RECOMMENDATIONS

Photography

Reading great minds, great faces

2nd portrait photography workshop conducted by Nasir Ali Mamun is now being held at the Centre for Asian Arts and Culture

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OR critics he is Camerar Kobi or the poet with a camera. Nasir Ali Mamun, one of our finest portrait photographers, hardly needs any introduction. His portrait photographs of prominent people are fine testament to the photographer's talent and a sharp eye to read the subjects' personality. Organised by the Centre for Asian Arts and Culture (CAAC) a 5-day long portrait photography workshop by Nasir Ali Mamun started on November 22 at the CAAC. This is the second portrait photography workshop by Nasir Ali This workshop is exclusively

on portrait photography. A bril-



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Nasir Ali Mamun briefing his students at the portrait photography workshop



liant reader of personality, Nasir Ali Mamun has captured more than two thousand famous faces that he has seen through his lens speak voluminously about his photographic skill and emotion gone into the portraits. His portraits are not a narration of a moment of a great and famous person's life but a record of an intimate and passionate encounter. Nasir Ali Mamun feels that

there is a need for proper training in portrait photography in the country. The present workshop is designed to cater to the needs of the photographers interested in portrait photography. In his workshop Nasir Ali Mamun introduces his students to the works of some of the world famous photographers. With slides and video projectors he shows and discusses about their photographic techniques.

A great reader of faces, what Nasir Ali Mamun tries to achieve in his portraits is whether the light of personality is measurable through a single click on a face. In the workshop he will teach his students how to play with the light and shade and discover the individualism and contour of each face.

Said Nasir Ali Mamun, "When started photography in the early '70s I wanted to specialize in portrait photography and wanted to take photographs of famous people. But I did not how to materialize my dream."

He continued, "I found to my utter despair that the portraits of the writers used in newspapers and in books were miserable. I started photographing the leading cultural personalities in Bangladesh and in international scene. And I chose black &

Nasir Ali Mamun also said

that he knew nothing about photography at first. At the beginning he used 50 per cent shades in his portraits. In the '80s he had the opportunity to see works of some master portrait photographers. But by that time his style had already Organised by Bangla Academy the first portrait photography exhibition by Nasir Ali

CULTURE

Mamun was held in 1977. Today he has 45 solo photography exhibitions to his credit. His long list of personality

profile includs 14 noble prize winners. The local greats featuring in impressive portfolio of Nasir Ali Mamun are Moulana Bhashani. M A G Osmani. Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Jasim Uddin, Zainul Abedin, S M Sultan, Abdur Razzak, Ahmad Sharif, Sufia Kamal, Jahanara Imam, Abdul



Ahsan Habib

Matin, Akhtaruzzaman Elias, Abdus Salam, Saukat Osman, Mohammad Kudrat E Khuda, Santu Larma.



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country has ever photographed so many locally and internationally famous personalities. Nasir Ali Mamun has traversed three continents in search of his subiects. He has a plan to establish an photography archive with his portraits taken over the past two decades in Faridpur.

arranged later on. Deeply concerned with the

should be properly educated. Mamun's 5-day long course



No other photographer of this

Nasir Ali Mamun said that his workshop the students will have the opportunity to click on some living personality and with their photographs taken during the workshop an exhibition will be

future generation of portrait photographers of the country, Nasir Ali Mamun thinks that professional photographers

will come to an end on Novem-

Nishkanda

'Nishkanda is a mythical folk deity. He is being worshiped to drive away evil spirits, long for offspring and get rid of fear and diseases.' A photography exhibition by Shamim Hassan is being held at the exhibition hall of the German Cultural Centre (Goethe Institut). The exhibition will continue till

Pictures, that narrate stories

Conducted by Christoph Mukherjee and David Steets in colaboration with Drik Gallery and Pathshala, a photography workshop titled 'Pictures, that narrate stories' will start today at the German Cultural Centre (Goethe Institut). The workshop will continue till December 2.

Art show

A group art exhibition by Zahid Shamim, Kakoli and Safin has opened at The High Commission of India cultural centre, 754, Satmasiid Road. Dhanmondi. The show runs everyday from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. till November 29.

Crafts and fashion works show

A Crafts and Fashion Works Exhibition is now being held at the Zainul Gallery, Institute of Fine Arts, Shahbagh, Dhaka. The show will run till November 30.

Alfred Hitchcock Retrospective Zahir Raihan Film Society, in

collaboration with Indian High Commission in Dhaka, has organised a fortnight long Alfred Hitchcock Retrospective. Notorious starring Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman & Claude Rain, will be screened today at the Indian High Commission Auditorium at 6 in the

TV GUIDE

EKUSHEY TV

12:00 Ekushey Midday 12:30 Charidike

1:00 Expedition to the Animal grammed: Japan Video

Tropic 1:50 Classic Cartoons

2:10 Surer Prodeep

2:40 Drishti

Ekushey Headlines 3:00

3:05 Drama Serial 3:30 Amader Kotha

4:00 Surer Prodeep

4:30 Expedition to the Animal Kingdom

Islamic Program: Oishee 5:00

5:30 Drishti

5:50 Ajker Potrikay

Ekushey Headlines

Classic Cartoons 6:05 6:30 Charidike

6:55 Ekushey Headlines

7:00 Deho Tore 7:30 **Ekushey News**

7:58 Ek Minute 8:00 Drama: Abong Beaya News at Nine

9:05 Drama: De-Chokrojan 10:00 News : Simulcast from

BTV 10:30 Documentary Film: Last

Century

11:00 Ekushey Late Night News 11:30 Ekushey Business

12:00 Ekushey Headlines **ATN BANGLA**

4:30 Sheri Prog: Mobarak Ho

Mahey Ramadan Islamic Prog Child's Prog: Shapla Saluk

Gold Medel 8:00 ATN Bangla News

Drama serial: Uttaran Reporting prog: Ghotanar

Nepathee **9:35** Magazine prog: Sutorang

10:10 Kawali prog: Mahey Ramadan 10:50 Drama serial: Bondon

11:20 Bengali film: Doyal Murshid

12:00 ATN Bangla News 4:30 Iftar Prog: Mobarak Ho Mahev Ramadan

6:07 Musical prog. : ATN Music 6:45 Dance prog. : Dance

ATN Bangla Evening News 7:35 Drama serial: Uttaran 8:10 Film Magazine : Cine

Music 8:45 Drama: Atol Prohor

10:00 ATN Bangla News 10:35 Drama serial: Bondon 11:15 Bengali Film: Nupur

11:30 ATN Bangla News

HBO 7:00 The Fury Within 9:00 Harrison: Crv of the

11:00 Into the Night Body Double

5:45 Happy Gilmore 7:45 Frankie And Johnny 10:00 The Matrix

12:45 October Sky Columbo: A Trace of Murder 5:00 Happy Gilmore

BBC WORLD

6:00 BBC News World Business Report

BBC News Asia Today/Asia Business Report

BBC News Asia Today/World **Business Report**

BBC News Asia Today/Asia Business Report 10:00 BBC News

10:30 Holiday 11:00 BBC News 11:30 Correspondent

12:00 BBC News 12:30 Hardtalk

1:00 BBC News 1:30 OFD 2:00 BBC News

2:30 Earth Report BBC News 3:30 Hardtalk

4:00 BBC News 4:30 Click Online 5:00 BBC News Earth Report 6:00

Hardalk 6:30 7:00 BBC News 7:15 World Business

Holiday Earth Report 8:30 9:00 BBC News 9:30 Asia Today

10:00 BBC News/World **Business Report** 10:30 Wheels 11:00 BBC News 11:30 World Business

Report/Sport Today 12:00 BBC News 12:30 Hardtalk BBC News

Talking Movies 1:30 BBC News 2:00 2:30 World Business Report BBC News 3:30 Reporters

4:00 BBC News

Asia Business Report/Asia Today Asia Business

Report/Asia Today STAR GOLD 10:30 Amul Bollywood News

11:00 Geet Bahar 11:30 Hare Kanch Ki Chooriyan (Biswajit, Naina Sahu) Amul Bollywood News

Jal Bin Machhli Nritya Bin Biili (Sandhva. Abhiiit) Geet Bahar Mangal Masti-

Bachpan (Sanjeev Kumar, Tanuja) 11:00 Amul Bollywood News 11:30 Farar (Dev Anand, Geeta Bali)

12:30 Farar (Contd) Jal Bin Machhli Nritva Bin Bijli (Sandhya, Abhijit)

7:00 Bachpan (Sanjeev Kumar, Tanuja) STAR WORLD

Happy Days 3rd Rock From The Sun The Oprah Winfrey Show

8:00 Water Rats 9:00 That 70's Show 9:30 Dharma & Greg 10:00 Chicago Hope

11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show 12:00 Everybody Loves Raymond 12:30 Frasier

1:00 Media TV 1:30 The Bold & The Beauti-Mork & Mindy 2:00 2:30 Happy Days 3:00 Baywatch 4:00 The Simpsons 3rd Rock From The Sun

5:00 Star News Asia 5:30 Friends 6:00 JAG 6:55 STAR News Asia The Pretender Law & Order 9:00 Friends

10:00 JAG 10:30 The Pretender 11:30 Law & Order 12:30 JAG The Pretender 2:00 3rd Rock From The Sun 2:30 Creflo Dollar Daily 3:00 Kenneth Copeland

Ministries

Joyce Meyer

World News

Life in the Word With

10:30 Kahaani Ghar Ghar 11:00 Kyunki Saas Bhi Kabhi Bahu Thi 11:30 Kaahin Kissii Roz 12:05 Aaj Ki Baat **12**:30 Shagun 1:00 Hit Filmein Hit

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS



EKUSHEY: 8:00 p.m. Ebong Biye. Naimuddin's team plans to attack upstairs. Jahanara places their stuff. Akmal advises Jahanara to campaign. At this time Naimddin's younger brother-in-law arrives.



EKUSHEY: 9:05 p.m. *Di Ckokrojan.* Shona is a fisherman from Ponchoshila village. His all time companion is a bicycle, which does not have a break or a bell. Shona also has a pet 'Kholsha' fish in a jar. He calls it 'Dehbahar'. He believes that an honest persons jar fish never dies.



5:00 Things People Do

5:30 Mork & Mindy

STAR PLUS

Sanskruti

9:30 Fox Kids-Daily

10:30 Small Wonder

12:30 Hit Filmein Hit

Sangeet

Sanskruti

Shagun

Saheli

11:00 Pal Chhin

11:30 Saahil

12:00 Shanti

Star Geetmala

Hum Saath Aath Hain

Hit Filmein Hit Sangee

Hum Saath Aath Hain

Kahaani Ghar Ghar

Kyunki Saas Bhi

Kabhi Bahu Thi

Kasautii Zindagii Kay

Kabhi Sauten Kabhi

Kaahin Kissii Roz

Meri Saheli

Sangeet

Sanskruti

Kalash

Hit Filmein Hit

Small Wonder

Fox Kids Daily

Hum Saath Aath Hain

Kaahin Kissii Roz.

Kaun Banega

Crorepati

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STAR WORLD: 9:30 p.m. JAG. Real Deal Seal: Lt. Curtis Rivers, a medal of honour-winning Navy Seal, is court-martialed for punching a Congressional candidate who falsely claims to be a Navy Seal. Rivers explains that he is on a crusade to expose Navy Seal imposters.

Sangeet Telebrands

2:00 Kaahin Kissii Roz Gharwali Uparwali 2:30 3:30 Saahil 4:00 Sansar Kyunki Saas Bi Kabhi 4:30 Bahu Thi Meri Sahli Hit Filmein Hit Sangeet **CHANNEL [V]**

7:30 [V] So Long Gone

Motoworld

lights 2001/02

India Tour Of South

Africa 3rd Test, Day 4,

Africa Centurion, South

8:30 South Africa Cricket

ESPN

7:30

8:30 [V] Jumpstart 10:30 [V] Hit Machine 12:30 [V] Jungli Jukebox 1:00 [V] FDFS **IV1** Hit Machine 1:30 [V] Colossal Chaos Countdown **[V]** Hit Machine 3:00 4:30

The Matrix

On HBO at 10:00 PM

1:30 [V] Hotline Very [V] 8:00 **[V]** Hit Machine 8:30 [V] Jungli Jukebox

10:30 [V] Hit Machine **11:00** Late Night [V] 11:30 IVI Hit Machine [V] Hit Machine STAR NEWS 6:00 Star News Hindi 6:30 Bollywood News Star Bazaar Saat Baje

Star Khel Tonight at 8

world he knows only as a dream. And the one man that can show him reality is Morpheus, who sends latex-clad cyber chick Trinity to hook up with the supposed chosen one.

Star Samachar

9:00 9:30 Star News English 7:30 Sportsline Today 8:30 Trans World Sport

Tour 2001 German Open Bayreuth, Germany Semifinals 12:30 Sportsline Today 1:00 English Premier Football League English Premier Football League National Sports Report

Hamilton, Bermuda Straits New York Marathon New York City Marathon New York City, NY USA

STAR SPORTS 6:30 Sports Unlimited

10:00 Star Business News 10:30 Star Newshour

12:00 Sports Tonight 12:30 Star News English **ZEE TV** 6:00 Yaadon Ke Pal 6:30 Aalaap 7:00 Yoga For Life 7:30 Jagran

Zee Gym & Eat Healthy 7:50 8:20 News 8:30 Ardhangini 8:45 Yaadein Radio Cevion Ki 9:00 Nickelodeon 9:30 Nickelodeaon

10:00 Guldasta 10:30 Sarhadein 11:00 Ek Tukda Chand Ka 11:30 Ek Nazar 12:00 Woh Haseen Pal

1:00 Manzilein Apni Apni 1:25 Jhalak 1:30 Koi Apna Sa Choti Maa Ek Anokha 2:00 Bandhan

2:30 Gharana 3:00 Feature Film Ek Nazar 6:00 6:30 Nickeldeon On Zee 7:00 Nickelodeon 7:30 Ek Nazar 8:00 Deewane To Deewane

8:30 Ek Tukda Chand Ka 9:00 Justujoo

& Fourteen

English Premier Football League English Premier Football League 2001/02 Sportsline Tonight Spanish Football League 2001/02 Spanish Football League

Southern Redbacks @ Tasmanian Tigers Day 1 Highlights Tiger Soccer 5's Tiger **5**s, **2001** Singapore,

Sportsline Tonight International Motorsports News News 2001

Sportsline Tonight Fivb Beach Volleyball Fivb Beach Volleyball 9:30 Choti Maa Ek Anokha Bhandhan

Haan Aap Jo Bole Na 11:30 Sarhadein **12:00** Gharana

2:30 Manzilein Apni Apni

3:00 5:30 News in Hindi **ZEE CINEMA**

6.00 Feature Film 9:00 Kuch Lamhe Kuch Nagme 9:15 Top of the Tops

9:45 Movie Fare 10:00 Feature Film 1:00 Cine News Madhyantar 1:30 Feature Film

5:00 Darpan Weekend Cinema 5:15 5:45 Film Time 6:00 Feature Film 9:15 Chatpati Chat

Tara Rum 10:00 Feature Film 1:45 Tara Rum 2:15 Kuch Lamhe Kuch

Nagme 2:30 Feature Film 5:30 Chehren **ZEE MUSIC**

6:00 Music Plus 7:00 Aalaap 7:30 Tara Rum 8:30 Hit Pe Hit 10:25 Star Style 10:30 Hit Mix **11:00** Cool Age 11:30 Music Box 12:00 Music Plus 1:00 Hit Pe Hit 2:00 Jharokha Artist Of the Fortnight 3:05 Tara Rum

4:00 Hit Pe Hit 5:00 Music Box 5:30 Hit Mix 6:00 Compact Disc 6:30 Music Plus Hit Pe Hit 7:30 8:30 Just Jammin 9:00 Dil Se

9:30 Music Box 10:00 Sizzlers 10:30 Jharokha **11:05** Fillers 11:35 Phoren Maal 12:35 Shabab 1:05 Music Box Jharokha

Hit Pe Hit

Tara Rum

Phoren Maal

Artist Of The Fortnight

2:00

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> White Dog 10:00 Lonesome Dove: The Broken Vows

Clifford 3:30 Caillou

Sliders Season IV 6:00 7:00 Prince Charming 9:00 Star Trek: Voyager

SPORTS

Sportscenter Hindi English Premier League Highlights English Premier League High

5:30

7:30

9:30

Hiahliahts Great Alaska Shootout 10:30 Sportscenter Hindi Basketball Anchorage, 11:30 Nhl Power Week! 12:00 Cricket Programming Super Selector-December Launch

Sportscenter Bristol, CT South Africa Cricket India Tour Of South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, Preview South Africa Cricket

India Tour Of South

South Africa Cricket

Session

Africa Centurion, South

Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, 1st

India Tour Of South Africa Centurion, South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, South Africa Cricket India Tour Of South Africa Centurion, South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, 2nd and 3rd Session South Africa Cricket India Tour Of South Africa Centurion, South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5,

11:00 American Muscle 2001 American Muscle 11:30 Sportscenter Hindi 12:00 Football Focus Sportscenter Hindi 1:30 South Africa Cricket India Tour Of South Africa Centurion, South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, 1^s South Africa Cricket

> Africa Centurion, South Africa 3rd Test, Day 5, 2nd & 3rd Session

India Tour Of South

PICK OF THE DAY

Goth Neo, a software programmer by day and

hacker otherwise, wakes up every morning to a

Cricket Programming Super Selector Decem ber Launch 10:30 Table Tennis ITTF Pro

Yachting Swedish Match Grand Prix Sailing Tour Colorcraft Gold Cup Yachting World Yachting Series 2001: Singapore

Highlights Golf Programming Golfglobe 2001 Asian Festival Of Speed 2001 Asian Formula 2000 Int'l Series Zhuha

China Rounds Thirteen

10:30 Sportsline Tonight 11:00 Australian Domestic Cricket Australian Domestic Cricket-Pura

12:00 Sportsline Tonight Singapore Day 1 Match

International Motorsport Brazil Men's Semifinals

5:30 Sizzlers **ALPHA TV** 10:00 Koi Apna Sa **BANGLA** 10:30 Aap Jo Bole Haan To 6:00 Sheshprashna

12:30 Muje Dore Koi Khinche 7:30 Sansaar Deewane To Deewane 8:30 9:00

News Bharat Bhraman 9:05 Feature Film 9:30 Kichu Smriti Kichu Gaan

10:00 Saregama 11:00 Sheshprashna **11:30** Grohon 12:00 Phire Elam

> 12:30 Samayer Sur 1:00 Ingit 1:30 Ek Akasher Niche 2:00 Nayantara Rajadrohi Durga Puja 2:30

6:30 Goenda Paribar

News

Sur Taal

Ekushe Paa

Surer Ei Dharana Dharay

7:00

Special 5:00 Surer Ei Jharna Dharay 5:30 Manabi 6:00 News 6:30 Grohon

7:00 Shesh Prashna Purobi 7:30 8:00 Navantara 9:45 Ingeet 10:15 Football

10:45 Ek Palake

10:50 News 10:55 Ek Palake 11:00 Aat Pake Bandha 11:30 News 11:55 Ek Palake

12:00 Shesh Prashna **12:55** Ek Palake 12:30 Bangla Feature Film 3:00 Monniye 3:30 Bharat Bhraman

4:00 Nayantara 4:30 Ek Akasher Niche Chena Mukher Shari 5:00 Football 5:30

HALLMARK 12:00 Cupid & Cate Katts and Dog Cupid & Cate

To Dance With The 8:00

Sliders Season III 2:00 Sesame Street 3:00

4:00 Lonesome Dove: The 5:00 Star Trek: Voyager

10:00 Snow White