

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

### Photography Exhibition

**Title:** Beyond the Dream  
**Photographer:** Sraon Reza  
**Venue:** La Galerie, Alliance Francaise, 26 Mirpur Rd, Dhanmondi  
**Date:** June 6-19



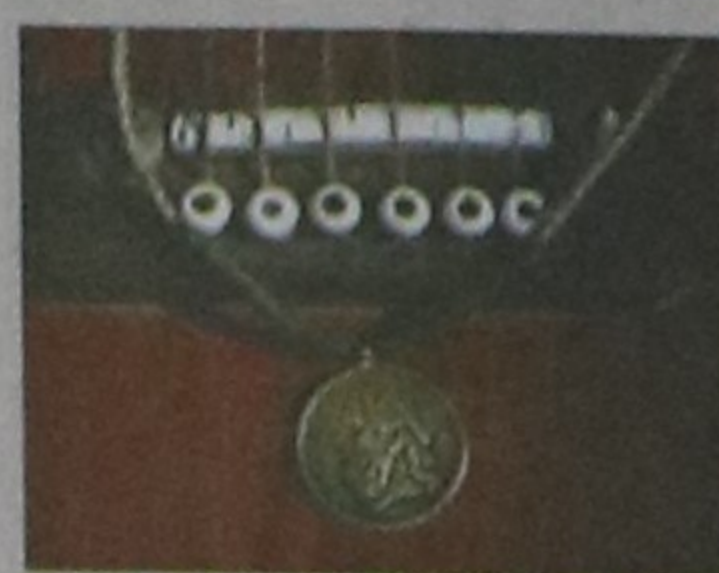
### Painting Exhibition

**Artist:** Abdul Aziz  
**Venue:** Galerie Zoom, Alliance Francaise, 26 Mirpur Rd, Dhanmondi  
**Date:** June 19-July 2



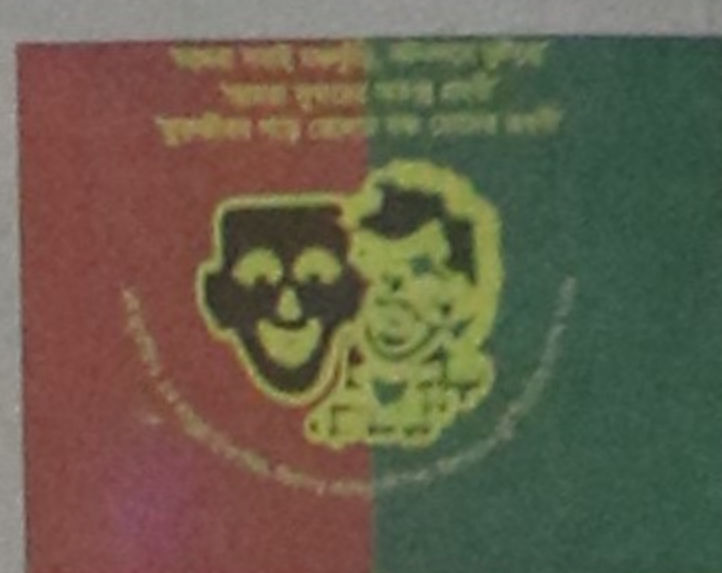
### Ornaments Exhibition

**Title:** Aadi  
**Venue:** Words 'n Pages, 125 Gulshan Avenue, Gulshan 2  
**Date:** June 14 - June 21  
**Time:** 5:00pm - 8pm



### Theatre Camp for Children and Adolescents

**Organiser:** People's Theatre Association and Rehal  
**Venue:** Shaukat Osman Auditorium, Central Public Library, Shahbag  
**Date:** June 6-20  
**Time:** 10am onwards



## Promising artistes present Tagore and Nazrul songs

Discussants urge for talent hunt at national level



An artiste sings at the programme

ERSHAD KAMOL

To promote the young Tagore and Nazrul singers of the country, Department of Dance and Music, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy (BSA) organised a two-day programme at the Dance and Music Centre. The programme began on June 9.

On the opening day, 18 promising singers performed Rabindra Sangeet and yesterday 24 singers rendered Nazrul Sangeet.

On the selection process, the officials of the department informed that they requested the

leading music schools to recommend the names of their best young artistes. Based on the recommendations from the gurus, the promising singers were invited. The department also considered applications of the young Tagore and Nazrul artistes who are enlisted with Bangladesh Betar and BTV.

Secretary to the Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism, Syed Muhammad Zubair, inaugurated the programme. Eminent musicologist Dr. Karunamaya Goshwami was the discussant and Sunil Chandra Das, director of Department of Dance and

Music, delivered welcome speech. The discussion was presided over by Secretary, BSA Ashraf Mosaddeq.

Claiming the programme as a talent hunt initiative by BSA, Sunil Chandra Das in his welcome speech said, "This initiative aims to promote talented new artistes and we will consider these singers for other programmes at national level."

Appreciating the BSA initiative, Dr. Karunamaya Goshwami said, "I hope the programme will introduce a good number of talented young singers."

Dr. Goshwami also suggested, "BSA should take such programmes at the district levels as well. To develop the potential of these singers, BSA should arrange diploma courses on classical music, as the genre is the base."

Dr. Goshwami had some words of advice for the young singers as well: "The young artistes should practice devotedly, with focusing on the meanings of Rabindra and Nazrul Sangeet."

The chief guest's speech reflected Dr. Goshwami's words. Syed Muhammad Zubair, also focused on the necessity of arranging talent hunts at the district level.

The Secretary of BSA said, "We will submit a proposal to the government to initiate a talent hunt all over the country."

The discussion was followed by presentations of Rabindra Sangeet. Young singers rendered Rabindra Sangeet from "prem" and "prakriti" porjaye.

## "Brishti Tomaye Dilam"

Debashish Biswas' latest directorial venture



CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

The premiere of *Brishti Tomaye Dilam*, a one-hour TV play, was held at the Bengal Gallery, Dhanmondi recently. Written and directed by Debashish Biswas, the play is an adaptation of a story by Indian filmmaker Rituparno Ghosh.

The plot revolves around Amit and Nandini. They are in love but due to unfortunate events they have to part ways. Eventually, Nandini is married off to an affluent man and Amit goes on to finish his education. The plot takes a complicated turn, when one afternoon, Amit goes to Nandini to ask for financial assistance for his sister's marriage. Meeting after years, Amit is not able to admit his actual reason for the visit, and neither is Nandini able to disclose her present state of life. The story proceeds on as the two relive their memories and share their dreams and happy moments.

The soon to be aired play features Fazlur Rahman Babu, Shajal and Arifa Hossain Tania in the lead roles.

Shajal and Tania have played the lead roles in *Brishti Tomaye Dilam*



## "Munnabhai" wins Indian National Award

The 54th National Film Awards for the year 2006 were announced recently at Sashtri Bhavan in New Delhi.

Priyadarshan's Malayalam film *Pulijanam*, bagged the award for the Best Film while Bollywood director Rajkumar Hirani's *Lage Raho Munnabhai* was adjudged the Best Popular Film providing wholesome entertainment. Director Madhur Bhandarkar won the Best Director award for his film *Traffic Signal*.

Best Hindi Film went to debutant director Dibakar Bannerjee's hit film *Khosla Ka Ghosla*. Tamil actress Priyanka won the Best Actress award for her performance in Ameer Sulthan's *Paruthiveeran* and Bengali actor Soumitra Chatterjee, who declined the Special Jury award in 2001 following a controversy about a partisan jury, won the Best Actor award for his role in Suman Ghosh's *Podokkhep*.

Soon after the awards ceremony, jury member and filmmaker

Rahul Dholakia spoke to CNN-IBN about the many controversies that have been plaguing the National Film Awards.

"There are always some favourites, but the majority has ensured that no agenda is pushed through. I am very happy that the lines between art cinema and commercial cinema has blurred and we are talking about good and bad cinema," he said.

Source: Internet



Vidya Balan and Sanjay Dutt in *Lage Raho Munnabhai*



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

## On Air

### News Bulletin

**BTV**  
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. (To be telecast on all Bangla channels).  
**CHANNEL-1**  
News (Bangla) at 7:15 am, 9:00 am, 2:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 9:00 pm, 10:30 pm, 12:15 am.  
**ATN BANGLA**  
News (Bangla) at 7:00 am, 10:00 am, 2:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 10:00 pm, 11 pm, News (English) 8:20 am, 7:00 pm.  
Latest News (Bangla) at 9:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.  
**CHANNEL 1**  
News (Bangla) at 8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 2:30 pm, 6:30 pm, 7:30 pm, 10:00 pm, 12:30 am.  
**BANGLAVISION**  
News (Bangla) at 7:30 am, 1:30 pm, 5:00 pm, 7:15 pm, 10:30 pm.  
News Headlines (Bangla) at 10:00 am, 12:00 am, 4:00 pm.  
News (English) at 6:00 pm.  
**Rtv**  
News (Bangla) at 10:15 pm, and 12:15 am.  
**ntv**  
News (Bangla) 7:30 am, 12:02 pm, 2:00 pm, 7:30 pm, 10:30 pm, 1:00 am.  
**ETV**  
News (Bangla) 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 9:00 pm, 11:00 pm.

### BTV

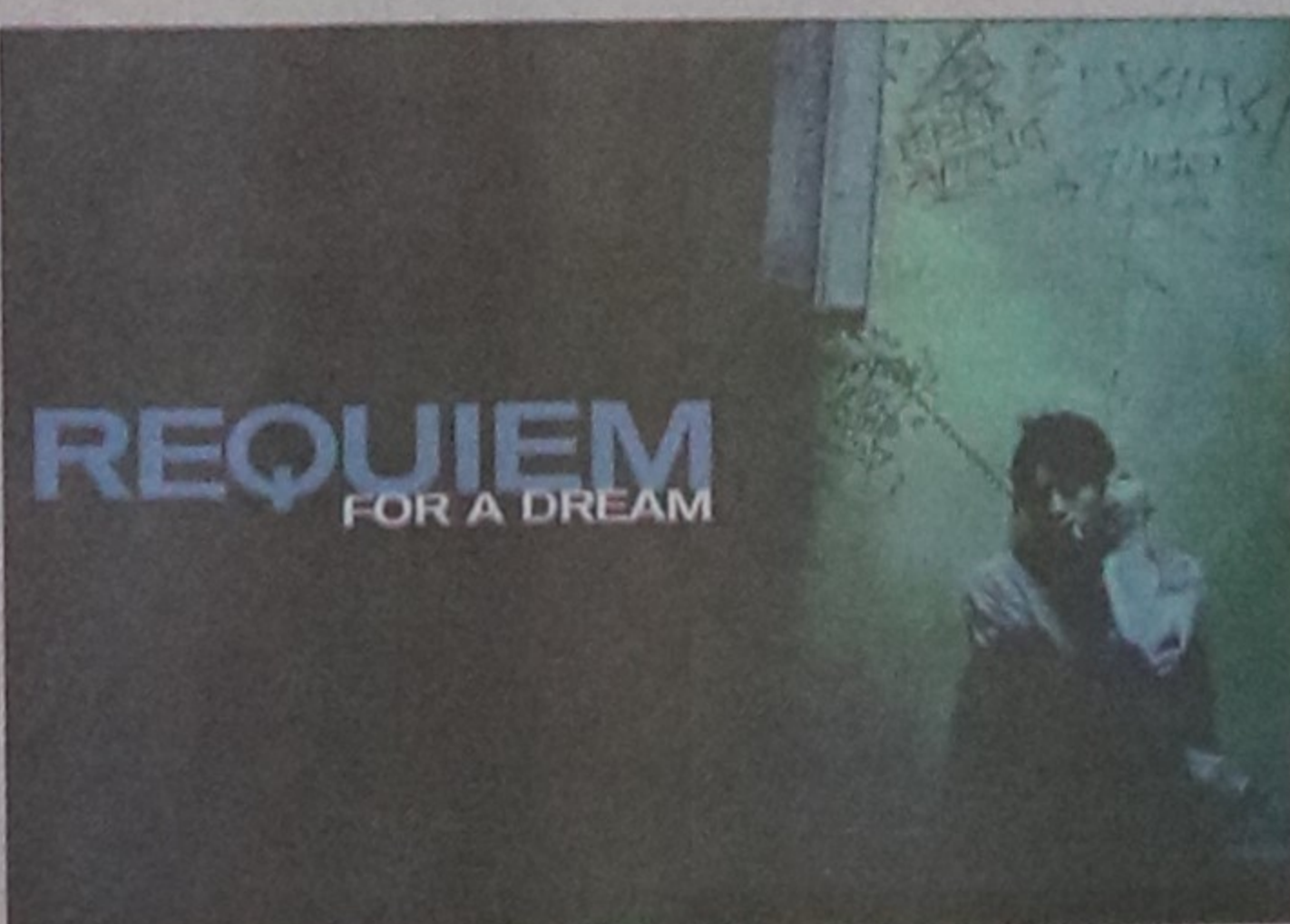
08:45 Pakhikh Barta  
09:30 Smritimoy Geetimoy  
10:30 Quiz Quiz  
11:30 Drama Serial: Kon Gram-er Meye  
12:00 Ma O Shishur Kotha  
01:00 Anushilan  
03:00 Cartoon  
03:30 Shukri Poribar  
04:05 Mon-er Katha  
04:30 Geet Bitan  
05:05 Prescription  
05:30 Shilpo O Shahityo  
06:15 Quiz Quiz  
07:00 Laukik Bangla  
07:20 Drama Serial: Bhala Achhi Bhala Theko  
08:35 Drama Serial: Ghor Kanta  
09:15 Drama Serial: Kon Gram-er Meye  
10:30 Shornal Shondha  
11:00 Talk Show  
**ATN BANGLA**  
08:15 Aker Shangbadpoto  
08:30 Drama Serial: Syed Barir Bou  
09:15 Selected Programme  
09:50 Shada Moner Manush  
10:30 Talk Show: Onyodrishti  
11:05 Chirokai Chirodin  
12:15 IT Zone  
01:30 Musical Programme: Band View  
02:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House  
03:15 Drama Serial: Rupai Manush  
03:45 Children Programme: Neel Gir  
04:20 Islam Ki Boley Aamra Ki Kori  
05:10 Islamic Programme  
05:40 Talk Show: Proshongo  
06:20 Health Based Programme: Take Care  
08:00 Drama Serial: Master Da Shurjo  
08:35 Drama Serial: Bagh Bondi  
09:00 Drama Serial: Raangila Bao  
10:45 Shada Mon-er Manush  
**CHANNEL-1**  
09:30 Shangbadpoto Bangladesh

09:45 Public Reaction  
09:50 Grameenphone Tritomatra  
11:05 Sports Time  
12:30 Talk Show: Citycell Tarokathan  
01:05 Ebong Cinemar Gaan  
01:30 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma  
02:35 Ekattur er Dinguli  
03:05 Channel1 Shera Kontho'08  
04:30 Apnar Sushathyo  
05:30 Mukhti Juddho Protidin  
06:00 Mega Serial: Sati Goenda  
06:20 Cookery Show: Desh Bideshey Ranna  
07:50 Shera Radhuni 1414  
08:20 Jibon Jekhaney Jemon  
09:35 Drama Serial: Dolnik Tolpaar  
10:00 Drama Serial: Zero Point  
11:30 Musical Programme: Citycell Sa 2 Sa  
12:00 Grameenphone Aker Shangbadpoto  
**ETV**  
08:30 Ekush-er Shokaal  
09:15 Drama Serial: Tomtom  
10:30 Ekush-er Business  
12:00 Ekush-er Dupur  
12:30 Ekush-er Business: Special Focus  
01:30 Ekush-er Business: Shophol Jara  
02:30 Drama Serial: Dur-er Manush  
03:30 Cine Hits  
04:00 Shurothaal  
04:30 Protikriti  
05:30 Sms Maina  
05:45 Ekush-er Shondhya  
06:30 Desh Jurey Shanglap  
07:45 Ashar Chor  
08:15 Talk Show: Tini  
09:30 Drama Serial: Tom Tom  
10:00 Golpo Sholpo Gaan  
10:50 Financial Bulletin  
11:40 Ei Shoplaho  
12:00 Ekush-er Raat  
**Rtv**  
08:40 Musical Programme: Sangeet Onyon  
09:00 Rtv Exclusive  
09:05 Prodin  
09:35 Prio Mukh  
10:03 Drama Serial: Chhaya Sangi  
11:00 Taroka Alap  
11:30 Drama Serial: Aguntaak  
12:15 Cookery Show: R-Ranna  
12:35 Musical Programme: Shur-ey Shur-ey Path Chola  
01:00 Gaanchil Eidin  
01:30 Dhallywood Beats  
02:30 Bangla Feature Film  
06:00 Prodin  
06:30 Wedding of the World  
08:00 Drama Serial: Aguntaak  
08:35 Talk Show: Drishtikon  
09:20 Drama Serial: Rupar Mudra  
11:00 Travel Show: Prithibi Pothey

Pothey  
11:30 Biz Event  
12:00 Editor's Comment  
**ntv**  
08:30 Aker Shokaal



**Tomtom**  
On Ekush TV at 9:30 pm  
Drama Serial  
Cast: Tony Diaz, Romana



08:55 Drama Serial: Eit Kach-er Khacha  
09:30 Crime Watch  
10:05 Gallery

10:30 Musical Programme: Music Jam  
11:30 Golpo Kothar Natak  
12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy  
01:05 Japan Video Topic  
02:30 Drama Serial: Eit Kaanch-er Khacha

07:00 ntv deshey deshey  
08:15 Cookery Show: Siddiqua Kabir's Recipe  
09:00 Kichhu Katha Kichhu Gaan  
09:45 Drama Serial: Neer  
11:30 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy

**Radio Foorti 88.0 FM**  
07:00am Hello Dhaka  
11:00am Amar 88  
03:00pm Dhaka Calling  
07:00pm Seven Eleven  
12:00am Back to Back music  
**Radio Today 89.6 FM**  
07:15am Good Morning Dhaka  
11:00am Masti Unlimited  
01:00pm Today's Adda  
04:00pm U-turn  
08:00pm Tobe Tai Hok  
11:00pm Raat Vor Gan  
02:00 am Back to Back

**Requiem for a Dream**  
On Zee Studio at 11:00 pm  
Genre: Drama  
Cast: Ellen Burstyn, Jared Leto, Jennifer Connelly

**BANGLAVISION**  
08:30 Street Show: Raat Biraaley  
09:00 Children's Programme: Ebong Class-er Bailey  
09:30 Bangla Feature Film  
02:00 Drama Serial: Mohanagar  
03:05 Daily Soap: Gulshan Avenue  
04:20 Drama Serial: Swapno Chura Cinebit  
05:30 Citycell Din-er Sheshoy  
06:20 Pran-er Gaan  
06:50 Nana Ronger Dinguli  
08:25 Daily Soap: Mohanagar  
09:05 Home Care  
09:45 Drama Serial: Gulshan Avenue  
11:25 Media Bhuvan

12:00 Shongbad Protidin  
**CHANNEL 1**  
08:40 Shuprobhaat Bangladesh  
10:30 Bangla Feature Film  
03:30 Drama Serial: Moyur Bahon  
04:00 Drama Serial: Mon Baari  
04:30 One Glamour  
05:15 Shamprotik  
06:30 Saaj Bela  
07:00 Padmarag  
08:15 Drama Serial: Char Bioscope  
09:00 Drama Serial: Mon Baari  
09:30 Expression  
11:00 One Sports  
**BOISHAKHI**  
08:35 Documentary Programme  
10:05 Quraan-er Alokey  
10:30 BSB Cambrian Challenge  
12:05 Drama Serial: Kanch Ghar  
12:30 Drama: Shesh Chithi Porey  
04:00 Baishakhi Tak Jhal Misti  
05:00 Cartoon  
07:30 Arshiley Aami  
09:00 Drama  
10:30 Business Hour  
HBO  
08:30 Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby  
10:45 The House Next Door  
12:30 Fire Serpent  
02:30 V For Vendetta  
05:15 Red Riding Hood  
06:45 The Making Of Happy Feet  
07:15 Happy Feet  
09:30 The Lake House  
11:30 Perfect Stranger  
**STAR MOVIES**  
12:00 Bean  
01:30 There's Something About Mary  
03:30 Fargo  
05:15 Dragonfly  
10:00 Conan The Destroyer  
08:45 Speed 2  
10:50 Venom  
**STAR PLUS**  
11:00 Prithviraj Chauhan  
02:00 Hamam Devrani  
02:30 Karam Apnaa Apnaa  
03:00 Chhasthi  
03:30 Kyunki Saas Bhi Kabhi Bahu Thi  
06:00 Raja Ki Aayegi Baraat  
06:30 Bidai  
07:00 Hamam Devrani  
07:30 Sangam  
08:30 Raja Ki Aayegi Baraat  
09:00 Kis Desh me Hai Meri Dill  
09:30 Bidai  
10:00 Kasur  
**STAR WORLD**  
11:30 According To Jim

12:00 Two And A Half Men  
12:30 Seinfeld  
01:00 Friends  
01:30 Northern Exposure  
02:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show  
03:30 The Bold And The Beautiful  
04:00 General Hospital  
06:00 Family Guy  
06:30 Two And A Half Men  
07:00 Growing Up Gotti  
07:30 Friends  
08:00 Seinfeld  
08:30 That '70s Show  
09:00 Hope And Faith  
09:30 Ghost Hunters  
10:30 Bones  
11:30 Most Shocking  
**NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC**  
12:30 Naked Science  
01:30 Is It Real?  
02:30 Packs  
03:30 The Secret Heart  
04:30 I Didn't Know That  
05:00 Snake Wranglers  
05:30 Big Bang  
06:30 Croc Chronicles  
07:30 Mangrove Maneaters  
07:30 Killer Canines  
08:30 The Secret Heart  
09:30 Inside  
10:30 Made In China  
11:30 The Secret Heart  
**THE HISTORY CHANNEL**  
11:30 Eye Max  
11:45 Swama Heera  
12:00 Dent King  
12:15 Dent King  
12:30 From Here to Eternity  
01:30 The First Dogfighters  
02:30 Battle of Berlin  
03:30 Rookie Challenge  
04:30 Cold Cuts  
05:30 Alexander Graham Bell  
06:30 From Here to Eternity  
07:30 Witches  
08:30 Breakfast Tech  
09:30 Secret Pagan Underground  
10:30 The First Christians  
11:30 The First Dogfighters  
**ZEE STUDIO**  
10:30 Honey I Shrunk The Kids  
12:30 PUnder Suspicion  
03:00 Third Wave  
05:30 Harle Chaplin  
06:00 Hollywood's 10 Best  
06:30 Heroes Shed No Tears  
09:00 Americano  
11:00 Requiem For A Dream