RECOMMENDATIONS

Hashem Khan's

Solo Exhibition

September 27 October 7 Renowned artist Hashem Khar holds a solo exhibition, 'Art Fair: Six Seasons' at Shilpangan gallery at Dhanmondi in the city. The exhibition remains open from 10 a.m. to 8

Photography on The

Twin Towers

p.m. everyday.

September 29 October 6

A photography exhibition is on at the National Art Gallery of Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy in the city, of photographer Obaidullah Mamoon, titled, 'The Twin Towers and The American Spirit' and remains open to all from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily except on Friday, when the time is 3 to 7 p.m.

Six celebrated artists' show

Sept. 20 Oct. 7

Akku Chowdhury hosts art exhibition of 6 celebrated artists of the country, Jamal Ahmed, Kanak Champa Chakma, Khalid Mahmud Mithu, Saidul Islam Juise, Fareha Zeba and Nisar Hossain at La Galerie, Kemal Ataturk Avenue The show remains open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Solo art exhibition

Artist Firoz Mahmud holds a solo exhibition of his artworks at the Alliance Française de dhaka, sponsored by Benson & Hedges The exhibition is open to all and the timings coincide with that of Alliance Francaise

Exhibition

Capturing regeneration amidst ruin

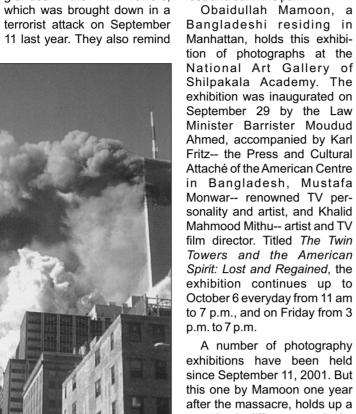
CULTURE

New York-based photographer Obaidullah Mamoon holds exhibition on Sept. 11 theme in the city

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ERE is a collage of glimpses of hope and resolution for a collective regeneration, being exhibited in the city, having been brought from the Armoury, the Union Square, Ellis Island, the Hudson River, and other places

in New York. The familiar names at once remind one of one missing element that once stood in New York as a symbol of stupendous elegance and grandeur-- the Twin Towers, which was brought down in a terrorist attack on September



A number of photography exhibitions have been held since September 11, 2001. But this one by Mamoon one year after the massacre, holds up a completely different standpoint of the photographer: that of 'coming together' of people, that of rebuilding of a lost faith. Mamoon has divided his theme into three aspects-- nine eleven..., coming together..., alive forever, each part appropriately prologued by descriptions of his feeling. The first part consists of about ten photographs capturing the different moments and phases of the collapse of the Twin Towers. In 'coming together...' Mamoon turns his lens towards images

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

HALLMARK: 11:00 a.m. Mr. Rock 'N' Roll:

The Alan Freed Story. This is the story of

dynamic disc jockey Alan Freed who

introducing rock 'n' roll to American culture

Freed, known to many as Mr. Rock 'N' Roll

fought to break racial barriers that prevented

HBO: 6:15 p.m. Weird Science. For the last

word in teen geekdom, look no further than

Wyatt and Gary. Seeing as how they can't

land a date, they make one on their

computer! Hard to believe the ultimate

geeks have it in them to create the ultimate

pabe - leggy, curvy, full of charm Kelly

Lebrock, who's really more art than science.

one of a void that can hardly be filled. But, at the same time, the collage depicts the historic moments when the Americans stood in solidarity to endure the loss and balm the pain. Obaidullah Mamoon, a Bangladeshi residing in Manhattan, holds this exhibition of photographs at the National Art Gallery of Shilpakala Academy. The exhibition was inaugurated on September 29 by the Law Minister Barrister Moudud Ahmed, accompanied by Karl Fritz-- the Press and Cultural Attaché of the American Centre in Bangladesh, Mustafa Monwar-- renowned TV personality and artist, and Khalid Mahmood Mithu-- artist and TV film director. Titled The Twin Towers and the American

The Holy Cross recovered from the site and is on display at Ground Zero

of humanity, solidarity and rebirth of a nation amidst the ruins. The last section, however, projects the magnificent existence of the Towers, in the absence of which there has created an irreparable void, yet the memory of which is still fresh and will remain alive

Mamoon's photographs have a different dimension of their own, and project the torments of an artist's realisation and transformation from utter disbelief towards submission to belief. The two images of the collapsing of the Towers. clouds of appalling white dust spreading as though over the human consciousness, people running away as if driven by some ugly ferocious creature-everything tells of an experience that is inevitably different from others. For, unlike other forms of art where there is scope for brooding over the incidence, photography is an artistic expression of the very

The second part of the photographs exhibits the loving tribute to those fateful victims.

and a stronger, more united America in its defiance of terrorism. Posters inscribed with sympathetic comments and resolute promises of protest, murals depicting faith in love's win over hatred, and live moments of 'coming together' become the subjects of these photographs. Pictures of people lighting candles in memory of the victims project the solemn firmness that every American bore in their hearts. Two black-and-white photographs show people gazing at the emptiness that was once filled by he towers.

Pictures of the first memorial service, especially one showing the Defense Minister Colin Powell reading out the names of 2801 deceased, are still heartrending in effect. A frame resembling the Holy Cross, found in the desires, has been erected at what is now known as 'Ground Zero'. The photograph of this Holy Cross inevitably arouses in one's heart the very faith in the omnipotent Almighty, and brings to mind that He is always with the believers. Another picture shows a relic a bell recovered from the site, its silvery smoothness shining still, now a monument to the dead and the miss-

In two photographs, Mamoon has framed Manhattan in the night. The Towers are missing with all their splendour from the 'lightscape' of Manhattan. Only two blue beams of light go upwards filling the void in Manhattan in people's memory

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Family Pride

Kate & Allie

Gregory Hines

The Sopranos

Full House

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Seinfeld

The Sopranos

Suddenly Susan

Mad About You

Heartbreak High

For Your Love

Three's Company

Fresh Prince of Bel

Suddenly Susan

Veronica's Susan

Mad About You

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Seinfeld

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News in Bengali

The final section presents photographs of the World Trade Centre. Mamoon had captured over the past fourteen years from many angles: 'from high above the Empire State Building, and from down below, often the very plinth' of the WTC. Mamoon says that the towers in the very first days of his life in Manhattan would mean two doves 'flying skyward and determined to touch the sky'. Later he found in them the images of 'two parents' with the assurance of 'safe shelter'. In one photograph, Lady Liberty is shown facing the Twin Towers: the images of liberty and loftiness are thus brought complementary to each other. The pictures of the sun setting behind the towers, emitting glowing twilight, itself becomes a permanent tribute to the Towers that will remain ever alive in people's memory.

At the opening the ceremony of the exhibition, Khalid Mahmood Mithu said that it was Mamoon's congenial nature that made him focus particularly on the theme of regaining hope and faith. Where passionate artists like Rabindrannath Tagore, Jasmuddin and Jibanananda Das were born, Mamoon's eyes could not be otherwise but 'softened with passionate humanity'. Indeed, Mamoon's works reveal a heart that is shocked by terror, moved by the trail of sad memories, and yet resolved by the hope of

Tv GuidE

CHANNEL-i 7:00a.m. Songs 9:30 Ranga raas 10:50 Mega serial 11:20 Drama: Asroy 12:20p.m. Drama: Jatra 1:00 Amar Channel 2:00 Bangla feature film 5:05 Documentary

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Telequiz 9:40 10:00 Drama: Wrong number 10:30 Channel I News Special Magazine

Islamic prog:

ATN Music

12:00a.m. Channel I News

ATN BANGLA

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Children Magazine prog: Muskil Ahsan Mama ATN Bangla Evening News

Talk show: Face to Face Drama Serial: Jot Musical prog: Music Time ATN Bangla News Drama Serial: Aey Logone Musical Prog:

ATN Bangla News

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Bengali Feature film:

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10:00 VIII: Jason Takes Manhattan Gold Diggers: The Secret Of Bear

BBC WORLD

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BBC News World Business Report **BBC News** Business Report BBC News Asia Today/World **Business Report** BBC News Asia Today/Asia

The collapse of the South Tower

Business Report **BBC News** 10:30 World Business Report **BBC News** World Business Report

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2:00 2:30 **BBC News** Earth Report 4:00 **BBC News** 4:30 Asia Today/World **Business Report BBC News** Hardtalk

HALLMARK 01:00 a.m. Snow White Children Of Fortune 03:00 Sesame Street 05:00 06:00 Getting Out Voices From A The Young Riders Mr. Rock 'N' Roll: The Alan Freed 01:00p.m. Touched By An Angel VII

02:00 Sesame Street 03:00 Scholastic Clifford 03:30 Caillou 04:00 Early Edition Star Trek: Voyager 06:00 07:00 Paperback Hero Early Edition

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06:30 a.m. Bram Stroker's The Burial Of The Rats The Rugrats Movie Friday The 13th Part

Star Trek: Voyager

Moonshine Highway

Mountain Bad Bovs Weird Science Chameleon 2: Death Match

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STAR PLUS

STAR GOLD

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AXN TV

STAR MOVIES 02:30a.m. The Air Up There Outrageous Fortune Major League 8:00 D3: The Mighty

Bad Company

Keeping The Faith

Movie: Into Thin Air:

Death on Everest

VIP Millenium Man

Ripley's Believe It Or

VIP Millenium Man

Movie: Into Thin Air:

Death on Everest

The Green Hornet

The Immortal Deja

Beastmaster Veil of

Records: Primetime

Alias A Broken Heart

Mehboob Ki Mehindi

Bollywood Beats

Raampur Ka

Lakshman

Geet Bahar

Madhumati

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HALLMARK: 11:00 p.m. Moonshine Highway. It's the mid-1950s and small-town moonshine runner Jed Muldoon, carrying bootleg in his souped-up car, can outrun any federal agent over dangerous Appalachian Mountain roads. Meanwhile Muldoon, who earns some hefty cash for his efforts, is becoming seriously involved with Ethel

Film Toppers 12:00 Aai Ki Baat

STAR WORLD 7:00 Show

The Oprah Winfrey 8:00 Da Vinci's Inquest King of Queens 9:30 Dharma & Greg 10:00 Boston Public

11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show 12:00pm Everybody Loves Raymond 12:30 Becker Caroline In The City 1:00 1:30 The Bold & The Beautiful 2:00 Hollywood Squares 2:30 Family Ties 3:00 Baywatch 4:00 The Simpsons 4:30 Cheers 5:00 Star News Asia 5:30 Frasier 6:00 JAG 6:55 Star News Update 7:00 The Pretender 8:00 Law & Order 9:00 Frasier 9:30 JAG

Law & Order **STAR NEWS**

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Breakfast News English **Breakfast News** Hindi 8:30 Breakfast News

The Pretender

PICK OF THE DAY



Frankie and Johnny On HBO at 10:00 p.m.

Star Bazaar Hindi

Saat Baje Hindi

Star Khel

Tonight At 8

Star Samachar

Star Newshou

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A Greek restaurant in New York is about to become the setting for an unlikely but endearing romance between fresh-out-of-jail short-order cook Oscar-winner Al Pacino and waitress Michelle Pfeiffer, both unhappy with their lives but happy to find each other. But before the culinary romance goes full swing, the traditional game of playing hard-to-get goes full tilt. But it won't be long before he's giving her cooking tips while she reciprocates with Qtips, and they discover they're perfect for each other.

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NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC 6:30 Wild

Late Night [V]

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12:00am [V] Back To Back

7:30am Nat Geo Max Scientific American Frontiers People & Places 9:30 Dogs With Jobs 10:30 11:00 Human Edge 11:30 On The Edge 12:30pm N G Specials 1:00 Wild 2:30 Nat Geo Max 3:30 Sci-files 4:30 People & Places Human Edge

6:00 Mission Wild Dogs With John 6:30 7:00 Farth Pulse On the Edge 7:30 9:30 Nat Geo Max

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News in Bengali

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Top of the Tops 10:30 Bhagam Bhag 1:30 Babul Weekend Cinema 6:00 Hum Bhi Insan Hain

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ZEE MUSIC

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