

RECOMMENDATIONS



Syed Jahangir's solo

Featuring recent artworks, the 10th solo art exhibition by Syed Jahangir will start at the Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts on April 18 at 6 in the evening. Minister M. Morshed Khan will inaugurate the exhibition as chief guest. The exhibition will continue everyday from 12-8 p.m. till May 9.

Drum concert

Yamato, a drummers' troupe from Japan will perform concert at 7 p.m. today at the auditorium of Osmany Memorial Hall in the city. The two concerts are being held in observance of the 30th anniversary of Japan-Bangladesh diplomatic relations. Yamato is touring South Asia. The events are jointly organised by the Embassy of Japan in Bangladesh and Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy. Organisers have distributed free entry cards.

Photography Exhibition

To commemorate September 11 tragedy and to pay tribute to the innocent victims, a photography show sponsored by The American Centre of the U.S. Embassy, opened on April 7 at the city's Drik Gallery, House # 58, Road # 15/A, Dhanmondi. The show is showcasing 27 pieces taken by renowned photographer Foel Meyerowitz from World Trade Centre site. Exhibition will stay open from 3 to 8 p.m. till April 20.

Art show

An exhibition of recent paintings by Murtaza Baseer is now being held at the city's Gallery Shilparag, House # 15, Road # 16 (new) at Dhanmondi. The show is open to all from 11:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. everyday till April 19.

Photography

Bangladesh Photo Journalist Association holds a three-day exhibition from April 12 to 14 entitled 'Rupashi Bangla' to celebrate the Bangla new year at its premises at Purana Paltan in the city. Forty photographers of the country are participating in the exhibition with their works.

Fashion

New faces in the fashion block

Inspiration School of Design and Technology holds fashion show in the city featuring fashion collections by students of the institute

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THE second annual fashion show of the Inspiration School of Design and Technology at Winter Garden of the Sheraton hotel on April 11 greeted new talents in fashion circuit of the country.

Eight themes were allotted to the designers, who, divided into groups of one or two created their designer wears. Nusrat Jebin and Aysha Ahmed Khan presented a collection of dresses - sleeveless tops and trousers - presented by both male and female models.

The colour scheme they had chosen was blue and all its tone. Supporting colours were black, navy blue, sky blue and white. Denim, gabardine, twill-cotton, khadi and cotton fabrics and knit-materials were used for the annual show.

On the second queue on the ramp the models wore dresses designed on the theme 'Infinity' designed by Sharmin Jahan and Farzana Bari. Models in this queue wore black and white long skirts. Dresses contained color schemes of gray, white, black, brown and ash. They had used coffee as a supporting color. Transparent, semitransparent, georgette, chiffon, fine cotton and tissue were used as fabrics with satin cord, glass bead-ornaments to accentuate the design.

Dresses on theme of 'Exotica' were designed by the group of Afroza Sultana and Haseena Shams along with that of 'Exotica-2' by Ataul Gani Raju. Items on Exotica featured colourful dresses. All in bright shades, the dresses had cotton, lace,



Khaleda Yasmin (In heaven)

stretch-net, fine gabardine and linen.

The next theme on the queue was 'Fusion'. Fusion was inspired from the colours of red and green. Green represents the beautiful green Bengal along with the simplicity of the people.

On the other hand, the color red represents the sun, symbol of bloodshed and sacrifice done by millions of golden sons of this soil. As the models of Fusion climbed upon the ramp wearing ornamented costumes with a blend of the local and Gulf-oriented trend, rhythm of Hindi songs were added from the background audio system. Salma Akhter designed on the



Chandana Diwan (Cyber Age)



Farzana Bari (Exotica)

theme of fusion that was made to work with two or more ideas to stand on a single platform. All ethnic color schemes have been used with a diverse component of fabrics.

Models wearing dresses on the theme, Cyber Age, arrived on the ramp next to the models of fusion.

Dresses on the theme is designed to reflect the future and on everything that depends on one's imagination. Color scheme is all metallic tone with glass and marker. Black and ash colors have been used as supports. Lycra, satin, velvet and georgette have been used as fabrics with accessories of colors in silver, gold aluminium,



Sharmin Jahan (Infinity)



Zakir Hossain (Sultana's Dream)

copper and bronze. Chandana Redwan and Shariyar Ahmed were the designers on this theme.

Next came models wearing designed dresses of Naïma Zabeen on the theme of Extinct Fibre - Jute, from here to eternity.

According to the description of the announcer it could be gathered that the collection would not have a better way to describe itself. It is indeed the fact that in this case east meets west where the rough texture of jute have mingled with the fine uptown cut of the west, living in a perfect harmony.

Dresses designed by Zakir Hossain on the theme Sultana's



Aysha Khan (Indigo Life)



Habibun Nahar (Sultana's Dream)

dream came next on the ramp through elegant catwalks of fine models. Sultana lives in a dreamland and can never be found in reality. Her creation symbolizes pride, royalty, power and profusion. She has a dream of her own with spiritual knowledge and emancipation. Red, blue, green, brown, coffee and others shades were used in fabrics of muslin, silk, fine rayon and satin silk as accessories.

Models wearing designed dresses on theme of 'In heaven' came as the final ones who were later on, declared the winners on all the categories of awards. As the word heaven represents a sense of tranquility, peace and harmony, the concept of heaven



Naima Zeenat (Extinct Fibre)



Haseena Shams (Exotica)

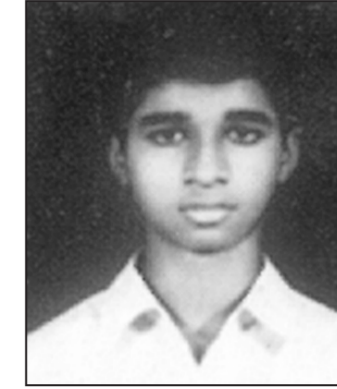
gives relief from the struggles and fights of the living world. Dresses on this theme designed by Khaleda Yasmin and Saddam Biswas contained color schemes of white, off white, light pink and light brown.

Muslin, satin, rayon, silk and net have been used on the dresses as fabrics. Lace, decorative net and floral patterns were added as accessories. Designers of the themes Exotica 2 and Bashanti presented their designed wear out of competition and as ex-students of the school.

'As I believe, this annual arrangement of ours would provide access to foreign buyers



Afroza Sultana (Exotica)



Shahriyar (Cyber Age)

of international garments trade to choose from newer designs that have been produced by our young yet genius students', said Alamgir Jalli, Principal of 'Inspiration School of Design and Technology'. 'Moreover, our attempt of such a fashion show will encourage to flourish the art of fashion and modeling in this country', he added.

The riveting fashion evening was rounded off with the performance of the band group Miles.



Salma Akhter (Fusion)

TV GUIDE

BTV

3:00 Opening
3:10 News headline in Bangla
3:15 Patriotic songs
3:20 Nutrition
3:45 Kheladhula
4:00 News in Bangla
4:10 Unmesh
5:00 New headline in Bangla
5:30 Nibedan: Folk issues
6:00 News
6:10 Family planning
6:35 BTV Chittagong
7:00 News headline in English
7:05 Aaa Mori Bangla
7:35 Geetimalya
8:00 News in Bangla
8:30 Drama
9:00 News headline in Bangla
10:00 News at ten
10:30 Drama series
11:30 News (Bangla/English)
11:45 Close

EKUSHEY

12:00 Ekushey Headlines
12:05 Aikjer Potrikay
12:20 Mukto Khobor
12:50 Bolte Chai
1:00 Ekushey Headlines
1:20 Classic Cartoons
2:00 Toyota World of Wildlife
2:30 Ei Shoptaho
3:00 Ekushey Headlines
3:05 Jatra Pala
5:30 Gillette FIFA World Cup 2002
6:00 Ekushey Headlines
6:05 Serial: Alif Laila
6:55 Ekushey Headlines
7:00 Shoptaho Ghura Deshjure
7:30 Ekushey News
8:00 Ekushey News (English)
8:05 Bangla Film: Zontrona
9:00 Bangla Film: Aguner Poroshmoni
10:00 News: Simulcast from BTV
10:30 Bangla Film: Zontrona
11:00 Ekushey Late Night Shongbad

ATN BANGLA

5:30 Islamic prog:
7:00 Children: Cholo Gan Gai
7:35 Viewers opinion prog.: Motamot
8:00 ATN Bangla News
8:25 Mage serial: Mohine
9:00 Film Songs Prog: Meril Tumar Janne Gan
9:35 Magazine prog.: Jony Hit Super Hit
10:10 Drama serial: Abashese
10:50 Bengali feature film: Professor
12:00 ATN Bangla News
6:07 Children prog.: Shapla Saluk
6:45 Viewers request film songs prog.: Anurodher Assor
7:00 ATN Bangla Evening News
7:35 Mage serial: Mohine
8:10 Reporting prog. Ghotona Probaha
8:45 Drama Serial: Aye Logone
9:20 Musical prog.: Sreter Pata Theke
10:00 ATN Bangla News
10:35 Film Magazine: Boliwooder
11:15 Bengali feature film: Pream Shokte
11:30 ATN Bangla News
BBC WORLD
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 Simpson
12:00 BBC News
12:30 Click Online
1:00 BBC News
1:30 Correspondent
2:00 BBC News
2:30 The Rat Pack/The Future Just Happened/The Human Body
3:00 BBC News
3:30 La Stories Voyager: Hemingway
4:00 BBC News
4:30 The Car's The Star/Top Gear
5:00 BBC News
5:30 This Week
STAR MOVIES
6:15 Harlan Country War
8:00 Titan A E
7:45 What Lies Beneath
12:00 Wild America
1:45 Exorcist III
3:30 Hostile Hostages
5:15 Bedazzled
7:00 Crimeson Tide
9:00 Beeny and Joon
10:45 Titan A E
12:30 Joy Luck Club

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

STAR WORLD: at 6:00 p.m. & at 11:30 p.m. **Starhunter.** A space-based action/adventure drama series with an attitude. In the dangerous frontier of space where there aren't many rules, and few to enforce the ones there are. The year is 2275. Earth has more or less successfully colonised the entire solar system. But our reach has surpassed our grasp. Things are dangerous out there... it has become the Wild West of outer space. As the colonies continuously push further and further out from Earth, lawlessness and crime expand right along.

STAR WORLD: at 9:30 p.m. **Baywatch.** It's all about women running... No, it's about excitement and adventure, gorgeous bodies and brave rescues. "Actually, it's really about swimming costumes and spies in the sun..." "I'm telling you, it's just about women running..." No matter what kind of kick you want to get out of *Baywatch Hawaii*, there's no denying that there ain't a better-looking weekend series anywhere. Mitch, Sean, Jason, JD, Kekoa, Allie and a whole series of great co-stars make each adventure very easy on the eye.

PICK OF THE DAY

The Nutty Professor
On HBO at 10:00 pm
Eddie Murphy is back and he's "bigger" than ever in this updated version of the 1962 Jerry Lewis classic. Murphy is brilliant as Professor Sherman Klump, an overweight, socially inept scientist who invents a formula which can change human metabolism.

HBO

6:30am Biloxi Blues
8:45 The Brady Bunch Movie
10:30 The Birds II: Land's End
12:15pm In God's Hands
2:30 Congo
4:30 Mystery Science Theated 3000 The Movie
6:00 Fortress 2
8:00 Friday the 13th
10:00 The Nutty Professor
12:00am Allan Quatermain and the Lost City of Gold
2:00 Congo
4:15 Fools Rush in
STAR GOLD
7:00am Arzoo (Rajendra Kumar, Sadhana, Feroze)
10:30 Bollywood News
11:00 Geet Bahar
11:30 Do Bigha Zamin (Balraj sahni,

Nirupa Roy)
3:00 Bollywood News
3:30 Angaaray (Akshay Kumar, Nagarjuna, Pooja Bhatt, Sonali Bendre)
7:00 Geet Bahar
7:30 Saturday Special: Star Ki Pasand
Raveena Tandon Pyar Kiya Jaa (Shashi Kapoor, Mehmood, Mumtaz)
11:00 Rajehin Na Rahein Hum
11:30 Kalmia Ki Maut (Pankaj Kapur, Rupa Ganguli)

11:00 Fox Kids
1:00 World Wildest Police Videos
2:00 Viper
3:00 Baywatch
4:00 Walker Texas Ranger
5:00 Xena
6:00 Star Hunter
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 Star Hunter
STAR PLUS
7:30 Chupa Rustam
8:00 Aatma
9:00 Hit Filmein Hit Sangeet
9:30 Fox Kids
10:30 Family Fortunes
11:00 AmulBest of Surabhi
11:30 Chalti Ka Naam Antakshairi
12:30 Eena Meena Deeka
1:00 Tu Tu Main Main
1:30 Gharwali Uparwali
2:00 Hit Filmein Hit

1:30 World's Most Amazing Videos II
2:30 Movie: Sweepers
4:30 Alfred Hitchcock Presents
5:30 Scariest Places on Earth
6:30 AXN Rocks
7:30 Now and Again
8:30 Farscape Suns and Lover
9:30 Famous Directors Movie: Bugsy

ZEE TV

6:00 Yaadon Ke Pal
6:30 Bhakti Bhav
7:00 Yoga For Life
7:20 Jagran
7:50 Zee Gym
8:00 Tara Rum
8:30 Ramayan
9:00 Nickelodeon
10:30 Hum Paanch
11:00 Hudd Kar Di
11:30 Zee & You
12:00 Hip Hip Hurray
12:30 Khana Khazana
1:00 Jai Santoshi Ma
1:30 Rishley The Love Stories
2:30 Weekend Cinema
3:00 Sa Re Ga Ma Pa
4:30 Raah (Wildance Adventure Aap Aur Hum)
5:30 Top of the Tops
6:30 Nickelodeon
7:30 Devrani Jethani
8:00 Nilaam Ghar Bid Bid Boom
8:30 Meri Aawaaz Hi Pechaan Hai
11:30 Tejaswini

ALPHA TV BANGLA

6:00 Grohon
6:30 Mon Niye Shayola
7:00 Surer Ei Jharnadhara
8:00 Bishesh Sangbad Data
8:30 Gaan Unltd.

9:00 Hum Dil De Chuke Sanam
12:00 Agni Chakra
ZEE CINEMA
7:00 Tara Rum
7:30 Sant Gyaneshwar
10:30 Shahid-e-Azam Bhagat Shari
1:30 Kapurush
1:30 Ek Akasher Niche
2:00 Pratibimba
2:30 Sabuj Dweeper Raja
5:00 Jhara Samayer Upakatha
5:30 Bichitra
6:00 News In Bengali
6:30 Bhalobasa Mandobasa
7:00 Aatpake Bandhe Sur Taal Bengali
8:00 Shudhu Tomake Chai
8:30 Saregama
9:55 Sat Kahan
10:25 Abisasya
11:00 News in Bengali
11:30 Choto Chutir Phanke
12:00 Encounter
ZEE MUSIC
6:30 Gurbani
7:30 Gujarati News
8:00 Daily News
8:30 Jai Ganesha
9:30 Yoga for Life
10:00 Quiz Contest
10:30 Zee Once More
11:30 Ritu Khana Khazaana
12:30 Hindi Movie
3:30 Pakistan Show Time
4:30 Aashiana
5:00 Ek Tukdaa Chaand Ka
6:00 Hip Hip Hurray
7:30 Baazi Kiski
8:30 News Bulletin
8:55 Hit Series

9:00 Namak Haram
5:50 Dadamoni
6:00 Ek Tha Raja
9:15 Yadein Radio Ceylon Ki
9:30 Weekend Cinema
10:00 Pyar Ka Karz
1:15 Cine News
SETMAX
7:30 Begaana
8:30 Biographies
9:00 Hotlist
9:30 Garam Khoon
1:00 Biographies
2:00 Kala Paani
5:00 One Two 123
5:30 Samrat
9:00 Hotlist
9:30 Jaise Karni Vaisi Bharni
1:30 Andher Nagri
4:30 Reshmi Roomal
SONY
6:30 Music Mantra
7:00 Chartbusters
7:30 Sant Asaram Vani
8:00 Shri Krishna
9:00 Shree Ganesha
10:00 Mahabharat
11:00 Malgudi Days
11:30 Good Morning Disney
12:30 The Good Home Show
1:00 Yea Duniya Hai Rangeen
1:30 Cine Matinee: Swami Dada
5:30 Chartbusters
6:00 Music Mantra
6:30 Disney Hour
7:30 CID Files
8:30 Cine Prime: Chandini