

DHAKA
TODAY

Conference

The inaugural ceremony of the 10th National Conference of the Society of Otolaryngologist and Head Neck Surgeons of Bangladesh will be held with President AQM Badrudduza Chowdhury as chief guest. Venue: Hotel Sheraton Time: 9.00am.

Venue: BUET Council Bhaban. Time: 5.00pm.

Inauguration

The formal inauguration of the programme of 'Health Services to Floating People' will be held. Venue: National Press Club. Time: 12.00 noon.

Discussion

Dhaka City Awami League organises a discussion meeting in observance of the historic Mujibnagar Day with Awami League President and Leader of the opposition in Parliament Sheikh Hasina as chief guest. Venue: Dhaka Mahanagar Natyamancha, Gulistan. Time: 3.00pm.

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TOMORROW

Rally

The National Committee for the Solidarity with the People of Palestine will hold a grand rally in protest against the Israeli genocide of the Palestinian people backed by US imperialism. Venue: Central Shaheed Minar. Time: 4.00pm.

Rally

Anti Imperialist Democratic Unity organises rally and procession against Israeli genocide of Palestinian people backed by US imperialism. Venue: Mukhtang. Time: 5.00pm.

Workshop

Bangladesh Country Office of The World Conservation Union organises an inception workshop on 'Conservation Monitoring of Sundarbans Biodiversity', a component of Sundarbans Biodiversity Conservation Project. Venue: LGED conference room. Time: 10.00am.

Seminar

A seminar on 'Media and National Security of Bangladesh', organised jointly by the BLISS, the daily Jugantor, Channel I, and The Independent, will be held with Law Minister Moudud Ahmed as chief guest. Venue: BLISS auditorium. Time: 10.00am.

Food workshop

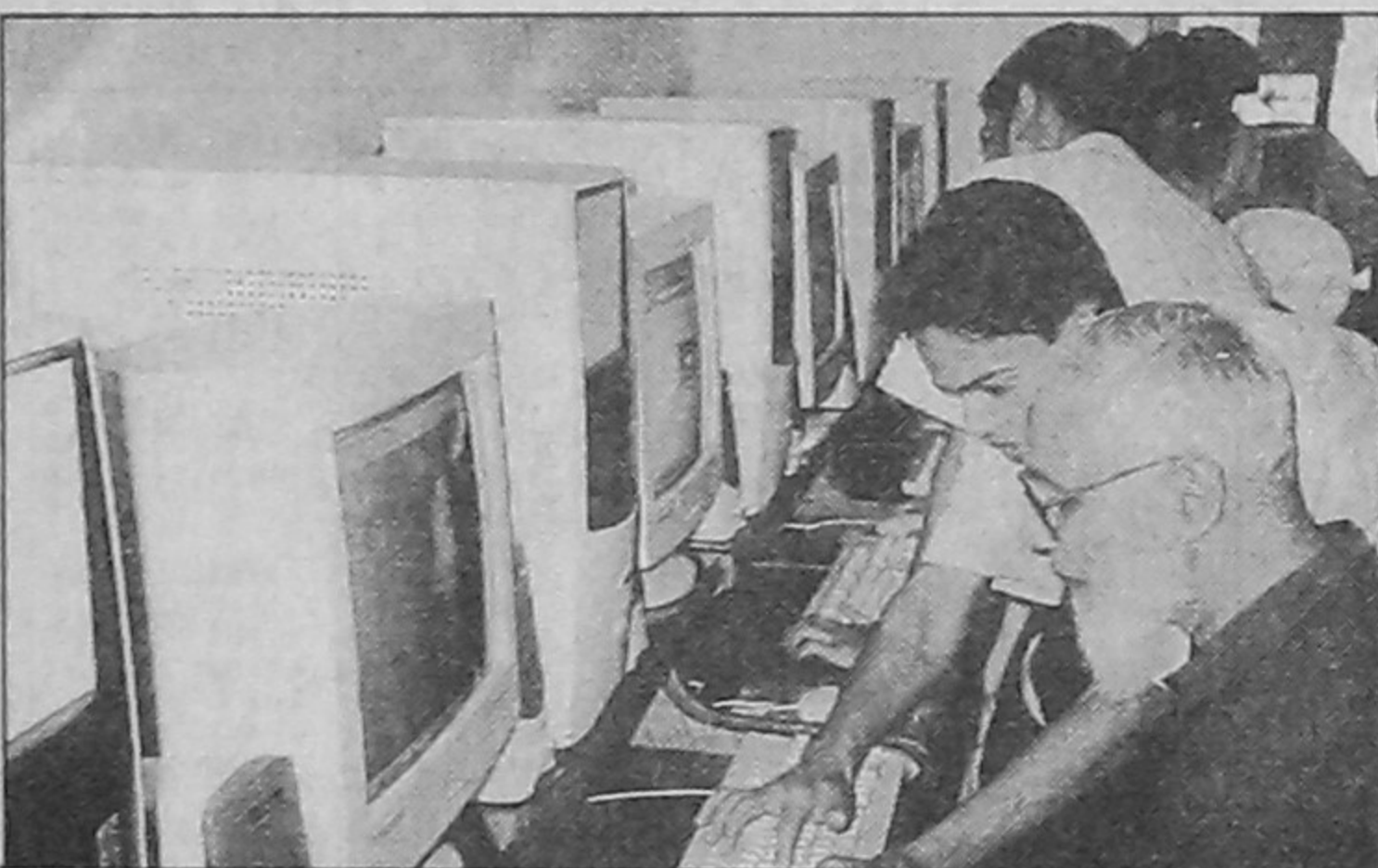
A two-day national workshop on 'Food Security and Food Safety in Bangladesh' organised jointly by the Consumers' Association of Bangladesh and Consumers Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, will begin. Venue: Civic Inn, House-4/B, Road - 67, Gulshan-2. Time: 9.30am.

Launching ceremony

Bangladesh Institute of Law and International Affairs (BILIA) will hold the launching ceremony of the Monograph titled 'Chinese Military Modernisation: Implications for the Region' written by Brigadier General Mohammad Aminul Karim. Venue: BILIA, House-2, Road 7, Dhanmondi/R/A. Time: 11.30am.

Lecture

A lecture on 'Management Challenges for Engineers' organised by Dr. Rashid Foundation of BUET will be held.



Prof Syed Ahmed, chairman of the International Education Center, Uttara, officially inaugurated the newly introduced Pentium-4 computers with network and broadband facilities for the school students in its existing lab. Students, parents and other board members were present at the inaugural function.

গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

মহাপরিচালকের কার্যালয়

যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তর

যুব ও ক্রীড়া মন্ত্রণালয়

যুব ভবন

১০৮, মতিঝিল বা/এ, ঢাকা-১০০০

স্মারক নং-যুউঅ/প্রশিঃ ও আত্মঃ/কীটবস-২৮/৯১ (অংশ-১)-২৭১

তারিখঃ ৯/৪/০২ খ্রীঃ

পুনঃ দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তরের যুব প্রশিক্ষণ ও আত্মকর্মসংস্থান প্রকল্পের আওতায় আত্মকর্মসংস্থানের লক্ষ্যে গবাদিপশু ও হাঁস-মুরগী পালন বিষয়ে প্রশিক্ষণপ্রাপ্ত যুবদের মধ্যে অনুদান হিসাবে বিতরণের নিমিত্তে প্রাথমিক চিকিৎসার বিভিন্ন যন্ত্রপাতিসহ ৪৭৫০টি কীটনাশক ক্রয়ের জন্য প্রকৃত প্রস্তাবকারী/সরবরাহকারী/ব্যবসায়ী প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট হতে সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আহবান করা যাচ্ছে।

সি	দরপত্র সিডিউলের মূল্য	প্রতিটি ৭৫০/- (সাতশত পঞ্চাশ) টাকা।
২।	দরপত্র সিডিউলের প্রাপ্তিস্থান ও প্রস্তাবিত তারিখে জমাদানের স্থান	(১) প্রকল্প পরিচালক (প্রশিঃ ও আত্মঃ), যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তর, যুব ভবন (৫ম তলা), ১০৮, মতিঝিল বা/এ, ঢাকা-১০০০। (২) সিনিয়র সহকারী সচিব (যুব-২), যুব ও ক্রীড়া মন্ত্রণালয়, ভবন নং-৭, কক্ষ নং-৭২৪, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা। (৩) বিভাগীয় কমিশনারের অফিস, ঢাকা ১ম ১২ তলা সরকারী ভবন, সেগুনবাগিচা, ঢাকা।
৩।	সিডিউল বিক্রয়ের সময়সীমা	২২/০৪/২০০২ খ্রীঃ থেকে ২৭/০৪/২০০২ খ্রীঃ পর্যন্ত আগ্রহী প্রতিষ্ঠানসমূহ ৭৫০/- টাকা (অফেরতযোগ্য) বাংলাদেশ ব্যাংকে ট্রেজারী চালানের মাধ্যমে ১/০৬৪০/০১২০/২৬৮১ এর নট্যান্স রেকর্ডনিউ বাতে জমা দিয়ে চালানের মূল কপি উল্লেখিত দপ্তরে প্রদানপূর্বক ক্রয় করা যাবে।
৪।	দরপত্র খোলার স্থান এবং তারিখ ও সময়	২৮/০৪/২০০২ খ্রীঃ দুপুর ১২.০০ টা পর্যন্ত এবং ঐ দিনই দুপুর ১২.৩০ টার সময় উপস্থিত দরদাতাদের সামনে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারীর কার্যালয়ে দরপত্রসমূহ খোলা হবে।
৫।	বায়নার টাকা (ফেরতযোগ্য)	উদ্ধৃত মোট ন্যূনতম শতকরা আড়াই ভাগ হারে মাত্র।

কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকেই যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ কিংবা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা কর্তৃপক্ষ সংরক্ষণ করেন।

মহাপরিচালকের পক্ষে

গোলাম মোস্তাকীম

প্রকল্প পরিচালক (প্রশিঃ ও আত্মঃ)

যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা।

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A scientific seminar on 'Rabies - A fatal infectious Disease' was held at the Infectious Diseases Hospital in the city yesterday.

11 killed in 6 dists in 2 weeks

UNB, Dhaka

Eleven people were killed and 10 others injured in different incidents in six districts - Feni, Rangpur, Jhalakathi, Brahmanbaria, Nilphamari and Magura - in the past two weeks till April 14.

Of them, three deaths were reported from Feni and Rangpur each, one each from Jhalakathi, Brahmanbaria and Nilphamari and two from Magura districts.

Golapi, 48, a distressed woman, was beaten to death by unidentified hoodlums at north Mandia village in Chhagalnaiya upazila under Feni district on Sunday.

Police recovered her body from a beel and sent it to hospital morgue.

On Thursday, two people were killed and 10 others injured in train and road accidents.

Police said a Chittagong-bound train hit elderly Mozaffar Rahman of Alokdia village in Sadar upazila, leaving him critically injured. He

was rushed to Sadar Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries.

Zakir Ahmed Chowdhury of Nizkunjara village in Chhagalnaiya upazila was killed and 10 others injured when two buses collided near Fazipur Madrasa on Dhaka-Chittagong Highway on the same day.

Police seized the buses but their drivers managed to flee the scene.

In Jhalakathi, 12-year-old Abdus Sakur, son of Golam Mostafa, sustained critical wounds after falling from a coconut tree at Kular village in Razapur upazila on Friday.

He succumbed to his injuries on the way to local health complex.

In Brahmanbaria, Zaher Mia, 38, was chopped to death at a village arbitrary at Mojepur village in Sadar upazila on Friday night.

Police recovered the body and sent it to hospital morgue, for

autopsy. A case was filed.

In Nilphamari, the body of an unidentified girl was recovered from the river Teesta in Dimla upazila on Saturday.

Police suspected that the girl was strangled after rape.

Earlier on March 10, police recovered the body of another unidentified girl from Naitara union of the upazila.

In Rangpur, housewife Anjura Begum, 30, of Kumedpur under Pirganj upazila was allegedly poisoned to death on Monday by her husband Saidul Alam as she protested his extra-marital affairs.

On Sunday, Nurul Islam, 40, and his nephew Alauddin, 32, were electrocuted at Lalbagh in Rangpur pourasabha.

In Magura, Latif Molla, 20, and his niece Khadiza, 2, were killed after falling in a deserted deep-hole at Binodpur village in Mohammadpur upazila on Friday.

Local people recovered the bodies.

New digital phone exchange starts functioning in Tangail today

BSS, Tangail

A 400-line new digital telephone exchange installed here will start functioning technically today.

The existing 120 magneto telephones of the exchange will automatically be converted into digital ones without any charge and all existing three-digit numbers will now become five-digit, a Bangladesh Telegraph and Telephone Board (BTTB) press release said yesterday.

Old telephone numbers will remain unchanged and the subscribers will have to add '56' at the beginning of their existing numbers. For nationwide dialing, the area code number for Madhupur will be 09228.

Meanwhile, a new 300-line digital telephone exchange at Ghatail under the district was commissioned technically on April 13.

The existing 200 analogue telephones were automatically converted into digital ones without any charge and all existing three-digit numbers have become five-digit.

DESA snaps 4443 lines

BSS, Dhaka

Dhaka Electric Supply Authority (DESA) has disconnected 4,443 electric lines and realised about Tk 24 lakh during its special drive against bill defaulters and illegal power users.

The DESA mobile teams comprising magistrates also arrested 41 people and lodged 2,080 cases against illegal power users, official sources said in the city yesterday.

They also seized a number of

water pumps, electric motors, welding machines and some electric wire during the time.

As part of the drive in Tongi area, the officials of DESA under the supervision of two magistrates disconnected 21 lines of bill defaulters and 21 lines of illegal electricity users. They also lodged cases against 42 persons for illegal use of power, the sources added.

The special drive began on March 3 and it will continue till further order.



President Lukashenko of Belarus (seated centre) pose with the Bangladesh Ambassador S K Sharif Hassan (seated left) and other Bangladesh and Belarus officials in Minsk recently after the latter's presentation of credentials.

WHO keen to provide advanced treatment

UNB, Dhaka

World Health Organisation (WHO) is eager to provide advanced treatment services to combat post-disaster diseases in Bangladesh.

Dr Utan Mustar Rafei, South Asia Regional Director of WHO, conveyed the eagerness during a meeting with Disaster Management and Relief Minister Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yousuf at his residence here yesterday.

Israeli genocide

Protest rally in city tomorrow

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

National Committee for Solidarity with the people of Palestine, a forum comprising people of different professions and cultural groups, will hold a rally at the central Shaheed Minar at 4:00pm tomorrow to protest Israeli genocide of the Palestinian people.

The rally also aims at raising voice against the US backed Israeli aggression and occupation of Palestinian territories, organisers said.

The members of the forum will submit a memorandum to the United Nations office in Dhaka demanding immediate and unconditional withdrawal of Israeli troops from occupied territories.

All irrespective of party affiliations have been requested to attend the rally and the procession to express solidarity with the people of Palestine and raise voice against US sponsored Israeli terrorism.

Death anniversary

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Today is the 73rd death anniversary of Nawab Bahadur Syed Nawab Ali Chowdhury, the first Muslim minister of the

then undivided Bengal.

A renowned educationist and writer, Nawab Ali was also one of the founders of Dhaka University and a pioneer of religion-based modern education.

The Nawab Ali-Hasan Ali Smriti Sangsad has organised a

daylong programme, including Quarkhwan, discussion, milad mahfil and waz mahfil today at Nawab Manil and on Nawab Shahi Masjid premises in Dhanbari thana of Tangail district.

In a message yesterday, President AQM Badrudduza Chowdhury recalled the contribution of Nawab Ali Chowdhury to establishment of numerous educational institutions and various development work.

Shabnam Huq

UNB, Dhaka

The second death anniversary of Shabnam Huq, wife of Arham Masudul Huq, Executive Vice President of Dhaka Bank Limited, will be observed today.

A Milad Mahfil and Khatme Quran will be held at Tejaon Rahmate Alam Islam Mission and Orphanage after Zohr prayers on the occasion, said a press release.

A doa session will be held at Bairul Aqam Jame Mosque in Motijheel Colony after Asr prayer.

Relatives, admirers and friends have been requested to attend and pray for salvation of the departed soul.



Thundershowers likely

UNB, Dhaka

Rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty to squally wind is likely at a few places over Dhaka, Rajshahi and Sylhet divisions and at one or two places over Khulna, Barisal and Chittagong divisions today.

Day temperature may remain nearly unchanged over the country during the period, Met offices said.

Country's highest temperature 35.0 degree Celsius was recorded yesterday at Mongla and Chaudanga and the lowest 22.5 degree Celsius at Srimongla.

The sun sets in the capital today at 6.21 pm and rises tomorrow at 5.35am.

Highest and lowest temperature and humidity in some major cities and towns yesterday were:

City/Town	Temperature in Celsius		Humidity in percentage	
	Max	Min	Morning	Evening
Dhaka	33.0	25.3	78	69
Chittagong	31.0	24.7	78	65
Rajshahi	34.4	24.5	87	61
Khulna	34.5	24.0	76	69
Barisal	32.5	24.8	74	76
Sylhet	25.2	22.8	100	98
COX'S BAZAR	32.1	24.5	77	78

Bangladesh Power Development Board
Tender Notice

বিদ্যুৎ ব্যবহারে মিতব্যয়ী হোন

- Name of office : Superintending Engineer, Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, Dinaipur.
- Name of work : (1) Construction of external electric supply system under Development of Residential Area of Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project.
- Eligibility of contractor : PDB's 'A' class (Civil & Electrical) up-to-date enlisted & duly experienced contractors.
- Estimated cost : (1) Tk. 1,06,11,329/98.
- Price of tender : (1) Tk. 3,000/- (non-refundable). To be paid in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order issued from any scheduled bank in favour of Project Director (CE), Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, Dhaka.
- Tender can be purchased from (1) Janata Bank, Corporate Branch, Basuniapath, Dinaipur, (2) Project Director (CE), Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Biddut Bhaban (4th Floor), Dhaka, (3) Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka during banking hours up to 22-4-2002. Tender can be purchased by obtaining prior permission of the undersigned/Superintending Engineer or Project Director (CE), Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Biddut Bhaban (4th Floor), Dhaka on application to purchase tender with copy of trade licence, copy of ownership certificate, copy of up-to-date income tax clearance certificate, PDB's up-to-date enlistment certificate, firm organogram & civil work experience certificate on work worth minimum Tk 25 (twenty-five) lakh under a single work order within the past 5 (five) years & certificate on construction machinery & equipment under the contractor's own ownership (attested by an officer not below the rank of Executive Engineer), from the stated office/bank of getting tender on deposit of Bank Draft/Pay Order.
- System of depositing tender: Tenderers purchasing tender & interested to submit tender should submit the documents demanded by "evaluation criteria" attached to the tender document duly with the tender. Tender should be submitted quoting rate in the designated place & system of tender document and putting signature with seal by the proprietor/owner/managing director (the specimen signature in enlistment register) on each page of tender document & submitted documents with the prescribed amount of earnest money under lac sealed cover in the tender box kept at respective office within the prescribed date & time. Name of the respective work and identity should be distinctly superscribed on the envelope.
- Tenders will be received in tender box kept at the office of the undersigned as well as offices mentioned at 6(2) & 6(3) up to 12:00 Noon of 24-4-2002 and opened on the same day at 12:30 PM in presence (if any) of the attending tenderers. No tender will be sold on the date of receiving tender. Earnest money at the rate 1.5% of quoted amount maximum to the tune of Tk 2.00 lakh should be submitted with the tender in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order issued from any scheduled bank in favour of Project Director (CE), Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, Dhaka.
- Tenderers purchasing tender & interested to submit tender should duly submit all documents to be produced with application to purchase tender. Tender should be submitted quoting rate in the designated place & system of tender document and putting signature with seal by the proprietor/owner/managing director (the specimen signature in enlistment register) on each page of tender document & submitted documents with the prescribed amount of earnest money under lac sealed cover in the tender box kept at respective office within the prescribed date & time. Name of the respective work and identity should be distinctly superscribed on the envelope.
- For getting an idea about tender document, if necessary, the interested tenderers may contact the office of the undersigned or Project Director (CE), Barapukuria 300 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Station Construction Project, PDB, Dhaka during office hours.
- The tender inviting authority/PDB is not bound to accept the lowest tender and reserves the right to accept/reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Executive Engineer

Barapukuria 300 MW

Coal Based Thermal

Power Station Construction Project, PDB, Dinaipur.

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Directorate General Defence Purchase

Ministry of Defence

New Airport Road, Tejaon, Dhaka-1215

Tender Notice

- Sealed tender in foreign currency is invited from bonafide manufacturer/dealer/supplier (enlisted firms with DGDP) for supply of the following items for Bangladesh Navy:

Sl No.	Name of Item	Date of Selling		Date of Opening	Tender No.
		From	To		
1.	Spares for Cummins Wartsila DG (Qty: 12 L/I)	23-4-2002	20-5-2002	21-5-2002	7270/NP-2

- Tender schedule with detailed specification/condition will be available on payment as per International Tender selling rate (non-refundable) during office hours between 0800 hours to 1300 hours. The tender can be dropped latest by 1000 hours and opened at 1005 hours on the specified date of opening in presence of the tenderers (if present).

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for Director General