



Did U Know?

Barry Jarman of Australia was in the news on Aug 4 1964 when the tourists met Glamorgan. The umpire at the bowler's end gave him out caught, and the other umpire gave him out stumped. He appears in the scorebooks as caught by the wicket-keeper, EW Jones!

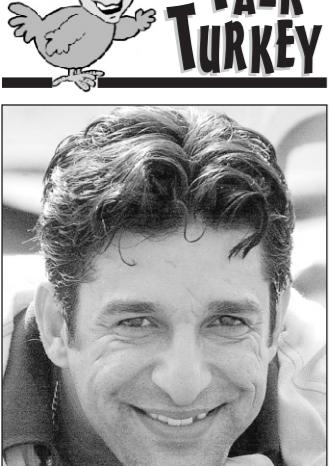


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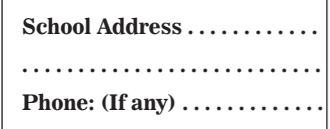
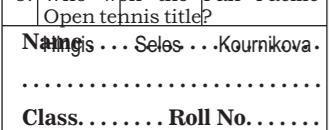
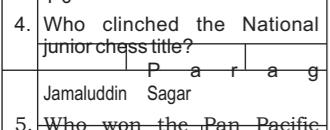
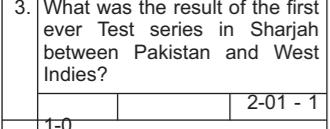
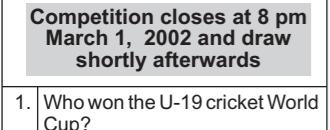
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Primera Liga
Highlights at 6:30 pm
Harsha Online
Cricket Talk Show
7:00 pm



Wasim Akram

(Pakistan all rounder)
"Steve Waugh is one of the best players in the world and definitely the best captain around. I am quite stunned he has been dropped. But Waugh will come back because he is a fighter."



Halim leads Dhaka's way

ISPAPANI MIRZAPORE TEA 3rd National Cricket League

SPORTS REPORTER

Leaders Dhaka raised their hope for taking a substantial first innings lead against visiting Khulna on the second day of the four-day Ispahani National Cricket League at the Dhamondi Cricket Stadium on Friday.

Elsewhere, Rahshahi, in front of their home crowd, amassed 508 for eight declared against Barisal and Sylhet looked impressive against Chittagong at the Sylhet Stadium.

Dhaka, resuming on 58 for one in reply to the Khulna's paltry first innings 190, were 227 for five at stumps.

Middle-order Halim Shah led the Dhaka charge with an unbeaten 71, including half a dozen fours.

Together with former national captain Aminul Islam, Halim added a valuable 87 for the fourth wicket before the latter was out on 46.

Aminul, in his more than three-hour stay at the crease, hit six fours.

Among others, Sajid Ahmed chipped in with 26.

For the visiting side, off-spinner Jamluddin took three wickets for 70 runs.

Away in Rajshahi, the home side, thanks to a fine 66-run unbeaten ninth wicket stand between Mahbub Alam and Mustadir Litu, posted an imposing total, prompting skipper Khaled Mashud to declare the innings and to have a go at Barisal in the remaining three-hour's play on the day.

Number nine Mahbub blasted an unbeaten 50 with the help of seven boundaries while number ten Mustadir remained not out on 36.

Earlier, one-down Nuruzzaman, 147 overnight, reached his career best 161 before being bowled by Barisal pacer Ashfaq Ali.

Nuruzzaman batted for nearly

seven hours and hit two sixes and ten fours. The on-song batsman scored 607 runs, including three hundreds, so far at an average of 60.7.

In reply, Barisal were shakily placed on 146 for four at close of the second day's play.

Openers Imran Ahmed and Shafayet Islam scored 45 runs each while Test cap Sanwar Hossain was bating on 39.

Chittagong, chasing Sylhet's handsome total of 303, lost two

wickets to score 56, still 247 runs behind, before the bails were taken off for the day.

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