

RECOMMENDATIONS



Young Artists' art exhibition 2002

A fortnight long young artists' art exhibition, organised by the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy...

Bird fair, painting, quiz competition

A bird fair will be held at Aga Thakurpara in Barguna district on June 29 that is to be organised by Dalchut...

Santal Festival

A festival of the santal community will be held at Mullanipara at Bhuli of Thakurgaon district...

Workshop

After a long time

Shilpakala Academy holds first Manipuri and Kathak dance workshop since 1991

CULTURE DESK

A fortnight long classical dance workshop, organised by Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, concluded on June 15 in the city.

This was first workshop on classical dance genres Manipuri and Kathak since 1991. Country's most gifted Manipuri dance exponent Tamanna Rahman conducted the workshop...

The workshop was participated by 42 young dancers from Dhaka, Manikganj, Comilla, Jessore, Bogra, Natore, Pirojpur, Narayanganj, Savar and Jhenidah.

The State Minister for Culture, Begum Selima Rahman formally declared the workshop open in a simple ceremony on June 1.



Dancer Tamanna Rahman in foreground, gives tips to the participants on Kathak



Participants perform before the audience on the closing day

Two eminent dancers and trainers of the country, Tamanna Rahman and Shaju Ahmed conducted the training in two separate sessions on Manipuri and Kathak, respectively.

Tamanna Rahman started Manipuri dance with Shantibala Sinha and was groomed up later by renowned dance master, Guru Bipin Singh, Kalavati Devi and Darshana Jhaveri at Kolkata and Mumbai.

The workshop on Manipuri dance that has been conducted is a first one of its kind since the last eleven years under direct management and sponsorship of Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy.

The Kathak instructor who received tutelage from renowned dance guru Birju Maharaj at Delhi said that her students were quite committed to dancing and many of them would become good dancers if they continue.

The students of both the sessions are satisfied with the workshops. Roushan Ara Begum, Director of the training department of the academy said that she is quite content to see the enthusiasm created among the young dancers...

The workshop concluded on June 15 with a certificate giving ceremony. A noted dance director and researcher, Amanul Haque distributed certificates among the participants.

Renowned Manipuri guru Kalavati Devi, from India, was also present on the occasion. Amanul Huq, Kalavati Devi, Tamanna Rahman, Shaju Ahmed and one of the participants Sushanto Kumar Das spoke.

The programme came to an end with presentation of some captivating dance performance from the participants of the workshop.

Event

Street play with a purpose

Street drama speaks Tetulia to Teknaf as they urge all for safety of workers to help stop acid terrorism

CULTURE DESK

A street drama titled 'Sromik mora jatir sampad' was performed at the premises of Apex Tannery at Hazaribagh in the city on June 18.

The project of cultural activities among tannery workers has been financed by the United States Department of Labour (USDOL) that has been implemented Aurora Associates International Inc.

The play is written by Sagir Mostafa and directed by Apel Bashar. 'Sromik mora jatir sampad' will be held on premises of different tannery industries in Hazaribagh till the month of August of the current year.



The play in progress

Campaign

A unique mission

Four young men walk on foot from Tetulia to Teknaf as they urge all for safety of workers to help stop acid terrorism



Four friends start their noble mission from Bangla bandha zero point

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

It was a decision full of risk and uncertainty yet four friends, who are all students of computer science at the Gazipur Islamic University of Technology, set off on a month long journey on foot from one end of the country to the other with an aim of spreading a message, 'Stop Acid Terrorism'...

Mohammad Itefkarul Azam Rony, Mohammad Zahidul Hasan Bhuiyan, S.M. Muntasir Mamun and Mirza Saad Andalib started their journey on foot from the zero point of Bangla Bandha at Tetulia on the morning of May 19, 2002.

'While we passed by towns and suburbs, people living in and around the neighbourhoods approached us and inquired about our objective', said Rony while speaking to The Daily Star. 'Inquisitive bus drivers, passengers, passers-by and villagers provided us complete support and encouragement while we informed them about our ultimate intention to curb the deadly curse of acid violence over innocent people of the country', Rony added.

It came as a surprise to the four when they discovered that most of the commoners do not know that criminals indulged in acid violence are liable to face death penalty if caught.

On the noon of June 2, the quartet of youth reached Dhaka city while continuing on their tough adventurous mission towards the end of Shahpari Island at Teknaf. While leaving Dhaka for Daudkandi the following morning, the team was accompanied from Jatrabari till Kanchpur Bridge by eminent bird photographer, Enam Ul Haque.

Two of the four campaigners, Muntasir Mamun and Mirza Saad felt sick at Sirajganj and Thakurgaon, respectively, and the rest of the journey till Teknaf had to be completed by the other two. The exciting and noble walk of the young men came to an end when Itefkarul Azam Rony and Zahidul Hasan Bhuiyan reached Shahpari Island at Teknaf on June 15. According to their rough estimate, the youth had completed 1,050 kilometers of walk that took 28 days to finish.

TV GUIDE

BTV

- 11:00a.m. Opening
11:40 Patriotic songs
11:50 Special program
12:15 World cup program
12:20 World Cup football quarter final live: Spain Vs South Korea
2:10 News headline
2:45 Kheladhula
3:00 News
3:05 English debate
4:00 News headline
4:05 Film songs
5:00 News
5:20 World cup football quarter final live: Senegal Vs Turkey
6:00 News
7:00 News headline
7:30 Geetimalya
8:00 News
8:30 Drama
9:00 News headline
10:00 News at ten
10:25 World cup highlights
11:30 News
11:45 Closing
EKUSHEY
12:05 Ekushey Middy
12:05 Akjer Potrikay
12:20 Mukto Khorbor
12:50 Bolte Chai
1:20 Classic Cartoons
2:00 Toyota World of Wildlife
2:30 Ei Shoptabo
3:00 Ekushey Headlines
3:00 Ei Shoptabo
3:05 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 Deshjire
7:30 Ekushey News
8:00 Ekushey News (English)
8:05 Natok: Nasta Kosta Jibon
9:00 Anondo
10:00 News: Simulcast from BTV
10:30 Ekushey Business
11:00 Ekushey Late Night Shongbad

CHANNEL-i

- 7:25a.m. Kothak kothay
7:50 Bissho-er Bishhwa Cup
8:05 Sajai Swapno
8:35 Drama: Joar bhata
9:05 Raven
9:35 Documentary
10:05 Aker bhetor paanch
10:35 Music Plus
11:25 Kothay kothay
11:50 Bissho-er Bishhwa Cup
12:00p.m. Sajai Swapno Ghar
12:30 Drama: Joar bhata Raven
1:00 Raven
1:35 Bangla feature film
5:05 Documentary
5:35 Information program
6:10 Music Plus
6:50 Jungle Book
7:15 Channel I News
7:50 Bissho-er Bishhwa Cup
8:00 Drama serial
8:30 Magazine
8:55 Ispahani I telequiz
9:00 Channel I News
9:30 Shongbadpotrey Bangladesh
9:45 Channel I Mobile quiz
9:50 Flop show
10:25 Ispahani I telequiz
10:30 Channel I News
11:15 Pepsi Live concert
12:00 Channel I News
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 Musical Prog:
9:00 Film Songs prog: Meril Tumar Janne Gan
9:35 Film Magazine : Jonu Hit Super Hit
10:10 Drama serial : Abashese
10:50 Musical Prog: Antore Antora
11:15 Bengali feature film : Atho Prokas
12:00 ATN Bangla News
6:07 Children prog. : Shapla Saluk
6:45 Viewers request film songs prog. :

- 7:00 Anurodher Assor
7:35 ATN Bangla Evening News
7:50 Mega serial : Mohine
8:10 Reporting prog: Ghotona Probaha
8:45 Drama Serial : Mamlia Hamla Jamela
9:20 Drama Serial : Kasher Manus
10:00 ATN Bangla News
10:35 Drama : Racom Fear
11:15 Bengali Feature Film: Achol Bande
11:30 ATN Bangla News
HBO
6:30 Mach 2
8:30 Implicated
10:30 The Rugrats Movie
12:15 The Fifth Corner
2:15 Some Kind of Wonderful
4:15 Spartacus
8:00 3 Ninjas Kick Back
10:00 Star Trek: Insurrection
12:00 The Jackal
2:30 The Rugrats Movie
4:15 Runaway Train
STAR MOVIES
6:00 Drama: Bringing Out The Dead
8:00 Comedy: 3 Stricks
9:45 Drama: Dr Lucile
11:30 Comedy : Drive Me Crazy
1:15 Action: Terminal Velocity
3:00 Comedy: Bootmen
4:30 Thriller: D O A
6:15 Thriller: The Ghost
8:00 Drama: Bringing Out The Dead
10:00 Drama: Sanctimony
12:30 Comedy: Bootmen
STAR PLUS
7:30 Chhupa Rustam
8:00 Aatma
9:00 Hit Filmlein Hit Sangeet
9:30 Fox Kids
10:10 Hit Geet
10:25 Kya Film Kya Geet
10:30 Family Fortunes
11:00 AmulBest of Surabhi
11:30 Cine Jharokha

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

STAR WORLD: 7:00 & 10:30 p.m. First Wave. In 1564, Nostradamus - the man who saw tomorrow - foretold an apocalyptic invasion coming in three terrifying waves: the first wave - an elite infiltrative and saboteur force, the second wave - invasion from above, and the third wave - Armageddon. The First Wave is here. In tonight's episode, Foster investigates Gua infiltration of a mafia run strip club.
STAR MOVIES: 8:00 p.m. Brining Out The Dead. 48 hours in the life of a burnt-out paramedic. Once called Father Frank for his efforts to rescue lives, Frank sees the ghosts of those he failed to save around every turn. He has tried everything he can to get fired, calling in sick, delaying taking calls where he might have to face one more victim he couldn't help, yet cannot quit the job on his own.
AXN: 9:30 p.m. Alien. The crew of the deep space mining ship Nostromo are awoken from hypersleep to investigate a strange signal from a nearby planet. While investigating the signal, they discover it was intended as a warning, and not an SOS. What follows are some grisly and inventive special effects based on the work of H.R.Giger.

PICK OF THE DAY
Star Trek: Insurrection
On HBO at 10:00 p.m.
When an alien race--and forces within Starfleet--attempt to take over a planet that has "magical" properties, it falls upon Captain Picard and the crew of the Enterprise-E to defend the planet's people as well as the very ideals upon which the Federation itself was founded.
12:00 Special Danger
12:30 Chhupa Rustan
1:00 Eena Meena Deeka
1:30 Tu Tu Main Main
1:30 Indiatimes
1:30 Presents Coke [V]
2:00 Popstars
2:00 Hit Filmlein Hit
2:30 Sangeet
2:30 Kashmakash
3:00 Kundali
3:30 Tea Time Cinema : Hum Tum Aur Who (Vinod Khanna, Bharati)
6:30 Fox Kids
7:25 Kya Film Kya Geet
7:30 Bol Baby Bol
8:00 The Price Is Right
8:30 Star Superhit : Major Saab(Amitabh, Ajay Devgan, Sonali Bhandre)
11:30 Aaj Ki Baat
12:05 Star Superhit (Cont.)
STAR GOLD
7:30am Mela (Feroz Khan, Sanjay Khan, Mumtaz)
10:30 Bollywood News
11:00 Geet Bahar
12:00 Madhumati (Dilip Kumar, Vyjayantimala)
3:00 Bollywood News
3:30 Saturday : Bade Dil Wala (Sunil Shetty, Priya Gill)
7:00 Geet Bahar
7:30 Saturday Special : Comedy Special Comedy Special Dilagi (Dhamentra, Hema Malini)
11:00 Rajehin Na Rahein Hum Madhumati
11:30 New Wave Cinema : Dharam (Om Puri, Shabana Azmi, Madhuri Dixit)
STAR WORLD
7:00 Futurama
7:30 3rd Rock From the Sun
8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful
10:00 Rendezvous With Simi Garewal
10:30 Travel Asia
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
10:30 First Wave
11:30 Star Hunter
12:30 Star News Hindi
1:00 Newshour
7:30 Star News English
8:00 Star News Hindi
10:30 Limelight English
11:00 Star News Hindi
11:30 Star News English
12:00 Star News Hindi
1:00 Limelight English
7:00 Star News Hindi
7:30 Saat Baje Hindi
8:00 Limelight Hindi
8:30 Big Fight
9:30 Star News English
10:00 Reality Bites
10:30 Star Business Week
11:00 Limelight English
11:30 Star News English
12:00 Star News Hindi
CHANNEL [V]
8:00 [V] Back To Back
8:30 [V] Best of Jumpstart
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NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC
6:30 Toyota World of wildlife
7:00 Wild
7:30 Nat Geo Max
8:30 Endangereed
9:00 Human Edge
9:30 On The Edge
10:30 Sci-Files
11:30 People & Place
12:30 Net Geo Genius
1:00 Human Edge
1:30 Adventure One
2:30 Saturday Unlimited
5:30 NG Classics
6:30 Nat Geo Genius
7:00 Human Edge
7:30 Adventure One
8:30 Saturday Unlimited
11:30 NG Classics
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5:00 Saturday Stack
5:30 Weekend Spl
6:30 [V] Zabarast Hits
7:00 Coke [V] Popstars
8:00 [V] Karaoke
8:30 Billboard US Countdown
9:30 [V] Saturday Stack
10:30 [V] Club
11:30 [V] Weekends
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 Nick on Zee
10:30 Hum Paanch
11:00 Hudd Kar Di
11:30 Zee & You
12:00 World Close Up
12:30 Antakshari
1:30 Khana Khazana
1:00 Jai Santoshi Ma
1:30 Sa Re Ga Ma Pa
3:00 Sautan
6:30 Nickeldeon
7:00 Nick on Zee
8:00 Nilaam Ghar Bid Bid Boom
8:30 Chandini Bar
ZEE MUSIC
6:30 Hit Pe Hit
7:30 Sizzlers
8:00 Zee Music Box
8:30 Compact Disc
9:00 Dil Se
9:30 Hit Pe Hit
10:30 Hit Mix
11:00 Taaza Maal
12:00 Dil Se
12:30 Hit Pe Hit
1:30 Zee Music Box
2:30 Jharonakha
2:30 Tara Rum Pum
3:30 Hit Mix
4:00 Hit Pe Hit
5:00 Just Jammin
5:30 Hit Mix
6:00 Zee Music Plus
7:00 Dil Se
7:30 Hit Pe Hit
8:30 Music Com
9:30 Sizzlers

- 6:30 Core Culture
7:30 Who Dares Wins II
8:30 Rollerjam II
9:30 Lifestyle Rollerjam Reality Blast! Boundaries
11:30 Who Dares Wins II
12:30 Ripley's Believe It or Not!
1:30 Rated X
2:30 Movie: Born on the Fourth of July
5:30 Beauties in Action Queen of Swords
6:30 Relic Hunter
7:30 Space Out! Andromeda
8:30 The Outer Limits Bodies of Evidence
9:30 Alien Saturdays Premier Movie: Alien
HALLMARK
6:00 The Princess Stallion
8:00 Katts and Dog
8:30 Ghostwriter
9:00 Sesame Street
10:00 Scholastic Clifford
10:30 Caillou
11:00 In His Father's Shoes
1:00 Six Weeks
3:00 The Ghost of Greville Lodge
5:00 Star Trek : Voyager
6:00 McLeod's Daughters
7:00 Redeemer
9:00 Star Trek : Voyager Cadfael : The sanctuary Sparrow6
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- 10:00 Dialogue
10:30 Jharokha
11:00 Zee Music Box
11:30 Phoren Maal
ZEE CINEMA
7:00 Making of A Legend
7:30 Bhagwan Shri Krishna
10:30 Saajan Ki Saheli
1:30 Halaku
5:15 Ikke Pe Ikke
6:00 Haseena Maan Jayegi
9:15 Yaadein Radio Ceylon Ki
9:30 Weekend Cinema
10:00 Commando
1:15 Yaadein Radio Ceylon Ki
CNBC
6:00 Managing Asia
6:30 Asia Market Week
7:00 Europe This Week
8:30 Asia This Week
9:00 Asia Market Week
9:30 Cutting Edge
10:00 Insurance INT
10:30 MF Investor
11:00 Taking Stock
12:00 Trendmill
12:30 Volvo Ocean Race
1:00 Asia Sport Show
1:30 Senior PGA Tour Siebel Classic in Silicon Valley (Fri Play)
3:00 Asia Sport Show
3:30 Asian PGA Tour Casino Filipino Philippine Open US PGA Tour Bay Hill Invitational (Thurs & Fri Play)
6:30 Managing Asia
7:00 Talking Stock
8:00 Smart Money
8:30 Cutting Edge
9:00 Trendmill
9:30 Managing India Storyboard
10:00 The Tonight Show With Jay Leno
11:30 Late Night with Conan O'Brien