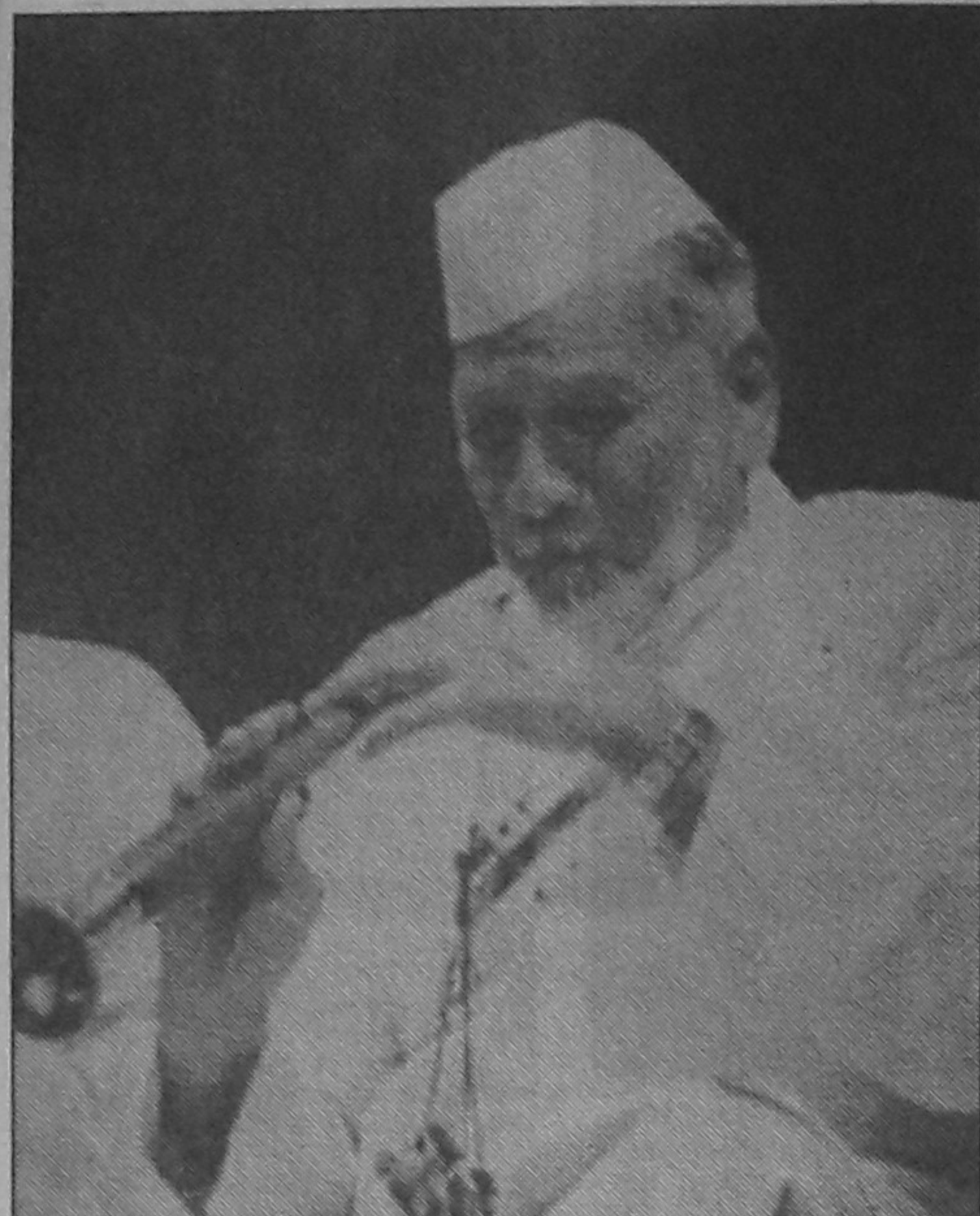


## music

## Music with A Cause

The city waits for the performance of the legendary shehnai player Ustad Bismillah Khan



Bismillah Khan

By Ziaul Karim

THE tune of transcendental music emanating from Ustad Bismillah Khan's shehnai will be magic potion for the city's music lovers.

For three days beginning from January 27, at Osmani Memorial Hall, the venue of the concert, the city will experience the performance of a music maestro whose name stands high in the gallery of all time greats in Hindustani music.

The shehnai-wizard visiting Bangladesh at the invitation of the AIDS prevention Programme Implementation Committee (APPIC) to join in the fund-raising efforts of APIC which is working for the last five years among the tribal

people, tea garden workers and people of the country's Sylhet region, the high risk zone of HIV/AIDS in the country, to create awareness about AIDS.

The tickets are available at all ANZ Grindlays Bank branches and at Sagar Publishers, Bally Road at 2000, 1500, 1000, and 500 takas.

Bismillah Khan has virtually revolutionized the style of playing shehnai and transformed the traditional folk instrument into a major instrument for concert music. Shehnai had long been suitable for short pieces like thumri, dhun and folk tunes. But the great Khan breathes into this instrument the grandeur of vilambit and drut gats in the typical manner of Hindustani classical music. Shehnai now enjoys a dis-

tinctive place in the realm of classical Indian music.

Bismillah Khan was born on March 21, 1916 in Bihar and was initiated into the art of shehnai-playing by his uncle Ustad Ali Bux. He started his career as an accompanist to his uncle. By sheer merit of his dexterity, he was able to improvise such intricate but dazzling pattern-weavings as was previously thought to be outside the scope and range of shehnai.

At the tender age of 14 in 1930, Bismillah Khan gave his first public performance at the All India Music Conference at Allahabad. His only second performance bought him gold medals. And awards in his long cherished career came as incessant downpour. In April 1956 he was awarded the Sangeet

Natak Academy Award for Hindustani Instrumental Music. In 1961 he was conferred on the title Padma Shri and the National Cultural Organization awarded him the title Akhil Bharatiya Shehnai Chakravarty. In recognition of his outstanding contribution to the world of Indian music, he was conferred on the most coveted title of India Padma Bhushan in 1968. The Tansen Award was given to him by the Madhya Pradesh government in 1980. In 1995 the World Music Institute, New York, celebrated his 80th birth anniversary with deep respect and honour.

Bismillah Khan's shehnai recitals will be followed by dance recital by our vintage Manipuri dance exponent Tamanna Rahman.



Tamanna Rahman

## exhibition

## Faces behind The Face

The 10th theme exhibition "Democracy" of Ra Kajol is being held at the Zainul Gallery

By Saima Islam

THE 10th theme exhibition of Ra Kajol has started from January 20 at the Zainul Gallery, Institute of Fine Arts. Poet Shamsur Rahman was present as the chief guest while artist Mustafa Monwar was present as the special guest. Prof S Manzoorul Islam introduced the exhibition.

Kajol calls his exhibition 'Democracy', short for 'demon like crazy'. Asked about the significance, Kajol said that he tried to capture the essence of man, the inner self, the faces behind the face. Every man has a dark, crazy side to his personality and Kajol wants to reveal those eccentric self of man.

All his creations are drawn

ings on paper with Pastel, Charcoal and Tape. He has just drawn some faces and each face has a different story to tell. The artist intentionally left gaps between his drawn structures that give it an unfinished look but a close scrutiny reveals a perfect finish.

Ruhul Amin Kajol has made his mark with his traffic Art Projects in Bangladesh, Germany, Estonia, Denmark, Czech Republic and Sweden. He has recently finished a special project in Kuakata. These projects give the artist and the art to be in close contact with common people.

This Denmark based artist has done his Bachelor of Fine Arts from the Institution of Fine Arts, University of Dhaka, in 1977-83. He has done over 35



solo exhibitions in Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Germany, Czech Republic, Spain and Bangladesh. He likes to do theme based exhibitions. His previous themes were 'Colony' in 1989, 'Poetic Surrealism' in 1990, 'Song of Loneliness' in 1995, and many more.

"20th century has a significant period for mankind .... it seems that the globe has become a very interesting 'Thing' like a piece of sweet and we are free to have a bite on it," said the artist while speaking about his exhibition. He wants to focus the collective frenzy that drives mankind but he has done it by putting together individual faces into a collective whole.

His exhibition will go on till January 26.

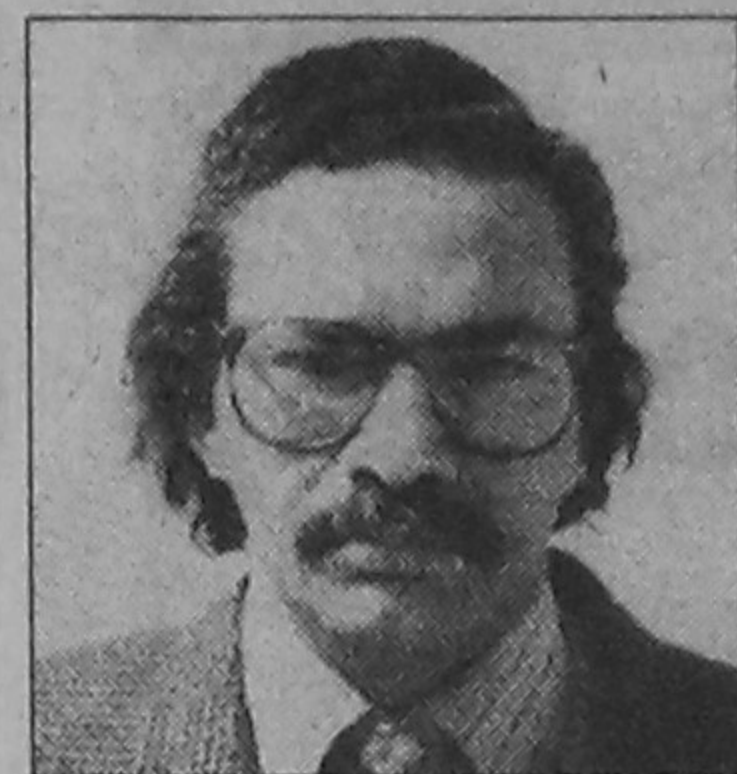
## exhibition

## Capturing Human Feelings on Canvas

Solo painting exhibition of Abdus Satter begins at the Divine Art Gallery

By Abdus Saboor

WORLD famous Spanish Artist Pablo Picasso once said, 'Painting is a blind man's profession. He paints not what he sees, but what he feels' and that feeling of the artist comes vivid when eminent artist Abdus Satter



Abdus Satter

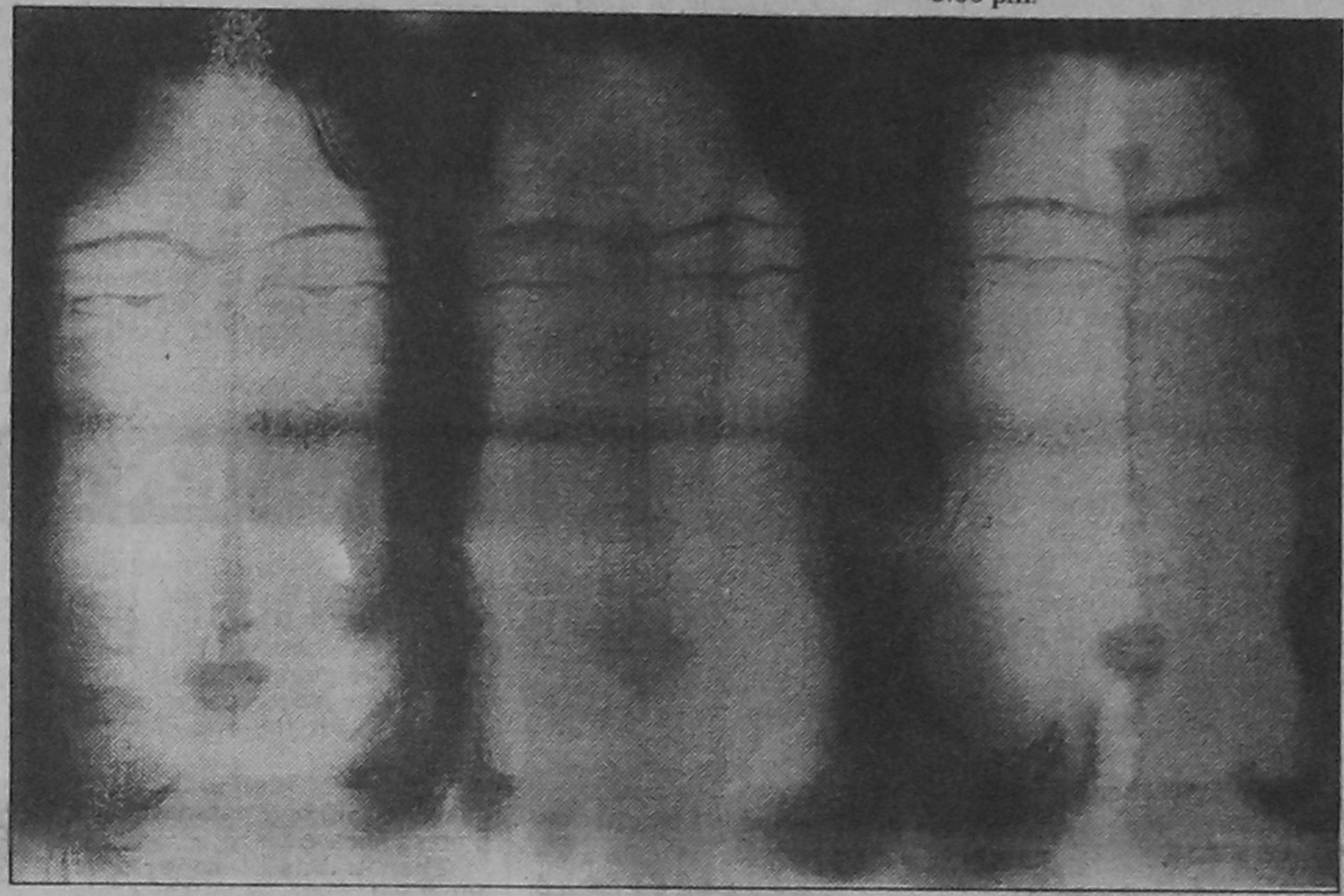
displays his exhibits in his solo painting exhibition at the Divine Art Gallery of Pan Pacific Sonargaon Hotel which began on January 21.

Abdus Satter does not work on any particular subject but his emphasis on capturing different human emotions is evident through his paintings. In his 'Three Faces' he portrays three different facial expressions of a woman. The painting 'Three Friends' shows the deep bond of friendship between three girls. The exhibit 'Making Butter' depicts the process of butter making in our rural life whereas the painting 'Musician' captures the essence of musicality.

In his long career Abdus Satter has received a number of awards in both home and abroad. His national awards include gold medal in 1980 and Honourable Mention award in 1982 and 1994 Art Exhibitions. He also received a number of international awards. In 1997 he got the award of Portland Art Museum International Print Exhibition, USA. Abdus Satter also received awards from Ist International Triennale for



Cactus, Mixed - 1999



Three Faces, Mixed - 1999

Prints held in Egypt in 1993. International Biennial of Graphic Art held in Yugoslavia in 1989-85-81 and many more.

His works are in the permanent collection at many renowned galleries and museums such as Portland Art Museum, USA, Museum of Auburn University, Alabama, USA, Museum of Contemporary Art, Yugoslavia, National Art Gallery, Malaysia, Museum of Contemporary Graphic Prints, Egypt, The Gallery of Yugoslavia Portrait, Tuzla, Yugoslavia and many more.

Abdus Satter did his PGD from Vishwa Bharati, Shantiniketan, India and did double MFA from Institute of Fine Art, Dhaka University, and from Pratt Institute, New York, USA. At present Abdus Satter is working as the Professor and Head of the Department of Oriental Art, Institute of Fine Art, Dhaka University.

The exhibition will continue till January 31 and will remain open everyday from 9.00 am to 9.00 pm.

## TV Guide

Tuesday 24th January

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

## BBC WORLD

6:00 World News Headlines 6:05 USA Direct 6:30 HARDtalk 7:00 BBC World News Inc. World Business Report/Asia Today 7:24 Hours 8:30 Asia Today 8:45 World Business Report 2:00 World News 9:30 Asia Today 10:00 BBC World News 10:30 HARDtalk 11:30 Holiday 12:00 BBC World News 12:30 Mastermind India 1:30 HARDtalk 2:00 World News 2:30 World Focus: Science World 3:00 BBC World News 3:30 HARDtalk 4:00 BBC World Report- Water Ways 6:30 World Focus: Science World 7:15 World Business Report 7:30 BBC World Today 8:30 World Living: Holiday 9:00 BBC World News 9:30 HARDtalk 10:00 World News 10:30 Wheels 11:00 BBC World News 11:30 World Living: Counterblast 12:00 The World Today 12:30 World Business Report 1:30 Hard Talk 2:00 BBC News 2:30 Reporters 3:00 BBC World News 3:30 World Living: Talking Movies 4:30 Europe Direct 5:00 BBC

Newsdesk Inc. World Business Report/24 Hours

## CHANNEL [V]

7:30 [V] Hit Machine 9:30 Virtual [V] 10:00 [V] Hit Machine 12:30 [V] Hit Music 1:00 [V] First Day First Show 1:30 [V] Line Lagao 2:00 [V] Hit Machine 2:30 [V] Dares 3:00 [V] Hit Machine 3:30 [V] Hit Music 4:00 [V] Hit Machine 4:30 [V] Tea With [V] 5:00 Virtual [V] 5:30 Tea With [V] 6:00 [V] Gone India 6:30 Tea With [V] 7:00 [V] Line Lagao 7:30 [V] Hit Machine 9:00 [V] Hit Music 9:30 First Day First Show 10:00 [V] Hit Machine 10:30 Late Night [V] [V] Laila (N) 12:30 [V] Hit Machine

## STAR PLUS

6:30 Ninnad 7:30 Good Morning India 9:15 The Trial Show- Film Trialer 9:30 Tve Sky Shopping 10:00 Good Morning India 12:00 This Week That Year 12:30 Tve Sky Shopping 1:00 Hit Ya Fit 1:30 Sansar 2:00 Chotisi Baat 2:30 Swabhiman 3:00 Pal Chhin 3:30 Star Talk 4:00 Srimati Sharma Na Kehti Hit 4:30 Ninja Turtles 5:00 WWF Superstars 6:00 Small Wonders 6:30 Maal Hai To Taal Hai 7:00 Hit Ya Fit 7:30 Star News (Hindi) 8:00 I Love

My India 8:30 Hera Pheri

9:00 Kora Kagaz 9:30 Star News (English) 10:00 Antaraal 10:30 3-2-1 11:00 Aaj Ki Baat 11:30 Kabhi Kabhie 12:00 Star News 12:30 Swabhiman 1:00 Sansar 1:30 Aaj Ki Baat 2:00 Maal Hai To taal Hai 2:30 Hera Pheri 3:00 Zindagi 3:30 Antaraal 4:00 3-2-1 4:30 Kabhie Kabhie 5:00 Ninnad 6:00 I Love My India

## STAR WORLD

6:30 Hollywood Squares 7:00 Martin Short Show 8:00 Home Improvement 8:30 Happy Days 9:00 Series: That 70's Show 9:30 Whose Line Is It Anyway 10:00 Series: Chicago Hope 11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show 12:00 Series: Everybody's Loves Remond 12:30 Series: Frasier 1:00 The Things People Do 1:30 The Bold And The Beautiful 2:00 Martin Short Show 3:00 The New WKRP in Cincinnati 3:30 Happy Days 4:00 Hollywood Squares 4:30 Home Improvement 5:00 Star News Asia 5:30 Daily Sope-Friends 6:00 Series 7:00 John Woo's Once A Thief 8:00 Series- Millennium 9:00 Daily Sope-Friends 9:30 Series-Jag 10:30 Series- Millennium 11:30 John Woo's Once A Thief 12:30 Daily Sope-Friends 1:00 Series-Jag 2:00 Se-

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## STAR MOVIES

7:30 Thriller: Flash Frame 9:30 Sci-Fi: The Udaralegacy (15) 11:30 Sci-Fi: Not of This Earth 1:30 Comedy: Money For Nothing (15) 3:15 Drama: Keys To Tulsa (15) 5:15 Action: Topkapi (15) 7:30 Sci-Fi: The Udaralegacy (15) 9:30 Extreme CU 10:00 Hollywood Action Night: Terminator-2 (15) 12:30 Movies With Style: Cocktail (15) 2:45 Comedy: There Goes My Baby (15)

## ZEE INDIA TV

7:00 Jagran 7:30 To 10:30 PM Every Half Hour - Zee News Hindi 11:00 Campaign Trail/Ru-Ra-Ru 11:30 Zee News- Hindi 12:57 News Headlines 1:00 Zee Sports Show 1:30 To 6:30 Very Half Hour- Zee News Hindi

## MTV INDIA

8:00 Mtv Hanging Out VJ Sonia 8:15 Classic MTV

9:00 MTV Hangout 9:30

Pop Indonesia 10:00 Non-Stop Hits 10:30 Mtv Most Wanted VJ Shehnaz 11:30 Mtv Top 2000 12:30 Mtv & Kenwood Hit List 1:00 Mtv Housefull V Nafisa 1:30 Mtv Fresh VJ Shehnaz 2:00 MTV Staying Alive AIDS Special 2:30 Non-Stop Hits 3:30 Love Line VJ Malaika 4:00 Mtv Bakra 4:15 Non-Stop Hits 4:30 Mtv Select VJ Nikhil 5:30 Mtv Most Wanted VJ Shehnaz 6:30 Mtv Chill Out VJ Cyrus/Asif/Nikhil 7:30 Mtv Cinemascope 8:00 Mtv Truelife AIDS Special 8:30 Mtv Top 2000 9:30 Mtv Hit Film Music 10:00 House Full VJ Nafisa 10:30 Mtv Gaao Baby Gaao 11:00 Mtv Lovelibe 11:30 The Grind (Beach Show) 12:00 Mtv Chill Out VJ Cyrus/Asif/Nikhil 1:00 Non-Stop Hits 2:00 Mtv Land VJ Mike/ Jamie/ Sarah 5:00 Mtv Top VJ Francis 6:00 Mtv Party-zone VJ Sonia

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## MUSIC ASIA

7:30 Aalaap 8:00 Ta Ra Rum 9:00 Brake Fall 10:00 Star's Day Out 10:30 Hit Mix 11:00 Colgate Zig Zag Best Of The Day 11:30 Ponds All Time Romantic Hits 12:00 Bajaj Music Box 12:30 Saare Ga Ma Classic

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Jharokha 2:00 Pop-shippers 2:30 Ta Ra Rum 3:30 Brake Fall 4:30 Bajaj Music Box 5:00 1900 5:30 Hit Mix 6:00 Saare Ga Ma Classic 7:00 Ponds All Time Romantic Hits 7:30 Music Quiz 8:00 Music Zone 8:30 Samay Quartz Best of Best 9:30 Bajaj Music Box 10:00 Sizzlers 10:30 Himani Gold T. Jharokha 11:00 Disco Mein Kisko 11:30 Shabab 12:00 Brake Fall 1:00 Colgate Zig Zag Best Of The Day 1:30 Himani Gold T. Jharokha 2:00 Bajaj Music Box 2:30 Naz Gen 3:00 Ta Ra Rum 4:00 Music Zone 4:30 Brake Fall 5:30 Super Vasmol Old is Gold 6:00 Sizzlers

## SONY TV

7:30 Aatma 8:00 Rushiprasad 8:30 Chartbusters 9:00 Ek Mahal Ho Sapno Ka 9:30 Music Mantra 10:00 Kabhi Yeh Kabhi Woh 10:30 I Love You 11:00 Saaya 11:30 Missing 12:00 Movies And Shekhar's 12:30 Chartbusters 1:00 Pehchaan 1:30 Music Mantra 2:00 Boogi Woogi 2:30 Ek Mahal Ho Sapno Ka 3:00 Aamrit 3:30 Cine Mantra-Hindi Feature Film: Kal Ki Awaaz 7:00 Junoon 7:30 Music Mantra 8:00 Chartbusters 8:30 Dekh Dekh 9:00 Kanyadha 9:30 Alpviram 10:00

Bhanwar 10:40 Movies

And Shekhar's 11:15 Ek Mahal Ho Sapno Ka 11:45 Junoon 12:15 Music Mantra 12:30 Hum Sub Ek Hain 1:00 Sparh 1:30 Just Mohabbat 2:00 Bajaj Ki Lehren 2:30 Chartbusters 3:00 Aurat (Daily Soap) 3:30 Cine Nite Show- Hindi Film: Ladaaku

## ZEE TV

6:00 Yeaddon Ki Pal (B/W Songs) 6:30 Zee News & Business (Rpt) 7:00 Bhakti Songs 7:30 Jagran 8:00 Guladasta 8:30 Zara Haske- Hai Zindegi 9:00 Zara Haske- Filmi Chalkar 9:30 Disney Hour Cartoons 10:30 Ek Nazar 11:00 Chota Muih Aur Badi Baat 11:30 Chollo Cinema 12:00 Professore Pyarelal 12:30 Khushoorat 1:00 Adhkar 1:30 Naye Nazrane 2:00 Hum Panch 2:30 La-keeren 3:00 Daily Soap- Rahat 3:30 Cinema Hits- Hi Film: Naitya 6:30 Ek Nazam 7:00 Special Millennium-Tribute To Jesus 8:30 Hindi Film- Bombay To Goa 11:00 Daily Soap- Aangan 11:30 Kartavya 11:55 Jhalak Trailler 12:00 Ashirwad 12:30 Tvs Sa-Re-Ga-Ma 1:30 India's Most Wanted 2:00 Zee News 2:30 Janam 3:00 Feature Film (B/W): Johar Mehmood In Goa (Mehmood, I S Johar)

## HOME TV

8:00 Club 700 8:30 India Anjana 9:00 Pahl Nazari 9:30 Cartoons 10:00 Action Drama 10:45 Chalthe Chalthe 11:00 Ga Mere Man Ga 12:00 Born Lucky 12:30 Satya 1:00 Tele Shopping Network 1:30 Tele Brands 2:00 Jaane Kya Toone Kahi 2:30 Cafe 18 3:30 Tele Brand 4:30 Duniya Gol Hai 5:00 Tele Shopping Network 5:30 Chalthe Chalthe 5:45 Cartoons 6:30 Action Drama 7:15 Chalthe Chalthe 8:30 Aao Gues Karen 9:00 Matinee Show 9:30 Anima & Family 10:00 Khabhi Idhar 10:30 Hakeekat 11:00 Satya 11:30 Zaban Sambhal Ke 12:00 Hollywood Hungama 1:30 Jane Kya Tone Kahi 2:00 First Cut 2:30 Cafe 3:00 India Anjan

## DISCOVERY CHANNEL

6:30 Ushuaia 7:30 Travelers 8:30 Lonely Planet 9:30 Eyewitness 10:30 Wild Guide 11:00 Walker's Cay Chronicles 11:30 Aspects of Life 12:00 Animal Survivors 12:30 Wild Discovery 1:30 Medical Detectives 2:30 Discover Magazine 3:30 Travelers 4:30 Ushuaia 5:30 Lonely Planet 6:30 Movie Magic 7:00 Popular Mechanics for Kids 7:30

Wild Discovery 8:30 New

Sanctuaries 9:00 Oceans of Mystery 9:30 Extreme Machines 10:30 Without Warning 11:00 What Went Wrong? 11:30 Discovery Profile Series 12:30 Blue Reef 1:00 Two Worlds

## CARTOON NETWORK

6:30 Jetsons 7:00 Flintstones 7:30 The Popeye Show 8:00 Dexter's Laboratory 8:30 What A Cartoon Show? 9:00 The Powerpuff Girls 9:30 Kids 10:00 Scooby & Scrappy Doo 10:30 Tom & Jerry Kids 11:00 Big Bag 11:00 Cave Kids 11:30 New Adventures of Captain Planet 12:00 Tiny Toon Adventures 12:30 Flinstones 1:00 The Smurfs 1:30 The Road Runner Show 2:00 Tom & Jerry Kids 2:30 The New Scooby Doo Movies 3:30 Flinstones 4:00 The Mask 4:30 Swat Kats 5:00 Scooby & Scrappy Doo 5:30 Dexters Laboratory 6:00 What A Cartoon Show? 6:30 The Powerpuff Girls 7:00 The Popeye Show 7:30 Scooby Doo Where Are You? 8:00 The Road Runner Show 8:30 The Smurfs 9:00 Tiny Toon Adventures

## Alpha TV

Bangla 6:00 Prem Trishna 6:30

Aalap 7:00 Kee Darun

Dreshow 7:30 Moshkar 8:00 Swapna Mye 8:30 Kagoler Bou 9:00 Tumiley Anar 9:30 Bangla Movie 11:30 Prem Trishna 12:00 Jhara Samayer Upakatha 12:30 Shyaola 1:00 Bahari Ahaar 1:30 Plabon 2:00 Griho Sajja 2:30 Bangla Movie- Ishwar Parmeshwar 5:00 Bharat Bhromon 5:30 Kee Darun Dreshow 6:00 Paak Chakra 6:30 Com-mandar 7:00 Kancher Dewal 7:30 Biral Bou 8:00 News In Bangali 8:30 Shyaola 9:00 Gandharbi 9:30 Bangla Movie- Din Jaye

## NATIONAL

## GEOGRAPHIC

7:00 NBC Nightly News 7:30 Kimberly Sea Crocodiles 8:00 The Jason Project 9:00 Family Hour 10:00 Wild 11:30 Our Living World 12:00 National Geographic Special 1:00 People & Places 2:00 Our Living World 3:00 Wild 4:00 Crater of The Rain God 5:00 Family Hour 6:00 Wild 7:00 Our Living World 8:00 Emmy Winning National Geographic Special 12:30 Ocean Worlds 1:00 People & Places