

Biman Crew Cup TT

Rochi, Saleha clinch titles

UNB, Dhaka

Rochi and Saleha of hosts Bangladesh Biman emerged men's and women's singles champions respectively in the Biman Crew Cup Open Prize Money Table Tennis tournament eliminating their rivals in the finals at the NSC gymnasium yesterday.

Rochi defeated compatriot Mahub 21-16, 14-21, 21-17, 21-19 while Saleha beat Tumpa of Young Star 21-18, 21-4, 21-16.

The boys' singles title of Under-18 age group went to Mukta of Narail. Mukta beat Krisna of Biman 21-15, 21-17, 15-21, 21-10 while Mishu of Biman clinched the boys singles Under-12 age group title defeating Shovon of Kushtia by 16-21, 21-14, 21-16, 21-16 points.

Kisloo and Sagar won the veteran doubles title beating Mohammad and Munna 21-10, 21-17 and Hasan Dewan clinched the veteran singles title defeating Susanta 23-21, 15-21, 21-23.

State Minister for Youth and Sports Mohammad Fazlur Rahman distributed the prizes as chief guest.

WHAT TO WATCH

FROM PAGE 13 West Indies vs India First Test, Day One Taped Version at 1:30 pm Western Union World Football Taped Version at 7:00 pm

Sportscentre Hindi Sport News Live at 8:30 pm Cricket Programming Super Selector Taped Version at 11:00 pm

STAR Sports

West Indies vs India First Test, Day One Repeat Highlights at 8:00 am Newcastle United vs Fulham Taped Version at 1:00 pm

Cricket Programming Super Selector Taped Version at 6:00 pm Sportsline Tonight Sport News Live at 6:30 pm

West Indies vs India First Test, Day Two Live Preview at 7:00 pm West Indies vs India First Test, Day Two Live at 8:05 pm

Squeaky flight for Biman

FROM PAGE 13 battle for Young Cricketers, who were left waiting for their first Premier League win after seven games.

SCOREBOARDS

Scoreboards of the two Grameen-Phone Premier Cricket League matches at different venues on Thursday:

**Biman v City Club**  
Venue: Bangabandhu National Stadium.

BIMAN	City Club
Javed lbw b Tareq 12	Faruque c Azam b Jamaluddin 42
Aftab c Salim b Nayeem 5	Aminul sr c Halim b Suja 17
Hasanuzzaman c S & b Raja 45	K Mahmud c Suja b Tareq 37
S Mahmud st Halim b Suja 37	Razzak st Salim b Raja 7
Sajjad not out 3	Anis not out 1
Extras: (lb-5, nb-4, w-16) 25	Total: (For 8 wickets in 50 overs) 231
Fall of wickets: 1-17, 2-52, 3-80, 4-88, 5-172, 6-193, 7-227, 8-227.	
<b>Bowler</b>	<b>O M R W</b>
Tareq 8 0 62 2	Nayeem 10 1 23 1
Suja 9 2 28 2	Jamaluddin 9 1 43 1
Sajib 4.1 0 15 0	Raja 8 0 44 2
Azam 1.5 0 11 0	

CITY CLUB

Shahriar b Anis 8	Azam c Faruque b S Mahmud 45
Salim c S Mahmud 17	Raja st Sajjad b Razzak 55
Tushar b Anis 18	Halim run out 28
Sajib st Sajjad b Razzak 5	Tareq run out 15
Suja not out 4	Rezaul not out 1
Extras: (b-4, lb-3, w-15) 22	Total: (For 8 wickets in 50 overs) 218
Fall of wickets: 1-17, 2-67, 3-103, 4-Yet Proteas	

FROM PAGE 13

Then there was that win in a triangular one-day event in February -- against Australia and New Zealand.

Kiwi captain Stephen Fleming was even moved to say after losing the final that South Africa would host next year's World Cup as favourites. "A lot can happen in 12 months but, at this stage, they're the form horse," he said. "They play a very good style of cricket and they're a well-rounded team."

Whatever. Today there remains a case for gloating at South African expense.

Only make it quick or you may lose the chance.

133, 5-184, 6-195, 7-196.	O	M	R	W
<b>Bowler</b>				
Aminul jr 10	1	33	0	
Anis 10	0	34	2	
K Mahmud 10	0	53	0	
Razzak 10	0	38	2	
S Mahmud 10	0	53	2	

Result: Biman won by 13 runs.

Young Pegasus v Young Cricketers

Young Pegasus	Young Cricketers
Humayun lbw b Imran 8	Uzzal c Morshed b Tanvir 92
Bidyut c Iftekhar b Imran 59	Hasan c Kamal b Shamsul 27
Majid b Iftekhar 13	Majid b Iftekhar 2
Nahid c b & Iftekhar 2	Tariqul c Shaib b Iftekhar 8
Mahub run out 6	Sohel not out 5
Sohel not out 5	Extras: (lb-6, nb-1, w-14) 21
Total: (For 8 wickets in 50 overs) 241	Fall of wickets: 1-39, 2-151, 3-205, 4-210, 5-216, 6-223, 7-232, 8-241.
<b>Bowler</b>	<b>O M R W</b>
Imran 10 0 27 0	Shaid 9 1 46 1
Tanvir 10 0 33 2	



Major General Jiban Kanai Das (2nd from R), vice-president of Kurmitola Golf Club (KGC), and Ola Ree (2nd from L), Managing Director of GrameenPhone, inaugurate the GrameenPhone President Cup golf tournament at the KGC yesterday.

Aussies return down under

REUTERS, Perth

Australia's one-day cricket team has returned home after their victorious tour of South Africa with captain Ricky Ponting already happy in his new role and looking ahead to the World Cup.

Following a 2-1 victory in the Test series, the one-day squad underlined Australia's dominance by winning five out of seven matches with one game tied.

Kathalagan

FROM PAGE 13 Nabil took highest three wickets for 23 runs for the winners.

SCORES IN BRIEF

**KATHALBAGAN CC:** 192 all out in 44 overs (Omi 77, Yaad 42, Shiplu 22, Michel 13, Sunny 5-30)

**SONARGAON CRICKETERS:** 185 for 9 in 45 overs (Tanveer 41, Mushak 39, Nabil 3-23, Shiplu 2-29)

**Result: Kathalagan CC won by seven runs.**

Beckham's fate

FROM PAGE 13 Meanwhile, Duschler, the defender who lunged in at Beckham said that the incident had been "unfortunate" and that reaction to the injury would inevitably be overblown.

"Because it's David Beckham and because he is a great player everything is bigger," he said.

"The media and the public give too much importance to the things that happen around him.

"It was unfortunate and I can honestly say it was an accident - I went for the ball," he added in The Daily Telegraph.

Duschler was fortunate to escape a straight red card - though he was later dismissed for a second bookable offence - but Ferguson refused to condemn him.

"Games of football are about tackles and I think the player maybe had to go for it," he said.

Deportivo coach Javier Irureta sympathised with Beckham and insisted he had not sent his players out to injure him.

"We didn't single Beckham out for special treatment," he said.

"I hope David is back on the field for Manchester United and England soon," he said.

Both Eriksson and England fans will dearly hope that is the case for on Beckham's shoulders probably rest England's aspirations to World Cup glory.



Players and officials of Kanthalagan team, who won the under-17 cricket tournament, pose with the trophy yesterday.

CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

**ACROSS**  
1 Petrol  
4 Halloween figure  
9 Stocky horse  
12 Wapiti  
13 Esther of "Good Times"  
14 Guitar's cousin  
15 Catalog transaction  
17 Sermon subject  
18 A billion years  
19 Chewed the scenery  
21 Niche  
24 Mexican money  
25 Actor  
26 List-ending abbr.  
28 Some  
31 "I cannot tell --"  
33 Dine  
35 Antitoxins  
36 Highway sign  
38 Plaything

**DOWN**  
1 Jewel  
2 Carte  
3 Tackle  
4 Rut  
5 Nasty  
6 On in years  
7 Insomniac's wish  
8 Designated group  
9 The right people?  
10 Tom Joad, e.g.  
11 Curve  
16 Summer-time sign  
20 Medical condition (Suff.)  
22 Leslie  
23 See  
27 One of HOMES  
30 Enervates  
32 "The Time Machine"  
34 Skunk  
37 Refuse truck, perhaps  
39 America's Cup contenders  
42 Tortellini topping  
44 Skc. org.  
45 Potentially poisonous puffer

**Solution time: 21 mins.**

**CRYPTOQUIP**  
W M J U O Q E B Q M K E C J R  
G J X J M J K G L O W U E L R R  
W K S W U G K C L H J S L X  
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The Cryptquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

TV GUIDE

BTV

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ATN BANGLA

5:30 "Islamic Prog	7:00 Islamic prog : Sundor Jeebaner Jannee	7:35 Cine Music	8:00 ATN Bangla News	8:25 Gun Sudu Gan	9:00 Drama serial : Bhalobasa Bodal	9:35 Talk show : Samokalin	10:10 Prosongo	10:10 Reporting prog : Prekha Pot	11:30 Islamic Prog	12:00 ATN Bangla News	3:30 Bengali feature film : Tume Amar Bhalobasa	6:07 Children prog : Cholo Gan Gai	6:45 Viewers opinion prog : Motamot	7:00 ATN Bangla News	Evening News	7:35 Mage serial : Mohine	8:10 Musical prog.	8:45 Magazine prog: Jony Hit Super Hit	9:20 Drama : Abashese	10:00 ATN Bangla News	10:45 Bengali Feature film: Professor	11:30 ATN Bangla News	<b>CHANNEL [V]</b>	8:00 (V) Back To Back	8:30 (V) Jump Start	9:30 (V) Hit Machine	10:00 (V) Back To Back	10:30 (V) Hit Machine	11:00 (V) Back To Back	11:30 (V) Hit Machine	12:00 Zabardast Hits H 30	12:30 (V) Junglee Jukebox	1:00 (V) FDFS Spl Music Feature	1:30 (V) Hit Machine	2:00 Zabardast Hits H 30	2:30 (V) Back To Back	3:00 Zabardast Hits H 30	3:30 (V) Back To Back	4:00 (V) Hit Machine	4:30 (V) Hotline	5:30 Very (V)	6:30 Ctrl (V)	7:00 (V) Back To Back	7:30 (V) Da Putter
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TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

**Ekushey:** 9:00 p.m. **Monmita.** Agori, who comes from the town, is impressed by Ansa's song. Ansa composes lyrics and sing them. Agori leaves for London. After a passage of twenty years she comes back home only to see downfall of Ansa who now lives on an unfair trade.

**STAR MOVIES:** 7:00 p.m. **The Exorcist III.** Ignoring Exorcist II: The Heretic, this one deals with a serial killer who was executed the same night of the exorcism in the first film with the girl Regan. The priest who fell down the flight of steps was taken into the spirit of the killer to claim victim after victim some 20 years later.

**AXN:** 10:30p.m. **The Longest Day.** England in June 1944. Unseasonal storms. Allied troops are massed ready for the invasion of France, some already on the boats. The Normandy beaches will be their destination while paratroopers are dropped inland to take key towns and bridges. On the other side of the Channel the Germans still expect the invasion at Calais, and anyway the weather makes them think nothing is likely to be imminent. Eisenhower decides to go. Hitler sleeps on.

2:00 BBC News	2:30 Hardtalk	3:00 BBC News	3:30 Money	4:00 Prog/Panorama	4:30 BBC News	5:00 BBC News	5:30 Hardtalk	<b>HBO</b>	6:30am After Alice	8:30 8 Million Ways To Die	10:45 The seventh Sign	12:45 Murdered Innocence	2:15 Bingo	4:00 Top Gun	6:15 To Gillian On Her 37 <sup>th</sup> Birthday	8:15 Alien Cargo	10:00 The assassin	12:15 The Arena	2:15 First Daughter	4:15 Top Gun	<b>STAR MOVIES</b>	6:30 Haven	8:30 Sanctimony	10:15 Diabolique	12:00 Of Mice And Men	2:00 Possessed	4:00 Richie Richs	8:00 Christmas Wish	9:00 Highway 395	7:00 Exorcist III	8:45 What Lies
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PICK OF THE DAY



The Assassin

On HBO at 10:00 pm  
She's trained to kill. She got the personality of a shadow. She's on call 247 -- by the government. After killing a cop, Bridget Fonda is staring at a death sentence by lethal injection. The government strikes a deal with her -- we won't kill you if you learn to kill for us. Deal.

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6:30 AXN Rocks	7:30 Now and Again	8:30 Farscape	9:30 The Amazing Race	10:30 On The War Path	Premiere: Movie: The Longest Day	<b>ZEE TV</b>	6:00 Yaadon Ke Pal	6:30 Bhakti Bhav	7:00 Yoga For Life	7:20 Jagran	7:50 Zee Gym & Eat	8:20 News	8:30 Ardhangani	8:45 Yaadein Radio	Ceylon Ki	9:00 Nickelodeon on Zee	10:30 Hum Paanch	11:00 Hudd Kar Di	12:00 Amanat	12:30 Antakshari All India Inter Collegiate	1:30 Samsaara	2:30 Gharana	3:00 Khel	6:30 Nickelodeon On Zee	7:00 Nickelodeon	8:00 Hip Hip Hurray	8:30 Jai Santoshi Maa	9:00 Saanjihi	9:30 Jeena Isi Ka Naam Hai	10:30 Sa Re Ga Ma Pa	11:30 Tejswini	12:00 Gharana	12:30 Koshish... Ek	Aashaa	1:00 Baazi Kiski	1:30 Antakshari-All India Inter Collegiate	2:30 Niilaam Ghar- Bid Boom	3:00 Purnima	5:30 News in Hindi	<b>ZEE MUSIC</b>	6:00 Jaagran	6:30 Gurbani	7:30 Gujarati	8:00 Daily News	8:30 Babul Ki Duwayan Leti Ja	9:00 Gharana	9:30 Adhikar	10:30 Banegi Apni Baat	11:30 Ritu Khana	12:30 Ekka Raja Rani	3:30 Punjabi News	4:00 Deewane To Deewane Hain	5:00 Hip Hip Hurray	5:30 Asli Atta Ki Amanat
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6:00 Kartavya	6:30 Ek Tukdaa Chaand Ka	7:30 Gharana	8:00 Babul Ki Duwayan Leti Ja	8:30 News Bulletin	8:55 Hit Series	9:00 Pride Mehendi Tere Naam Ki	9:30 Aini	10:00 Dollar Bahu	11:00 Aaj Bhi Ateet	11:30 Mahabharat	12:30 News Bulletin	<b>ZEE CINEMA</b>	7:00 Tara Rum	7:30 Ek Ladki Punjab Ki	10:30 Sunehara Sansar	1:30 Ek Tha Raja	5:15 Making of a Legend	6:00 Amanet	9:15 Cine News	9:30 Ikke Pe Ikka	10:00 Shansara	1:15 Yaadein Radio	Ceylon Ki	<b>ALPHA TV</b>	6:00 Grohon	6:30 Half Chocolate	7:00 Shayola	7:30 Surer Ei Jharna	Dhara	8:00 Mon Niye	8:30 Gaan Unltd	9:05 Bharat Bhraman	9:30 Abhinetri	10:00 Bhawanipurer	10:30 Bhalobasa Mandobasa	11:00 Grohon	11:30 Sesh Prashna	12:00 Jhara Samayer Upakatha	12:30 Chena Mukher Shari	1:00 Kapurush	1:30 Ek Akasher Niche	2:00 Pratibimbo	2:30 Thikana	5:00 Sesh Prashna	5:30 Football	6:00 News in Bengali	6:30 Grohon	7:00 Shayola	7:30 Monniye	8:00 Pratibimbo	8:30 Ek Akasher Niche	9:10 Chena Mukh Shari	9:55 Kapurush	10:25 Encounter	11:00 News in Bengali
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