

Fashion

Kumudini's Eid specials

Kumudini's fashion parade with its' latest Eid collection

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A fashion parade was held at Gulshan on November 21 within the premises of Kumudini, a leading fashion and crafts house of the country.

Kumudini Handicrafts is a unit of Kumudini Welfare Trust of Bengal (BD) Ltd. that includes the reputed Bharateswari Homes, a school-cum-hostel for girls. Kumudini hospital, a newly established Medical College is another organisation among several other firms and establishments of the Kumudini family.

Handicrafts of Kumudini have become a trademark of the traditional artistry of Bangladesh since long with a wide array of fashion and home decoration accessories. Since inception, the firm has tried to maintain the rich customary notions of Bengal through production and initiation of new items,

closely accustomed in style and tone of the region.

Since the beginning of its journey Kumudini has always aimed towards helping the rural artisans and unskilled manpower, providing with employment opportunity at the urban factories of the institution. Women also received benefits for their families through the promotional job provisions of Kumudini.

The show was designed with the latest apparel items of the house and Jamdani saris reigned among all. The sparkling shades of a variety of colors enhanced the appearance and style of the three female models as they displayed a smart catwalk wearing traditional Jamdani sarees in red, black and green. These traditional Jamdani saris have come down the years carrying with it a heritage of fine weaving. In Kumudini's collection excel-

lent examples of this traditional handloom textile of Dhaka can be noticed. The green based one had multicolour works all over the body. The small works in red, light green, orange and white works highlight the sari and the golden thread works on the *anchal* makes it even more attractive. The red based one had red and golden works all over and gray works on the black based sari was also very gorgeous. There is no doubt that the intricate designs and blending of colours give the saris a contemporary look suitable for Eid festival.

Next came silk panjabis for men. First came three models wearing one midnight blue, one golden brown and a reddish brown panjabi. All of them were heavily embroidered on the body and hands.

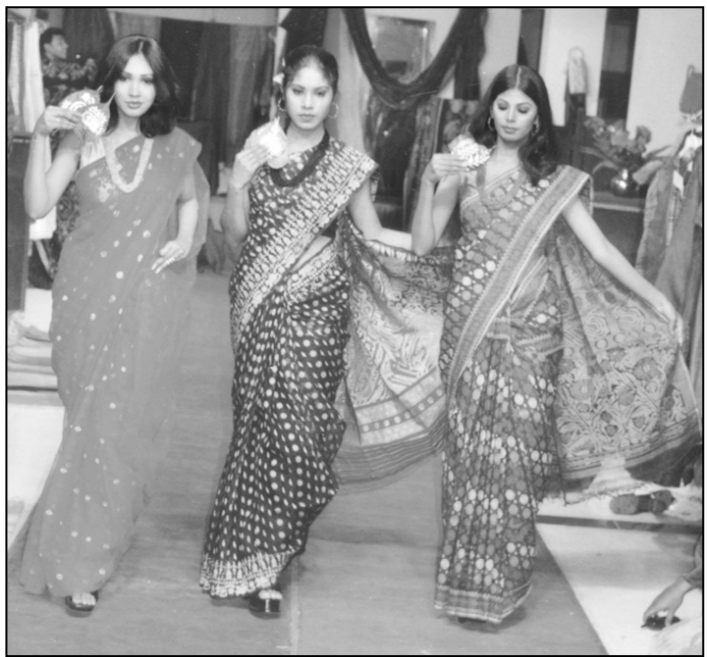
Some elegant, well-tailored and artistic design salwar kameez sets was next. This exclusive collection included a



An embroidered shawl for men and block print on an off-white saree



Two exclusive silk sarees in ash and beige with embroidery



Kumudini's variety sarees in red, black and multi-colour



Models showcasing silk sarees in brown and deep green

deep green salwar kameez having golden works on it, a pink having same coloured works on the body and a black kameez having brown works on it.

Another display of panjabis this time in cool cotton was next. Deep thread works on golden khaki base, light purple and multicoloured works on purple body and golden works on a midnight blue body were authentic. Casual, yet smart, these outfits are an aesthetic delight.

After this in a short break Kumudini briefed the audience about their consciousness of both fashion and culture. Several of their revelations included the use of indigenous handloom fabrics and the issue of the promotion of rural weavers -- a skilled community facing severe

threat of extinction in the face of a rapid industrialisation.

Kumudini is not only a fashion house that brings out beautiful dresses and handicraft items. It is also dedicated to offer scope of economic emancipation to the rural women to improve their status in the society and give them opportunity to become active members in their family where they can be involved in policy making. To give proper training to the artisans so that their work may be of high quality and can be recognised in the International market. To revive the rich heritage of Bangladesh in the field of handicraft.

Kumudini Handicraft's Motto is to uplift the status both financial and social of Bangladeshi women, particularly of rural

areas by providing opportunity for them to display an ingenuity in craftsmanship under proper quality control and through their efforts to revive the traditional crafts and specialised textiles in Bangladesh.

Kumudini's fascinating and attractive Eid collections are now available at its' outlet.

Sree Ranada Prasad Shaha, popularly known as Jethamoni, was the founder of Kumudini Welfare Trust.

A renowned businessman of the 40's, Ranada Prasad was more reputed for his philanthropy and empathy for the least privileged. He nurtured in his brain about a welfare trust that would come in help of the common mass to lead a better life with dignity and purpose.

RECOMMENDATIONS



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 December 4.

Pictures, that narrate stories

Conducted by Christoph Mukherjee and David Steets in collaboration 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.

Abrar's creative jewelry

Abrar Rahman opens a week long exhibition of his exclusive collection of gold plated costume jewelry. The ethnic designs in gold plated silver are set with wooden, plastic and semi-precious stones and beads. This is the third exhibition of the jewelry designer in the city and showcases a truly exclusive collection of collectible jewelry for fashion conscious women. The exhibition is being held in the WVA auditorium at House no 20 of Dhanmondi road number 27 (old) 16 (new).

Altamira's Eid Collection

An exclusive collection of silk, tissue, chiffon and cotton saree and salwar kameez by Altamira has begun at its own gallery at Dhanmondi's Road number 2. The exhibition of hand printed, embroidered and block printed women's clothes, T-shirts and panjabis will continue till the day before Eid.

Henry's Heritage

Shahrukh Shahid's exclusive collection of ready to wear for the Eid-ul-Fitre is ongoing at his show room at Dhanmondi's Road number 27. The highlight of the collections is the matching shawls for men with the panjabi collection.

TV GUIDE

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS



STAR MOVIES: 7:00 p.m. *Total Recall*. The year is 2084 AD. The Earth has survived its third World War and Mars has been colonised. Back on Earth, Doug Quaid a tough construction worker with a beautiful wife and great friends, is being haunted by recurring dreams of another life and a mysterious woman on the red planet.



STAR WORLD: 9:30 pm. *Baywatch Hawaii*. A father on the run is willing to risk his daughter dying in order to keep his ex-wife from catching them, and Sean must convince him to do the right thing.



STAR WORLD: 7:00 pm. *First Wave*. Raven Nation operative Alana McAfee disappears while investigating alien activity in a small mining town. Foster, Jordan and Eddie arrive to search for her, their only clue: Jordan's last email from Alana in which she mentions the town's mine.

PICK OF THE DAY



Matilda
On HBO at 10:00 PM
Not all children are born normal-especially those born out of Roald Dahl's *Born into a dump of a family, Matilda (Wilson, Mrs Doubtfire) is a surprisingly sweet and warm welcome. And a genius too. But she'll soon learn that the world is a mean place to be.*

BTV

- 9:10 am News headlines
- 9:15 Cartoons Jumanji
- 9:35 Anguna
- 10:00 The News
- 10:05 Freedom Fighting Our Art and Culture
- 10:30 Swastha Tathya
- 10:40 Movie of the week
- 12:00 News Headlines
- 3:10 pm News Headlines
- 3:15 Magazine Ittadi
- 4:00 Khabar
- 4:05 SAARC Exchange Programme
- 4:50 Mahe Ramadan
- 5:30 Shukhi Panbar
- 6:00 Khabar
- 6:10 World Youth Day
- 6:35 Geetimalya
- 7:00 News Headlines
- 7:05 Film Tarzan: The Epic Adventures
- 7:25 World Aids Day
- 8:00 News in Bangla
- 8:30 Drama of the week Anek Megher Par
- 9:00 News Headlines
- 10:00 News in English
- 10:30 Drama serial Sensitive Samuri
- 11:15 Khabar/The News
- EKUSHEY TV**
- 12:00 Ekushey Headlines
- 12:05 Aiker Potrikay
- 12:14 Ekatturer Ei Dine
- 12:20 Mukto Khobor
- 12:50 Bolte Chai
- 1:20 Classic Cartoons
- 2:00 Ekushey Headlines
- 2:05 Ei Shoptaho
- 2:30 Jatra Pala: Momotamoye Ma
- 3:00 Ekushey Headlines
- 3:05 Jatra Pala: Momotamoye Ma
- 5:00 Islamic Programme: Oishee
- 5:30 Shoptaho Ghura Deshjure
- 6:00 Ekushey Headlines
- 6:05 Serial: Alif Laila
- 6:55 Ekushey Headlines
- 7:00 Kena Kata
- 7:30 Ekushey News
- 7:58 Ek Minute
- 8:40 Bangla Film: Shornop Komol
- 9:00 News at Nine
- 9:05 Bangla Film: Shornop Komol
- 10:00 News: Simulcast from BTV
- 10:30 Bangla Film: Shornop Komol
- 11:00 Ekushey Late Night News

STAR GOLD

- 10:30 Amul Bollywood News
- 11:00 Geet Bahar
- 11:30 Bidaai (Jeetendra, Leena Chandavarkar)
- 3:00 Amul Bollywood News
- 3:30 Dilsey Milley Dil (Bhisham, Shyamlee)
- 7:00 Geet Bahar
- 7:30 Saturday Special Mahal (Ashok Kumar, Madhubala)
- 11:00 Rahein Na Rahein Hum
- 11:30 New Wave Cinema Jaane Bhi Do Yaaro (Naseeruddin Shah, Ravi Baswani)
- 12:30 Jaane Bhi Do Yaaro (contd)
- 3:00 Geet Bahar
- 3:30 Dilsey Milley Dil (Bhisham, Shyamlee)
- 7:00 Do Shikhan (Biswajit, Rekha, Vinod Khanna)

STAR WORLD

- 6:00 Water Rats
- 7:00 The Simpsons
- 7:30 Things People Do
- 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful
- 10:00 Rendezvous with Simi Garewal
- 10:30 Travel Asia
- 11:00 Goosebumps
- 11:30 Spiderman
- 12:00 Biker Mice From Mars
- 12:30 X-Men
- 1:00 World's Wildest Police Videos
- 2:00 Mission Impossible
- 3:00 Baywatch
- 4:00 Hercules
- 5:00 Xena
- 6:00 The Lost World
- 7:00 First Wave
- 8:00 Water Rats
- 9:00 3rd Rock From the Sun
- 9:30 Baywatch Hawaii
- 10:30 First Wave
- 11:30 The Lost World
- 12:30 Xena
- 1:30 Hercules
- 2:30 Cops
- 3:00 Key of David
- 3:30 Morris Cerullo
- 4:00 Benny Hinn
- 4:30 Small Wonder
- 5:00 Mr Belvedere
- 5:30 Doogie Howser

BBC WORLD

- 6:30 Star Geetmala
- 7:30 Jubilee Plus
- 8:00 Aatma
- 9:00 Hit Filmein Hit Sangeet
- 9:30 Fox Kids
- 10:30 National Geographic Special
- 11:30 Chalti Ka Naam Antakshairi

- 6:00 BBC News
- 6:30 World Business Report
- 7:00 BBC News
- 7:30 Asia Today/World Business Report
- 8:00 BBC News
- 8:30 Asia Today/World Business Report
- 9:00 BBC News
- 9:30 Asia Today/World Business Report
- 10:00 BBC News
- 10:30 Talking Movies
- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 Hospital
- 12:00 BBC News
- 12:30 Click Online
- 1:00 BBC News
- 1:30 Correspondent
- 2:00 BBC News
- 2:30 Millionaires
- 3:00 BBC News
- 3:30 People's Century
- 4:00 BBC News
- 4:30 Holiday
- 5:00 BBC News
- 5:30 This Week
- 6:00 BBC News
- 6:30 Millionaires
- 7:00 BBC News
- 7:30 Click Online
- 8:00 BBC News
- 8:30 2nd Russ Rev
- 9:00 BBC News
- 9:30 People's Century
- 10:00 BBC News
- 10:30 Mastermind India
- 11:00 BBC News
- 11:30 This Week
- 12:00 BBC News
- 12:30 Earth Report
- 1:00 BBC News
- 1:30 Millionaires
- 2:00 BBC News
- 2:30 Talking Movies
- 3:00 BBC News
- 3:30 2nd Russ Rev
- 4:00 BBC News
- 4:30 Hospital
- 5:00 BBC News
- 5:30 This Week

STAR PLUS

- 6:30 Star Geetmala
- 7:30 Jubilee Plus
- 8:00 Aatma
- 9:00 Hit Filmein Hit Sangeet
- 9:30 Fox Kids
- 10:30 National Geographic Special
- 11:30 Chalti Ka Naam Antakshairi

- 12:30 Mirch Masala
- 1:00 Sonpari
- 1:30 Gharwali Uparwali
- 2:00 Hit Filmein Hit Sangeet
- 2:30 National Geographic Special
- 3:30 Tea Time Cinema: 3:30 2nd Russ Rev
- 6:30 Fox Kids
- 7:30 The Sword of Tipu Sultan
- 8:30 Star Superhit: Baadal (Bobby Deol, Rani Mukherjee)
- 11:30 Aaj Ki Baat
- 12:00 Baadal (contd.)
- 12:30 Ji Mantriji
- 1:00 Kalash
- 1:30 Jubilee Plus
- 2:00 Tu Tu Main Main
- 2:30 Sonpari
- 3:00 Kundali
- 3:30 National Geographic Special
- 4:30 Musafir Hoon Yaroon
- 5:00 Sshhh... Koi Hai
- 6:30 Mirch Masala

STAR MOVIES

- 6:30 Sanctimony
- 8:00 Ice Breaker
- 9:30 Hurricane
- 12:00 Head Office
- 1:00 Vhain of Command
- 3:00 Mystery Alaska
- 5:00 Rocky V
- 7:00 World is not Enough,

- 9:30 Iron Eagle 3
- 11:15 Ice Breaker
- 1:15 Yoy Luck Club
- 3:15 Mystery Alaska
- 5:30 Soft Kill
- CHANNEL [V]**
- 7:30 [V] So Long Gone
- 8:30 [V] Best of Jumpstart
- 11:30 Billboard US Countdown
- 12:30 [V] Saturday Slack
- 2:30 [V] Mainstage
- 3:30 [V] Saturday Slack
- 5:30 [V] Weekend Spl
- 6:30 [V] Saturday Slack
- 8:00 [V] Karaoke
- 8:30 Billboard US Countdown
- 9:30 [V] Saturday Slack
- 11:30 [V] Weekend Spl
- 12:00 [V] Sunday Slack

STAR NEWS

- 9:30 Star News English
- 10:00 Star News Hindi
- 11:30 Star News English
- 12:00 Star News Hindi
- 7:30 Saat Baje
- 8:00 Limelight Hindi
- 8:30 The Big Fight
- 9:30 Star News English
- 10:00 Reality Bites
- 10:30 Star Business Week
- 11:00 Limelight (Eng)
- 11:30 Star News English
- 12:30 Star News Hindi
- 12:30 The Big Fight

ZEE TV

- 6:00 Yaadon Ke Pal
- 6:30 Aalap
- 7:00 Yoga For Life
- 7:20 Jagran
- 7:50 Zee Gym
- 8:00 Jai Ganesh
- 9:00 Nickelodeon

SPORTS

- League 2001/02 London, England Manchester United @ Arsenal
- 1:00 Women's College Volleyball Women's Big Ten Volleyball Minneapolis, MN USA Wisconsin @ Minnesota
- 2:30 Golf Classics Us Open Official Films For Years
- 1980 Xbs
- 3:30 Skating Abc Sports Pres ASKating Tribute, New York City Goals!
- 5:30 English Premier Football League 2001/02 London, England Chelsea @ Manchester United

- 1:00 Aaj Bhi... Ateet
- 1:30 Dollar Bahu
- 2:00 Hip Hip Hurray
- 2:30 Zee & You
- 3:00 Feature Film
- 5:30 News in Hindi
- ZEE CINEMA**
- 6:00 Feature Film
- 9:00 Kuch LamheKuch Nagme
- 9:15 Tara Rum
- 9:45 Movie Fare
- 10:00 Feature Film
- 1:00 Cine News
- 1:15 Madhyantar
- 1:30 Feature Film
- 5:00 Darpan
- 5:15 Dadamoni A Tribute To the Legend-Ashok Kumar
- 5:45 Film Time
- 6:00 Feature Film
- 9:15 Chatpati Chat
- 9:30 Weekend Cinema
- 10:00 Feature Film
- 2:15 Kuch Lamhe Kuch Nagme
- 2:30 Feature Film
- 5:30 Chehren
- ZEE MUSIC**
- 6:00 Dial M
- 7:00 Aalaap
- 7:30 Tara Rum
- 8:30 Hit Pe hit
- 10:00 Hit Mix
- 11:00 Fillers
- 11:30 Music Box
- 12:00 Best of the Best
- 1:00 Hit Pe Hit
- 2:00 Jharokha
- 2:35 Compact Disc
- 3:05 Tara Rum
- 4:00 Hit Pe Hit
- 5:00 Music Box
- 5:30 Hit Mix
- 6:00 Just Jammin
- 6:30 Dial M
- 7:30 Hit Pe Hit
- 8:30 Music. Com

- 9:30 Music Box
- 10:00 Sizzlers
- 10:30 Jharokha
- 11:05 Music Asia Live
- 12:00 Phoren Maal
- 1:00 Music Box
- 1:30 Jharokha
- 2:00 Hit Pe Hit
- 3:00 Just Jammin
- 3:30 Tara Rum
- 4:30 Phoren Maal
- 5:30 Sizzlers
- ALPHA TV BANGLA**
- 6:00 Sheshprashna
- 6:30 Monniye
- 7:00 Grohon
- 7:30 News
- 8:00 Surer Ei Dharana Dharay
- 8:30 Purobi
- 9:00 News
- 9:05 Bharat Bhraman
- 9:30 Phire Elam
- 10:00 Ekushe Paa
- 10:30 Daibaddha
- 11:00 Sheshprashna
- 11:30 Saregama
- 12:30 Chena Mukher Shari
- 1:00 Ingit
- 1:30 Ek Akasher Niche
- 2:00 Nayantara
- 2:30 Feature Film
- 5:30 Surer Ei Jharna Dharay
- 6:00 News
- 6:30 Aatpake Bandha
- 7:00 Safallya
- 7:30 Sur Taal
- 8:00 Nijei Nayak
- 8:30 Saregama
- 9:45 Prapto Baesthoder Jamy
- 10:15 Saat Kahan
- 10:45 Ek Palake
- 10:50 News
- 10:55 Ek Palake
- 11:00 Kashinath
- 11:30 News
- 11:55 Ek Palake
- 12:00 Shesh Prashna
- 12:25 Ek Palake
- 12:30 Bangla Feature Film
- 3:00 Talk Jhal Misti
- 3:30 Bharat Bhraman
- 4:00 Daibaddho
- 4:30 Jhara Samayer Upakatha
- 5:00 Gandharbi
- 5:30 Saat Kahan
- SONY**
- 8:00 Epl Saturday Preview
- 8:50 English Premier Football League 2001/02
- 1:30 Boxing Series Friday Night Fights Temecula, CA USA
- 3:00 National Hockey Night San Jose, CA USA
- Pittsburgh Penguins @ San Jose Sharks
- 12:30 Middle East Prime
- 3:30 Kanyadaan
- 4:00 Charbusters
- 4:30 Music Mantra
- 5:00 Challenge
- 5:30 Tujhe Dil Qurban
- 6:00 Thodi Si Bewafai
- 6:30 Yeh Shaadi Nahin Ho Sakti
- 7:00 Saaya
- 7:30 Sant Asaram Vani
- 8:00 Shri Krishna
- 9:00 Shree Ganesh
- 10:00 Mahabharat
- 11:00 Boogie Woogie
- 11:30 Good Morning Disney
- 12:30 The Good Home Show
- 1:00 Yeh Duniya Hai Rangen
- 1:30 Weekend Matinee: Khudgarz
- 5:30 Charbusters
- 6:00 Music Mantra
- 6:30 Disney Hour
- 7:30 CID Files
- 8:30 HFF: Jis Desh Mein Ganga Rahta Hai
- 11:30 Movie (contd)
- SET MEX**
- 7:30 Mini Movies Humayun
- 8:30 Just Cricket
- 9:00 Max Cricket Masters
- 9:30 Bixi O Bixi
- 12:30 Hotlist
- 1:30 The Art Collection: S
- 4:30 Kahani Poori Fi Hai: Deewar
- 5:30 Sunny Deol Sunny
- 9:30 Sunny Deol Betaab
- 1:30 Dooriyan
- 4:30 Main Suhaag Hoon
- HALLMARK**
- 12:00 Champagne Charlie
- 2:00 Katts And Dog
- 3:00 Champagne Charlie
- 5:00 Sesame Street
- 6:00 The Song Spinner
- 8:00 Ghostwriter
- 8:30 Wishbone
- 9:00 Sesame Street
- 10:00 Child's S Cry
- 12:00 A Season of Hope
- 2:00 The Song Spinner
- 4:00 Blonde
- 6:00 Brooklyn South
- 7:00 Blonde
- 9:00 Deadly Web
- 11:00 Daisies in December