

CULTURAL FEAS



Painting & Drawing

Exhibition of Quamrul Hassan

Title: Quamrul Hassan in Line and Colour
Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, Bengal Shilpalaya, House 275/F, Road 27, Dhanmondi
Date: September 20-October 4
Time: 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Painting Exhibition

Title: Conventional Abstract
Artist: Abdus Salam
Venue: Dots Contemporary Art Centre, 191/A, Haque Tower, Tejgaon-Gulshan Link Road, Tejgaon
Date: September 16-30
Time: 11:00 am to 8:00 pm

Musical Soiree

Title: "Gauner Jhama Tolae"
Artists: Aditi Mohsin (Tagore songs), Ferdous Ara (Nazrul songs), Ashit Dey (Classical vocal) and Shantanu (Santoor)
Organised by: UNESCO & Sadhona
Venue: Experimental Theatre, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy
Date & Time: September 19 at 7.00 pm

Display

Orchids of exquisite beauty

MAHMUDA AFROZ

No cultural event, marriage or ceremony is complete without flowers in Bangladesh. The culture of growing flowers for commercial purposes has been around for quite some time not to mention the culture of nurturing them purely for pleasure and delight. Keeping this in mind

the Orchid Society of Bangladesh recently organised a 3 day long orchid exhibition at the front lawns of the residence of Naseem Iqbal, president of the society. A walk around the garden saw an array of 20 different species of orchids which in turn had several hundred varieties each. The wild splashes of magenta, blue, red, pink, yellow and violet was refreshing for the mind and made one



An array of orchids on display

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but indulge myself and buy a whole lot."

The society's motto is to promote and motivate the members as well as the public in general towards orchid cultivation and its culture. According to Naseem Iqbal, president of the society, "Orchids are relatively new in comparison to roses and marigolds and other local flowers, but are gaining momentum. I would like to share the joy, inspiration, knowledge and the love for orchid with the rest of the world. I thank the participants, the enthusiasts, and the whole team for making this show a success."



First Kochi Memorial Award for Ferdausi Majumdar

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

The first Kochi Memorial Award was given to eminent theatre personality Ferdausi

Majumdar for her outstanding contribution to Bangla-deshi theatre.

The award was introduced by Padatik Natya Sangsad,

in memory of late theatre activist Abu Mohammad Murtaish Kochi. Kochi was one of the founding members of the troupe.

The ceremony was held at the Liberation War Museum on September 16.

In her speech Ferdausi said, "The award evoked mixed feelings in me. Every award is pleasing, but Kochi was younger to me that's why, the award is painful as he has passed away so early."

Professor Mustafa Nurul Islam was the chief guest while Selim Chowdhury, chief of Padatik Natya Sangsad, chaired the programme.

The other discussants at the event were Ramendu Majumdar, M Hamid, Golam Kuddus, and AM Mofazzal Hossain.



Ferdausi Majumdar receives the award from Professor Mustafa Nurul Islam

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Channel i rated top in an opinion poll

Channel i topped the list of an online opinion poll conducted by Bangladesh Cable TV Viewers Forum, says a press release. The poll's main focus was on the channels people watch the most. Channel i secured 1340 votes while ntv came second with 1337 votes and ATN Bangla was placed third with 1202 votes. The poll was conducted from May 15 to September 14.

People were also asked about their favourite programmes and opinions were sought on issues like nonbiased news, quality entertainment and the introduction of new channels. The Forum hopes to conduct polls from December 2006 through sms and other means to ensure more participation of people.



Ruba Khan and Monir Khan in *Dorpohoron*, a two-episode play in *Robindranather Golpoguchchho* series. The first episode of the play will be aired today at 8:20 pm on ATN Bangla

Channel Click



Ahmed Rubel and Kushum Sikder in drama serial *Ebong Somachar* to be aired today at 10:00 pm on Channel i. The play is written by Jamal Reza and produced by Fariduzzaman Srabon

TV GUIDE

All programmes are in local time. The Daily Star will not be responsible for any change in the programme.

News Bulletin

BTB
News Headlines (Bangla) at 8:55 am, 12:10 pm, 2:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 7:00 pm.
News (Bangla) at 8:00 am, 1:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 8:00 pm.
News (English) at 3:00 pm, 10:00 pm.
Late Night News (Bangla and English) 11:30 pm.
CHANNEL-i
News (Bangla) at 7:15 am, 9:00am, 2:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00pm, 10:30pm, 12:15 am.
Telecast of BTB news (Bangla and English) at 11:30 pm.
ATN BANGLA
News (Bangla) at 7:00 am, 10:00am, 2:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 10:00 pm, 11pm.
News (English) 8:20am, 7:00pm
Telecast of BTB News (Bangla and English) at 11:30 pm.
CHANNEL-i
09:30 Shongbad Potrey Bangladesh
09:45 Public Reaction
09:50 Grameen Phone
12:30 Aaj Dupurey O
01:05 Citycell Tarokothon
01:30 Dhakar Cinema
01:00 Muktagon
02:30 Ramizer Aina
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PICK OF THE DAY



Boro Didi
On Rtv at 9:20pm
Drama Serial
Cast: Alamgir, Tarin



The Woodsman
On Star Movies at 8:45pm
Genre: Drama
Cast: Kevin Bacon, Kyra Sedgwick, David Alan Grier

TARA BANGLA
News Headlines (Bangla) at 5:30pm, 7:30pm.
Tara News (Bangla) at 8:30 pm, 11:30 pm.
Tara News Bangladesh (Bangla) at 9:30 pm.
BBC WORLD
Every hour on the hour

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11:25 Din Dorpon
Rtv
09:30 Talk Show: Prio
Mukh
10:30 Wide Angle
11:00 Antarango Alap
12:05 Bishwa Jurey
01:00 Human Nature
02:30 Islamic Programme
03:40 Drama Serial: Aguntak
05:10 Tagore Song
06:00 Ajker Bangladesh
08:00 Drama Serial: Agantuk
08:50 Purush
09:20 Drama Serial: Boro
Didi
SONY

08:30 Shree Ganesh
Spiritual
09:00 Telebrands Tele
Shopping
09:30 Chartbusters Music
10:00 Music Mantra Music
11:00 Vaidehi Drama
11:30 Vaidehi Drama
12:00 Kaisa Ye Pyar Hai
Drama
12:30 Ek Ladki Anjaani Si
Drama
01:00 Thodi Khushi Thode
Gham Drama
01:30 Kabhie To Nazar Milao
Drama
02:00 Rishston Ki Dor Drama
02:30 Aisa Des Hai Mera
03:00
Matinee Movie -
Hindustan Ki Kasam
Movie
06:30 Music Beats Music
Chart Busters Movie
Based
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11:30 Khauffnaak Thriller/
Horror
STAR PLUS
08:30 Kyun Hota Hai Pyarr
09:00 V First Day First
Show-Starplu
09:30 Kumkum - Pyara Sa
Bandhan
10:00 V Trailers - Star Plus
10:30 Shaka Laka Boom
Boom
11:30 Karm Apna Apna
12:00 V Trailers - Star Plus
12:25 Bolly V - Star Plus
12:30 Resham Dankh
01:00 Kasauti Zindagi Kay
01:30 Kumkum - Pyara Sa
Bandhan
02:00 Bhabhi
02:30 Kesar
03:00 Saarthi
03:30 Kyunki Saas Bhi Kabhi
Bahui Thi
04:00 Kahiin To Hoga
04:30 Karm Apna Apna
05:00 Prithviraj Chauhan
05:30 V Trailers - Star Plus
06:00 Mum Tum Aur Hum
06:30 Brandy And Mr.
Whiskers
07:00 Buzz Light Year Of
Starcommand
07:25 Bolly V - Star Plus
07:30 Hatim
08:30 Pyar Ke Do Naam
Ekdradhaekshyam
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Bahui Thi
11:30 Kahiin To Hoga
12:00 K.Street Pali Hill
HBO

10:00 Night of the Demons 2
12:00 Code Name: Wolverine
02:00 Love Don't Cost a
Thing
04:00 Darklight
05:45 American Ninja 3
Blood Hunt
07:30 Rambo III
09:30 50 First Dates
11:30 Exorcist: The Begin-
ning
STAR MOVIES
08:30 The Triangle - Ep. 03
10:00 Noel
11:45 Elektra
01:30 Shark Attack
03:00 Armageddon
05:30 Good Boy!
07:00 Never Been Kissed
08:45 Woodsman, The
STAR WORLD
08:30 Cheers
09:00 The Drew Carey Show
09:30 The Oprah Winfrey
Show
10:30 Ncis
11:30 J.A.G.
12:30 Law & Order: S.V.U.
02:30 Criminal Minds
03:30 Oprah Winfrey Show
The Bold And The
Beautiful
04:30 General Hospital
05:30 Monk
06:30 The Simpsons
07:00 Cheers
07:30 Friends
08:00 Seinfeld
08:30 My Wife And Kids
09:00 Everybody Loves
Raymond
10:30 Yes Dear
10:00 Miss World 2006
10:30 Wild Card
11:00 Seinfeld

12:00 Friends
DISCOVERY CHANNEL
08:30 Wild Discovery
09:30 Discovery's Biggest
Shows
10:30 Terror Strikes
11:30 Need For Speed
12:30 Body Story
01:30 Wild Discovery
02:30 Detective Stories
03:30 Mystery Hunters
04:00 Energy In Action
04:30 Wild Discovery
05:30 Myhbusters
06:30 Extreme Machines
07:30 Wild Discovery
08:30 History In Colour
09:30 Sci-Fi Zone
10:30 Extreme Engineering
11:30 FBI Files
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC
08:00 Wws
08:30 Nat Geo Junior
10:30 The Living Edens
11:30 Nat Geo Encores
12:30 Sunday Night Special
02:00 Explorations
02:30 Monkey Business
03:00 Go Wild With Hutch
03:30 Ng Investigates
Terrorism
04:30 Dino Week
05:30 Nat Geo Junior
06:30 Ng Investigates
Terrorism
07:30 Untamed
08:30 Nat Geo Investigates
09:30 Air Crash Investigation
10:30 Air Hijack
11:30 Night On The Wild