur Rahman Pintu, Iqbal Hossain Khan Pathan, Selim Pathan and Abdus Sabur Khan were present at the meeting.

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BJMC Advertisement International Tender Notice

Dy General Manager, Hafiz Jute Mills Ltd, Bara-Aulia, Chittagong invites sealed quotations from manufacturers for import of following on FOB/C&F Chittagong by Air/Sea under any available fund.

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6. Spares 4A Carter Gear of Hebbert Dressing Machine.

Tender documents to be dropped in the tender box kept in the BJMC, Planning Division, Adamjee Court, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka. Sattar Chamber, 99, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong & mills office at 11-30 AM on 31-8-99 & the same will be opened on the same day at 12:00 Noon in presence of tenderers, if any. Tender documents in details of our requirement will be available (excepting opening date) from the General Manager (Finance), BJMC, Dhaka, Manager (A&F), BJMC, CZ, Chittagong & Dy General Manager (A&F) of Mills on payment of Tk 70.00 per set.

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Tender Notice

Name of office: Civil Construction Division, Greater Khulna Electric Supply Project (Phase-2), PDB, Pabla, Daulatpur, Khulna. Name of work: Earth filling in the acquired land for construction of 132/33 KV Sub-Station at Sathkira. Eligibility of contractor: Sealed tenders are invited from Power Development Board enlisted A, B & C class valid licence-holder contractors. Estimated cost: Tk 7,11,140/- (seven lakh eleven thousand one hundred forty) only. Price of tender: Tk 500/- (five hundred) only (non-refundable) to be deposited in the form of DD/Pay Order in favour of "Deputy Director (Accounts), RAO, PDB, Khulna." Place & date of obtaining tender: Tender can be purchased from Chief Engineer, Distribution, West Zone, PDB, Boyra, Khulna/Project Director, Greater Khulna Electric Supply Project (Phase-2), PDB, Khulna/Pubali Bank Ltd, BIDC Road, Khalishpur Branch, Khulna on permission of the undersigned up to 17.8.99. Date of receiving & opening tender: At the said offices (except bank) the office of the undersigned up to 12:00 Noon of 18.8.99 and tenders will be opened on the same day at 12:30 PM in presence (if any) of the attending tenderers. Other terms & conditions and all rules & regulations of tender must be complied with properly.

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DFP-16074-21/7
G-1390

Executive Engineer (In-charge)
Civil Construction Division
Greater Khulna Electric Supply Project (Phase-2)
PDB, Pabla, Daulatpur, Khulna

শাখা স্থানান্তর

আগামী ০১-০৮-৯৯ তারিখ রোজ রবিবার আমাদের কক্সবাজারস্থ উখিয়া শাখাটি নতুন ভবনে স্থানান্তর করা হবে।

বর্তমান ভবন

খতিয়ান নং-১৩২, দাগ নং- ৬৬৯৪
জে এল নং-১০, মৌজা-ওয়ালাপালং
ইউনিয়ন-রাজাপালং, ডাকঘর-উখিয়া
থানা-উখিয়া, জেলা- কক্সবাজার।

নতুন ভবন

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থানা- উখিয়া, জেলা- কক্সবাজার।

সম্মানিত গ্রাহক, পৃষ্ঠপোষক ও শুভানুধ্যায়ীদের নতুন ঠিকানায় যোগাযোগ ও ব্যাংকিং কার্যাদি সম্পাদনের অনুরোধ করা যাচ্ছে।

সোনালী ব্যাংক



জাতীয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

পাঞ্জাপুর

ইনস্টিটিউট অব ন্যাচারাল সায়েন্সেস ও ইনস্টিটিউট অব লাইফ সায়েন্সেস
(Institute of Natural Sciences & Institute of Life Sciences)-এ

এমফিল প্রোগ্রামে ভর্তির বিজ্ঞপ্তি

শিক্ষাবর্ষঃ ১৯৯৯-২০০০

জাতীয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের অধিভুক্ত কলেজে স্নাতক (অনার্স) ও স্নাতকোত্তর পর্যায়ে বিজ্ঞান শিক্ষাকে শক্তিশালী ও ফলপ্রসূ করার লক্ষ্যে এবং শিক্ষকদের অধিকতর যোগ্য ও সমৃদ্ধ করার উদ্দেশ্যে জাতীয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় ১৯৯৯-২০০০ শিক্ষাবর্ষ হতে বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের ইনস্টিটিউট অব ন্যাচারাল সায়েন্সেস-এর অধীনে পদার্থবিজ্ঞান ও রসায়ন এবং ইনস্টিটিউট অব লাইফ সায়েন্সেস-এর অধীনে মৃত্তিকাবিজ্ঞান, উদ্ভিদবিজ্ঞান ও প্রাণিবিজ্ঞান বিষয়ে এমফিল কোর্স চালু করতে যাচ্ছে।

এই শিক্ষাবর্ষে অধিভুক্ত কলেজসমূহের উপরিলিখিত পাঁচটি বিষয়ের শিক্ষক/শিক্ষিকাগণ ও বিভিন্ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠানের গবেষণা কর্মকর্তাবৃন্দ এমফিল প্রোগ্রামে ভর্তি হতে পারবেন।

প্রোগ্রাম অব স্টাডিজ - দু'বছর মেয়াদি-এ প্রোগ্রামের প্রথম বছরটি হবে সম্পূর্ণ কোর্স পদ্ধতির। এ পর্বে ভর্তিকৃত শিক্ষার্থীরা তাদের নিজ বিষয়ে জ্ঞানের পরিধি বিস্তারিতরূপে ও আধুনিকীকরণের সুযোগ পাবেন। প্রথম পর্বের শেষে একটি চূড়ান্ত পরীক্ষা অনুষ্ঠিত হবে। এ পরীক্ষায় উত্তীর্ণ ছাত্র/ছাত্রীগণ দ্বিতীয় পর্বে গবেষণা কার্যক্রমের সাথে সম্পৃক্ত হবেন। এমফিল কোর্সে সম্ভাব্যজনক অগ্রগতির ভিত্তিতে পিএইচডিতে স্থানান্তর করা যাবে। বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের প্রবীণ শিক্ষক ও বিভিন্ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠানের (কোয়ান্টাম, বারি, বিরি, বিনা) ও আনবিক শক্তি কমিশন) উর্ধ্বতন গবেষণা কর্মকর্তাগণ এমফিল কোর্সের গবেষণা কার্যক্রম পরিচালনা করবেন।

ভর্তির যোগ্যতা : প্রার্থীকে এসএসসি হতে মাস্টার্স পর্যন্ত সর্বকাল পরীক্ষায় কমপক্ষে দ্বিতীয় বিভাগ/শ্রেণিতে উত্তীর্ণ হতে হবে। তবে অনার্স বা মাস্টার্স-এ ১ম শ্রেণী থাকলে এসএসসি ও এইচএসসি পর্যায়ে যে কোন একটিতে তৃতীয় বিভাগ থাকলেও আবেদন করতে পারবেন।

* প্রার্থীকে অবশ্যই বাংলা ও ইংরেজি ভাষায় কথা বলা ও লেখায় পারদর্শী হতে হবে।
* উপরিলিখিত পাঁচটি বিষয়ে যারা জাতীয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের ট্রেনিং গ্রহণ করেছেন তাদেরকে এমফিল প্রোগ্রামে ভর্তির ক্ষেত্রে অগ্রাধিকার দেয়া হবে।

* কিছু সংখ্যক প্রার্থীকে স্কলারশীপ দেয়া হবে।

প্রার্থীর বয়স : ০১-৭-৯৯ইং তারিখে অনূর্ধ্ব ৪০ বছর হতে হবে।

আবেদনপত্র জমা দেয়ার শেষ তারিখঃ ২০-৮-১৯৯৯ইং

* নির্ধারিত ফরমে ভর্তির আবেদন করতে হবে।

ইনস্টিটিউট অফিস : রেজিস্ট্রার, জাতীয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের অনুকূলে ১০০ (একশত) টাকার ব্যাংক ড্রাফট/পে-অর্ডার বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের পাঞ্জাপুর ক্যাম্পাসে অবস্থিত ডরমিটরী ভবনের দক্ষিণ ব্লকের ৩১৯ নম্বর কক্ষে জমা দিয়ে ০১-০৮-৯৯ইং তারিখ থেকে আবেদনপত্র সংগ্রহ করতে হবে।

আবেদনপত্রের সাথে পাসপোর্ট সাইজের দু'কপি সত্যায়িত ছবি, সকল পরীক্ষা পাসের সনদ ও নম্বরপত্রের সত্যায়িত ফটোকপি জমা দিতে হবে।

প্রার্থীদের যথাযথ কর্তৃপক্ষের মাধ্যমে আবেদন করতে হবে।

ভর্তি ও রেজিস্ট্রেশন ফি : ৬০০০ (ছয় হাজার) টাকা
টিউশন ফি : প্রতি বছর ২০০০ (দু'হাজার) টাকা
বিস্তারিতের জামানত : ১০০০ (এক হাজার) টাকা (ফেরতযোগ্য)
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