

Cultural activists hold a candlelight vigil at Shaheed Minar in Chittagong yesterday to pay homage to martyred intellectuals.

SUMAN KILLING

Boy among three suspects held

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A boy, aged about eight, along with two youths was sent to jail in the port city yesterday for his alleged involvement in the murder of Suman Das that took place on December 9.

The boy was identified as Moktar Hossain while the other arrestees are Sabuj, 20, and Selim, 21.

Sources said police arrested them after chasing a group of suspected criminals at Lalkhan Bazar Ishpani Intersection at around 2:00am.

During primary interrogation, Sabuj and Selim confessed to their involvement and said Moktar was an aide who used to inform them of potential victims.

Although police claimed Moktar to be an adolescent, he appeared to be a little younger.

Police produced Sabuj and Selim under CrPC and Moktar under juvenile code before the Metropolitan Judicial Magistrate Court at around 5:00pm yesterday. Sub-Inspector Ibrahim, also the Investigation Officer of Suman Das murder case, said, "We arrested Moktar since he and a few other boys of the neighbouring slums had records of abetting criminal activities in and around Ishpani Intersection."

Moktar was taken to custody and he might be tried under Juvenile act, he added.

Unidentified muggers stabbed

Suman Das, 24, an employee of NM Plastic, near Lalkhan Bazar Ishpani Intersection at around 9:00pm on December 9.

He succumbed to his injuries at Chittagong Medical College Hospital (CMCH).

Children join Surf Excel Daag Utsab

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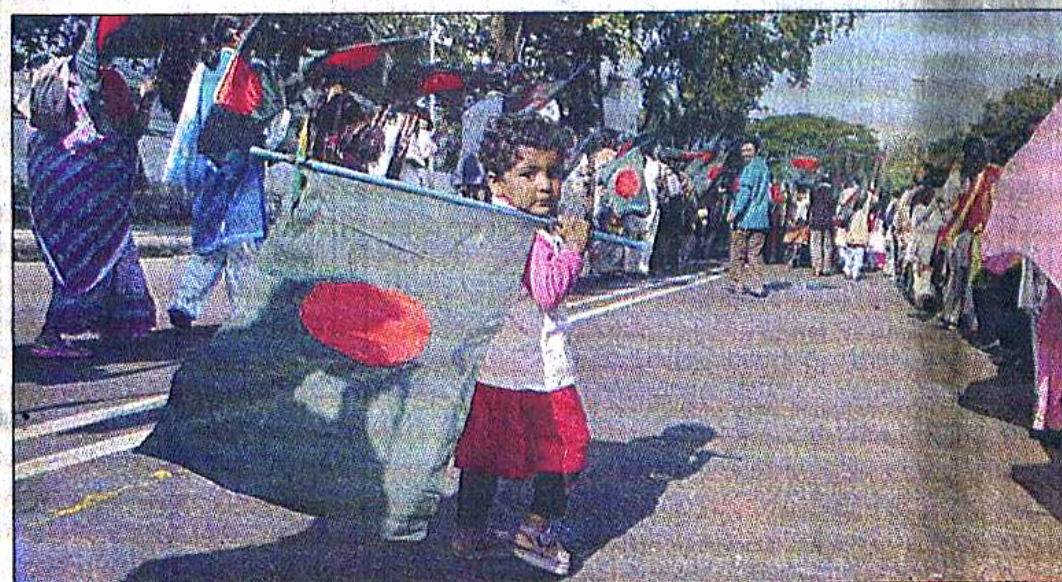
Children celebrated the Surf Excel Daag Utsab, an innovative activation campaign, at Dhaka Residential Model College yesterday amid much enthusiasm.

Over 3,000 students, aged 6 to 12, from 20 city schools took part in 15 fun games under three zones -- Red, Blue and Orange -- in two sessions.

Surf Excel, a brand of Unilever Bangladesh Ltd, organised the programme in association with Market Access.

Sarbendra Das, senior executive, Service Marketing Department of Market Access, told The Daily Star that they have organised the programme with a view to promoting creativity among children.

The programme also aims to promote cognitive development of the children.



A little girl carries a national flag during a procession in the city yesterday. An organisation styled as 'Bikhhubdha Deshbasi' (aggrieved citizens) took out the procession to mark the Victory Day.

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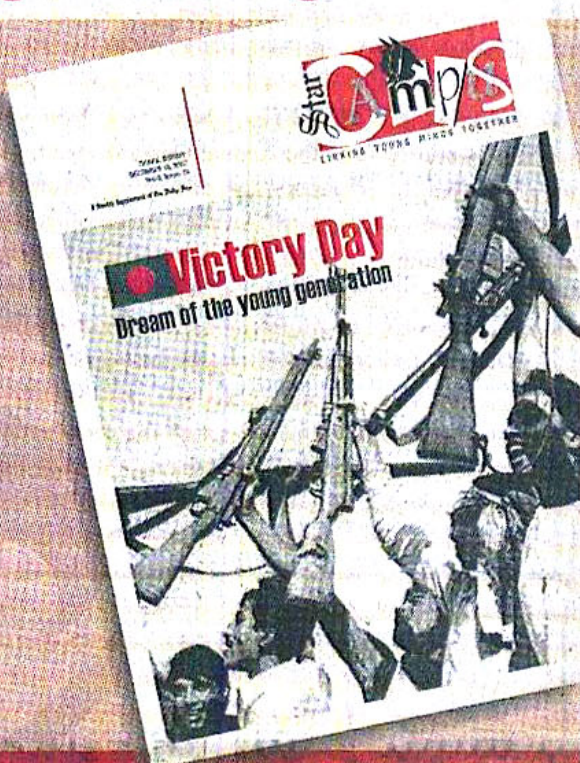
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Children take part in a game at the Surf Excel Daag Utsab at Dhaka Residential Model College yesterday. Surf Excel, a brand of Unilever, Bangladesh Ltd, organised the event.

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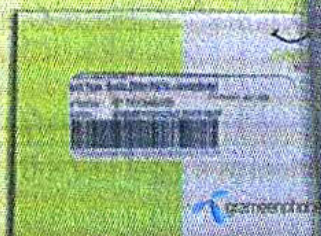
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