

CULTURAL FEAST

Musical Soiree
Venue: W.V. Auditorium, 27 Dhanmondi, Dhaka.
Date: August 13
Time: 6:30 pm

Solo Art Exhibition
Title: Selected Graphics and Drawings 1949-2007
Artist: Murtaja Baseer
Venue: Galleri Kaya, House 20, Road 16, Sector 4, Uttara

Solo Sculpture Exhibition
Title: Dual Contraction
Artist: Tejosh Haldar Josh
Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, House 275/F, Road 27 (old), Dhanmondi

International day of the World's Indigenous People 2007 Celebration
Organiser: Bangladesh Adivasi Odhakar Andolon & Bangladesh Adivasi Forum

German Film Week
Organiser: Chalachitram Film Society & Goethe-Institut Bangladesh

August 12
3:00pm Anansi
4:30pm Bungalow
6:00pm Klassenfahrt
7:30pm Heart Over Head

August 13
3:00pm Urban Guerrillas
4:30pm Ghettokids
6:00pm Berlin is in Germany
7:30pm Kroko

August 14
3:00pm Fickende Fische
5:00pm Schultze Gets the Blues
7:00pm Good Bye, Lenin

August 15
3:00pm Lichter
5:00pm The Miracle of Bern
7:00pm The Ninth Day

"Mastermoshai": Documentary on Santosh Gupta premiered

AHSAN HABIB
ESTEEMED journalist, writer and columnist Santosh Gupta inspired the people in all progressive movements, including the Liberation War in 1971. He inspired the people through his writings at times of national transition and difficult days of the country.



Litterateur Selina Hossain speaks at the programme
views with Sardar Fazlul Karim, Foyez Ahmed, Pranesh Shomaddar, Kazi Madina, Abul Hasnat, Nini Wahed, Monaeam Sarker and Santosh Gupta's wife Gauri Gupta.

ing a song of meditation, Tumi nirmolo koro mongolo kore, molino mormo muchhaye. A discussion participated by professor Kabir Chowdhury, journalist Foyez Ahmed, Nishat Jahan Rana and litterateur Selina Hossain was also held. The programme was presided over by Monaeam Sarker. Kabir Chowdhury described him as a courageous and secular individual of integrity.

An evening of rain songs by Nibedon

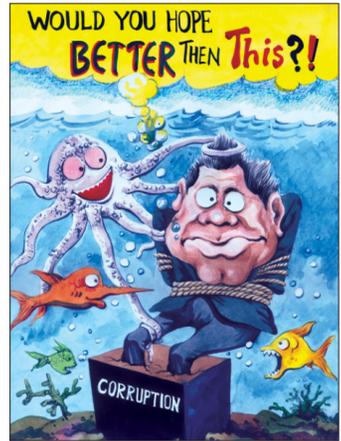
Cultural organisation Nibedon arranged a programme titled Shatoborshe Borshar Gaan at Natmandol, Dhaka University recently, to celebrate the rainy season. The programme featured songs on rain, composed during the period of 1900-2000. Veteran artist Imdad Hossain, noted lyricist Rafiquzzaman and journalist Kamal Lohani were present at the event.

Songs of D.L. Ray, Atul Prasad, Nazrul and songs of yesteryears popularised by Pranab Ray were also presented at the programme. The artists then went on to perform a Salil Chowdhury classic Aai bristi jhepey, Shah Abdul Karim's Dewya korchhey megh meghali, Sudhin Das Gupta's Nach mayuri nachre and more. Anup Bhatyacharya, Biswajit Ray, Mahuya Rahman, Nilotpal Sadhya, Farhana Akhter and others participated at the show.



An artiste performs at the programme

Cartoons against corruption



The first and second prize entries at the cartoon competition

Sadatuddin Ahmed. The other winners were Mamun Hussain, Nargis Akhter Punom, Shahana Nargis, Shubho Das, Tariq Shafullah, Shafiqul Azam Chowdhury, Syed Qamrul Ahsan Tommo. Arifur Rahman, the first prize winner, showed a worm-eaten tree and a huge jar of large worms in his cartoon. He wanted to say that when all corrupt people are found behind bars the country will finally prosper.

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT
The prize giving ceremony for the "Cartoon Contest against Corruption", organised by The Daily Star, was recently held at the National Press Club. Mahfuz Anam, editor, The Daily Star, speaking at the occasion, said that the media plays a strong role in the drive against corruption.

achieved through them. Writer Salina Hussain said that the cartoons impressed her immensely. Lt Gen (ret'd) Hasan Mashhud Chowdhury, Chairman, Anti Corruption Commission, said that the fight against corruption was a vital one and the endeavour of the young cartoonists ought to be to sustain the struggle.

Docu-drama "Ontoraler Kotha" on Channel-i tonight



A scene from tonight's episode of Ontoraler Kotha

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Docu-drama Ontoraler Kotha will be aired tonight on Channel-i at 6:15 pm. Based on women's issues, this episode will feature the case study of Mila.

shop owner of old Dhaka, is a school student. On her way to school, a neighbour's son Bijoy often taunts her along with two friends. One day Bijoy and his friends abduct her and lock her up in a nearby club. Later, Mila's father informs at the nearest police station. While Bijoy is absconding, his family members are arrested. Ultimately, Bijoy's father hands him over to the concerned authority.

German Film Week at Goethe Institut begins

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A five-day film screening session titled "German Film Week" with the slogan 'enjoy a diverse and versatile mix of the recent-release German films' began yesterday at the Goethe Institut. The festival, featuring films by the German contemporary filmmakers, continues from August 12 to August 16.

Aishwarya's wax model to be unveiled in New York

PTI, New York
After her 'namaste' to London, Bollywood actor Aishwarya Rai is coming to New York. The Madame Tussaud's museum at Times Square will launch Ash's incredibly life-like wax model on August 15 when India celebrates its 60th year of independence. The unveiling ceremony has been scheduled on Indian Independence Day as demanded by the actor's fans in the city.



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ON AIR

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.

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World Roundup
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Maa O Shishur Kotha
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Shobar Jonno Cinema

Programme
Citycell Tarokakothon
Ebong Cinemar Gaan
Shangbad Potrey
Bangladesh
Maa O Shishur Kotha

PICK OF THE DAY
Kath Koylar Chhobi
On ATN Bangla at 8:00pm
Drama Serial
Cast: Tauquir Ahmed, Fazlur Rahman Babu

The Fast and the Furious
On Star Movies at 7:00pm
Genre: Action
Cast: Vin Diesel, Paul Walker

STAR PLUS
09:30 Kumkum - Pyara Sa Bandhan
10:00 V Trailers - Star Plus
10:30 Ducktales
11:00 Gool Troop
11:30 V Trailers - Star Plus
12:00 Meri Awaz Ko Mil Gayi Roshni

STAR MOVIES
10:00 Die Another Day
12:15 Frank McKlusky, C.I.
14:45 Quest Of The Dragon: A Kung Fable
16:35 Blessed
18:00 Home Alone 2: Lost In New York
19:30 The Fast And The

FM radio
Radio Foorti
07:00am Hello Dhaka (Apu)
11:00am Amar 98.4 (Nusrat)
03:00pm Dhaka Calling (Sakib)
07:00pm Seven Eleven (Sadia)
11:00pm Late Night Show (Shuvo)