

Premiere show of Hattima Tim Tim in city tomorrow

STAFF CORRESPONDENT
The premiere show of a juvenile multimedia C D titled 'Hattima Tim Tim' will be held in the city tomorrow. It will be followed by a discussion.
Manan Communications will organise the function at the National Press Club at 3.30pm.
Prof Abdullah Abu Sayeed will attend the function as chief discussant.
Poet Asad Chowdhury, Nurul Huda and Ali Imam will also take part in the discussion.

Qulkhwani

BSS, Dhaka
Qulkhwani of Advocate Alhaj Altuf Hossain, a senior member of Dhaka Bar, will be held at his Shyamoli residence on October 11 after Asr prayers.
On this occasion, Milad Mahfil and Quran khwani have been arranged.

Shun military means to resolve conflicts

Scholars, diplomats tell confce on politics and security in S Asia

UNB, Dhaka
An international conference on politics and security in South Asia got underway in the city yesterday with scholars and diplomats making a call in unison that the political leaderships should resolve conflicts in the region through effective dialogue and shun military means.
At the conference, the research scholars, experts and diplomats from SAARC countries, Germany and the United States singled out poverty as the biggest threat to security and secular democracy. They called for a joint strategy to fight it out.
Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs Minister Moudud Ahmed opened the three-day conference jointly organised by the Bangladesh institute of International Strategic Studies (BISS) and German Embassy in the city. Commissioner for the Dialogue of Civilisations of German Foreign Office Dr Gunter Mulack, former Chief Justice Mustafa Kamal, German Ambassador Dietrich Andreas and Director General of BISS Maj General SM Shabbuddin spoke at the opening session.
Analysing the nature of conflicts in South Asian countries, Moudud said that although religion plays an important role in the region and there have been frequent outbreaks of conflicts over religious issues, all governments in South Asia try to maintain peace and communal harmony.
"There has not been a single incident of communalism in the country even after serious religious violence in Indian State of Gujarat," he told the conference that underscored the imperative of building multiracial, multicultural and multilingual pluralistic societies for lasting peace and harmony.

About the impact of religion on different SAARC countries, Moudud said the rise of Shiv Sena and Hindu fundamentalism in India is a matter of concern for the countries which pursue secular state philosophy.
Focussing on the perils of mixing religion with politics, the minister pointed out that India detonated first nuclear bomb in May 1998 when Hindu fundamentalist BJP had already come to power.
In Pakistan, he said, slain Prime Minister ZA Bhutto once declared that Pakistan needs 'Islamic bomb' while Sri Lanka is torn by the conflict with the Tamil minority.
The Law Minister said religious and cultural conflicts between Nepal and Bhutan are also known to all.
"Bangladesh condemns fundamentalism and terrorism in any kind or form," he categorically said against the backdrop of ethnic and communal violence that only impedes the priority tasks of poverty alleviation and economic uplift.
For peace and development in the region, he said, the tension over nuclear issue and Kashmir disputes between India and Pakistan need to be discussed and resolved.
He said nuclear bombs possessed by India and Pakistan is "a threat to all of us and it created a new situation in the subcontinent".
About the war of words over Iraq, the Law Minister reminded that terrorism cannot be identified with Islam, a religion of peace and tolerance, as other speakers from home and abroad also struck a unanimity that it is politics in its deformities that is to blame for inciting religious violence.

"War on terrorism and war on Islam are not the same," he said, adding: "If terrorism is identified with Islam, it will be disastrous and it will have a dangerous consequence."
However, Moudud said, it is poverty that poses a paramount threat to all the SAARC countries and urged the participants to find out ways and means of defeating this multidimensional demon.

Orientation for ICMAB students

The Dhaka Branch Council of the Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Bangladesh (ICMAB) organised an "orientation programme" for the newly admitted students of ICMAB at the ICMA Auditorium in the city recently, says a press release.
ANM Ehsanul Huq Milon, State Minister for Education, was present as chief guest while AKM Nazrul Islam FCMA, Chairman of Dhaka Branch Council, presided.
Speaking on the occasion, the state minister appreciated the role of cost and management accountants in the present socio-economic context. He said that the professional accountants could contribute a lot to the development of the country.
Among others, President of the Institute Rafiq Ahmad FCMA, Vice-Presidents Abdur Rashid FCMA and AKM Delwer Hussain FCMA, Executive Director of the Institute Nazrul Hussain FCMA and Secretary of DBC Md. Mamunur Rashid FCMA also spoke on the occasion.



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Death anniversary
BSS, Dhaka
The second death anniversary of Dr Towhidul Anwar, former teacher of Dhaka University, and the former Director General of Press Institute of Bangladesh (PIB) will be observed today.
To mark the day, a Milad-Mahfil will be held after Magrib prayers at his residence at 59/H, Isha Khan Road, Dhaka University Residential Area.

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