

## What's on today . . .

**Inauguration:** The Continental Insurance Limited will be inaugurated. Chief guest: Finance Minister Shah A M S Kibria. Venue: Ballroom of Hotel Sonargaon. Time: 10.00 am.

**Scholarship awarding ceremony:** The 1st scholarship awarding ceremony of Shaheed Sheikh Russel Memory Fund will be held. Venue: University Laboratory School and College, DU campus. Time: 10.30 am.

**Exhibition:** The first solo painting exhibition of Zahurul Hoq Bhuiyan will begin. Venue: Zainul Gallery, Institute of Fine Arts, Dhaka University. Time: Inauguration: 5.30 pm; regular timing: 2.00 pm-7.30 pm.

**Cultural evening:** Rangs Electronics Ltd will hold a cultural evening. Venue: Officers Club, Bailey Road. Time: 7.30 pm.

**Seminar:** Centre for Advanced Research in Social Science (CARSS) of Dhaka University will hold a seminar on "Political Thoughts of Al-Mawardi". Venue: CARSS, DU campus. Time: 11.00 am.

## and tomorrow

**Handicraft exhibition:** Alliance Francaise de Dhaka presents a handicraft exhibition by Clement N Ascension. The items are in wood, jute, tablecloths, pillow covers, leather products etc. Venue: Cafeteria of Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, 26 Mirpur Rd. Time: 9.00 am-12.00 noon, 5.00 pm-8.00 pm.

**Vocal Classical Music:** High Commission of India presents a vocal recital by Zainul Abedin, a singer from India. Venue: Auditorium of the High Commission of India, House no 25, Rd no 2, Dhanmondi R/A. Time: 10.00 am.

**Film show:** Alliance Francaise de Dhaka will screen three movies *That Night in Varennes*, *The Watchmaker of Saint-Paul* and *Elisa*. Venue: Auditorium of Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, 26 Mirpur Rd, Dhanmondi. Time: 11.00 am, 4.00 pm and 6.00 pm.

**Lottery draw:** The draw of the Sandhani Blindness Eradication Lottery, 2000 will be held. Chief guest: Minister for Industries Tofail Ahmed. Venue: Jatiya Press Club premises. Time: 2.30 pm.

**Exhibition:** Gallery 21 presents the 1st solo painting exhibition of artist Aftab Islam Anne. Venue: Gallery 21, 765 Satmasjid Rd, Dhanmondi. Time: 5.30 pm.

**Exhibition:** Rangs Electronics presents a two-day long audio video adventure Exhibition 2000. Venue: Hotel Sheraton.

## Weather

### Rain likely

Light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty wind may occur at many places over the country with moderately heavy to heavy falls at places over Chittagong, Rajshahi, Barisal and Sylhet divisions during the next 24 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.

Day temperature may remain nearly unchanged during the period, Met office said.

Yesterday's highest temperature of 33.7 degree Celsius was recorded at Chuadanga and the lowest of 23.0 degree at Rangamati.

The sun sets in the capital today at 6.30 pm and rises tomorrow at 5.34 am.

Maximum and minimum temperature and humidity recorded in some major cities and towns yesterday were:

City/Town Temperature in Celsius Humidity in percentage

Dhaka 31.6 76 79

Chittagong 30.0 78 98

Rajshahi 32.4 78 76

Khulna 33.2 26.4 90 93

Barisal 32.2 25.7 79 87

Sylhet 31.0 25.5 90 100

Cox's Bazar 28.5 24.2 98 100