

RECOMMENDATIONS

Photography exhibition

August 23 September 01
A solo photography exhibition titled, 'Our glorious past: Sonargaon' by photographer Syed Zakir Hossain, begins at the DRIK gallery of Dhanmondi in the city.

Sculpture exhibition

August 12-28
A sculpture exhibition of artist Ferdousi Priyobhashini continues at Bengal art gallery at Dhanmondi in the city.

Architectural designs' show

Aug. 17 Sept. 09
An exhibition goes on at the National Museum at Shahbagh in the city to reveal the unfolding drama of the design and construction of Sher-e-Banglanagar.

Digital photography

August 21-24
Titled 'My Life, My Future', a digital photography exhibition starts at the auditorium of British Council in the city on August 21 at 5:30 p.m.

Documentary

August 29-31
Directed by Kawsar Chowdhury, a documentary production 'Shei raater kotha bolley eshechi' (Tale of the darkest night) appears on screen at the auditorium of Russian Cultural Center at the following timings:

On August 29 at 4:00, 5:00 and 6:00 p.m.
On August 30 at 10:00, 11:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 and 6:00 p.m.
On August 31 at 5:00, 6:00 and 7:00 p.m.

Music

An evening apart

As the rebel poet's death anniversary knocks at the door, Suborno Kazi's melodious Nazrul-lyrics enthralls the audience at Kochi Kanchar Mela in the city

SAIFUL ISLAM

SUBORNO Kazi, the grandson of the rebel poet, Kazi Nazrul Islam, came very close to the heart of the audience, through his earnestness and devotion in the works of Nazrul, particularly the ageless lyrics.



Suborno Kazi performs at the event

Suborno struck one as resembling Nazrul Islam, in his features and smile. Only the eyes were different. Nazrul's eyes were more dreamy, as if caste upon a distance.

Suborno started with a patriotic song, 'chal chal chal', which created a vivacious atmosphere, the elan of the singer seemed to be transmitted into the listeners.

Suborno Kazi performs at the event

The singer went on along an undulated stretch of imagination and romance.

Suborno studied at Kolkata in English, and is now working on folk music. Apart from his scholarly approach to the works of his grandfather, Suborno likes acting, (he has already acted in four films among which one has been televised by the Zee TV)

The solo musical performance of Suborno Kazi became even more vibrant due to the talk that he included with his songs. Crimson roses were presented to him by avid listeners, and in response he sung love songs, 'chad heriche chad mookh tar, and padmar dheu re. In memoriam of Vatra 12, the date of the departure of the poet.

The numbers selected by Suborno, for this special evening, comprised of almost all types of songs composed by Kazi Nazrul Islam. Songs pregnant with the worship of the Almighty, songs drenched with the soft drizzle of emotion aroused by a lonesome and weary heart.

The program ended with a colorful cultural show performed by renowned singers Shakila Zafar, Tapan Chowdhury and Baby Naznin.

Anniversary

An evening to remember

Eastern Bank Limited observes tenth anniversary through dinner and cultural event

CULTURE DESK

AS part of its 10th anniversary celebration, Eastern Bank Limited (EBL) organized a grand 'Dinner & Cultural Night' at BDR Darbar Hall, Pilkhana on 13th

August. All shareholders of EBL were invited in the program along with the staff of Head Office and ten Branches of Dhaka City.

In his welcome speech, M Ghaziul Haque, Chairman of EBL,

highlighted the achievement of the Bank over the decade and elaborated the Bank's future plans for further growth and betterment of service. Managing Director of EBL, K Mahmood Sattar, delivered the vote of thanks to the shareholders

and staff present there.

Later the Chairman and Managing Director distributed 'Long Service Award' among 10 staff of the Bank. They also distributed prizes among the winners of 'High Performance Account Campaign,' a

deposit campaign recently run by EBL.

The program ended with a colorful cultural show performed by renowned singers Shakila Zafar, Tapan Chowdhury and Baby Naznin.

Photography

Shutterbuggers focus on sports

Exhibition on World Photography Day at the National Press Club

CULTURE DESK

BANGLADESH Photo-Journalists' Association organised a photo exhibit at the press club featuring the remarkable photos on the recent happenings at the scene of the sports of Bangladesh. This event coincided with the International Photography Day 2002.

For the first time in Bangladesh such an event was organised by the PhotoJournalists' Association, and at its inauguration, the State Minister for Youth and Sports Fazlur Rahman Potol was present. In his speech the minister praised the photographers and the newsmen for their sincerity in delivering news

to the people. He expressed his gratitude for the 'positive news coverage' on the sportsmen who took the opportunity to flee away during the Commonwealth Games.

At the apparently informal opening of the exhibit the members of the association discussed various important issues with the minister that has been making the job of the photojournalists difficult for so long.

Among the other photos some of them are featured on the tour of the World Cup in Bangladesh. The jubilant moments of cricket players, which is perhaps the most popular game in Bangladesh, were also showcased in the exhibit.



At the opening ceremony

TV GUIDE

Table with BTV, CHANNEL-i, and ATN BANGLA columns listing programs and times.

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Today's Highlights and Pick of the Day section featuring movie reviews for Men of Honor, Krull, and Dead Presidents.

Table listing various TV channels and their respective programs and times.