

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

### Folk and Classical Dance

**Organiser:** Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy  
**Venue:** National Music and Dance Centre, BSA  
**Date:** June 18-19  
**Time:** 7pm



### Documentary Screening

**Title:** Jean Rouch Retrospective  
**Organiser:** Zahir Rahman Film Society  
**Venue:** Alliance Francaise, 26, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi  
**Date:** June 18-20, June 19  
**Time:** "Chronicle of a Summer" at 10am, "The Lion Hunters" at 5pm, "Little by Little" at 6:20pm, "Mosses Mosses" at 7:50pm



### Solo Exhibition

**Title:** The Limitless Luminosity of Lines  
**Artist:** Saifuddin Ahmed  
**Venue:** Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, H 275/F, Rd 27 (old), Dhanmondi  
**Date:** June 23-July 13  
**Time:** 12pm-8pm



### Photography Exhibition

**Title:** Child Rights in Action  
**Venue:** Drik Gallery, H 58, Rd 15 A (new), Dhanmondi  
**Date:** June 19-25  
**Time:** 3pm-8pm  
**Opening:** Today at 4:30pm



## "Dhaka Amar Dhaka": Aiming at a brighter future

FAYZA HAQ

Rabul Hossain, poet and architect, speaking at the programme "Dhaka Amar Dhaka", held on June 17 at Bengal Gallery Café, said, "Dhaka as a capital city was established in 1610, to protect Bengal from the invading Portuguese pirates." He said that our different traditional *melas* could be celebrated with more fervour in the following two years as Dhaka turns 400 years old. He added that our problems should be pointed out to the city's policymakers.

Sagor Lohani said, "Dhaka definitely needs to be improved. We should take pride in it as people have done while celebrating 300 years of Kolkata. Local poets and artists have been drawn to help in this project." "The celebrations," Lohani said, "will begin in July this year with a carnival that will begin from Bahadur Shah Park and end at the Parliament building premises. This will include palanquins, horse-drawn carriages and traditional costumes. There will also be elephants, *bajra* (large boats) and a railway engine model."

Lohani said the project hoped to print books on poems, paintings, photographs and other aspects of lifestyle pertaining to Dhaka. They also plan to have painting, fashion and photographic exhibitions along with a book fair and food festival. The Asiatic Society will be helping in this context. The plan also includes planting of saplings and cleaning of the neighbourhood.

Kamal Lohani added that intellectuals like Professor Kabir Chowdhury, Rabul Hossain and Mustafa Nurul Islam were drawn to make the project a success.

Professor Kabir Chowdhury said, "For 400 years we will have functions keeping the past, present and future of Dhaka in mind. We hope to involve school and university students in various activities. We plan to have programmes like film festivals, carnivals, food fairs etc."

Speaking to *The Daily Star* on the occasion, artist Hashem Khan said, "Dhaka is not the city one expected it to grow into. Many cities have developed around a river as Dhaka has round Buriganga. Those living in



(L-R) Professor Kabir Chowdhury, Mustafa Nurul Islam, Professor Rafiqul Islam and Professor Zillur Rahman Siddiqui at the programme

Dhaka before and others settling down here later are not aware of the pitfalls of the lack of adequate planning. Even the rules of the city planners are not being carried out fully. It is time that one came to the rescue of Dhaka."

Hashem Khan also pointed out that the Buriganga water is polluted; the water level for the city has gone down; large trees have been chopped down and there is little room for necessary parks for the increasing population.

Another noted artist, Murtaja Baseer said that he has been in Dhaka since his birth, like many others, and misses the beauty that he saw around him in his childhood. "In his youth," Baseer said, "Dholaikhal was like some canal in Venice. Places like Noyabazar and Bangshal were once places of leisure. Dhaka, to me, is dying."

Faiz Ahmed, journalist and writer, said, "To me Dhaka is more beautiful than

Kolkata, London or San Francisco. However, it has not flourished, as it should have due to political reasons, in my belief. There have been people in the past like individuals from the Dhaka Nawab Bari who have contributed to its expansion."

"The British set up some schools and places of education but little else; after Partition, the growth in Dhaka was only at a provincial level," said Faiz Ahmed.

## Special effects pioneer Stan Winston passes away

Oscar-winning special effects expert Stan Winston, who created the creatures in films including "Aliens" and "Jurassic Park", has died at the age of 62.

Winston, who also made the robots in "Terminator", died at home in California surrounded by family last Sunday.

The film veteran had been battling multiple myeloma, a plasma cell cancer, for seven years, a representative of the Stan Winston Studio said.

He had worked with Steven Spielberg, James Cameron and Tim Burton.

During his 40-year career, he became a pioneer of merging real-world effects with computer imaging.

California governor and former "Terminator" star Arnold Schwarzenegger said: "The entertainment industry has lost a genius, and I lost one of my best friends."

"Stan's work and four Oscars speak for themselves and will live on forever."

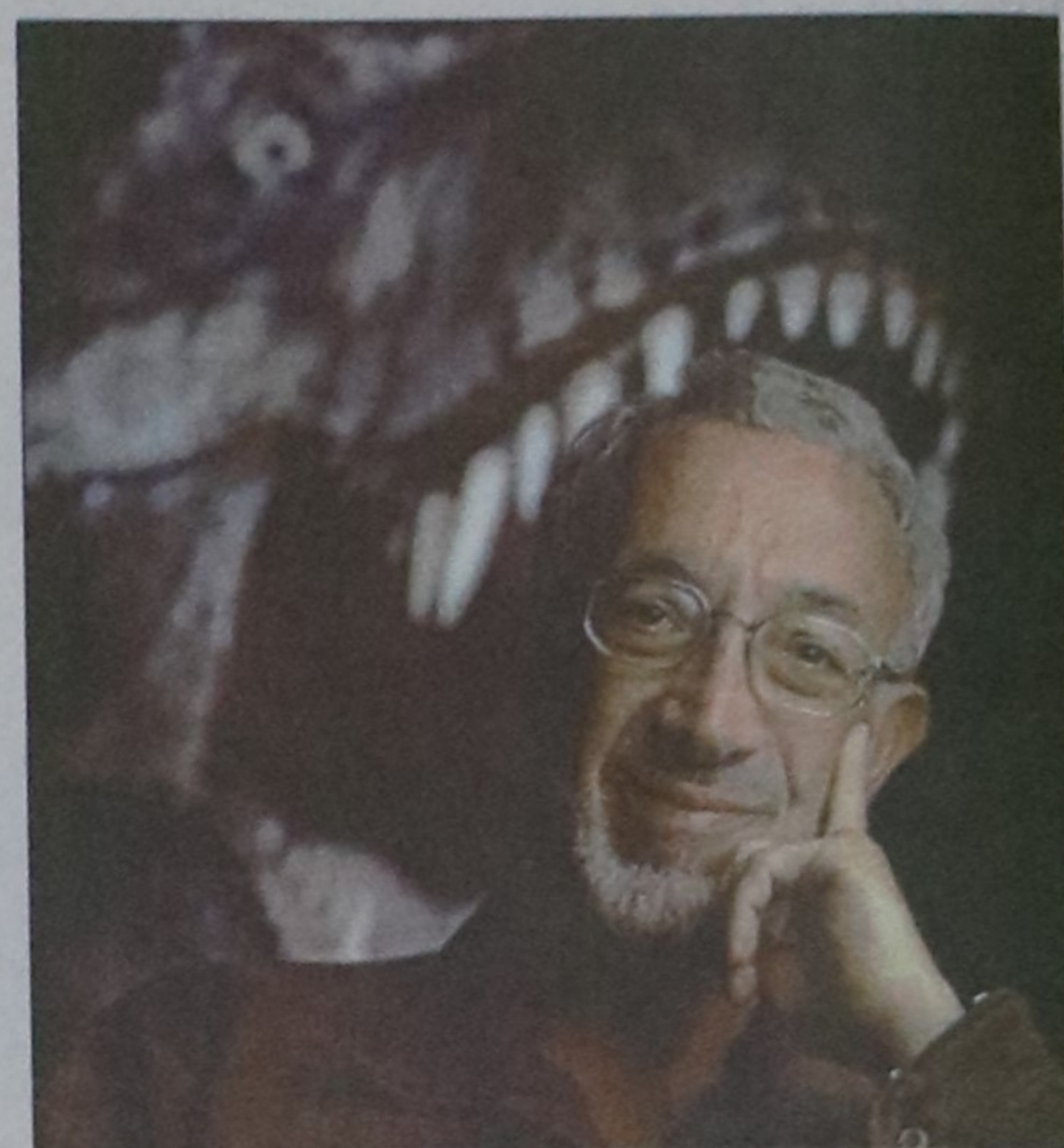
"What will live forever in my heart is the way that Stan loved everyone and treated each of his friends like they were family."

Winston won Oscars for his work on "Aliens", "Terminator 2: Judgment Day" and "Jurassic Park".

He also received Oscar nominations for "Batman Returns", "Edward Scissorhands", "The Lost World: Jurassic Park", "A.I.", "Predator" and "Heartbeeps".

Winston had recently worked on director Jon Favreau's box office success "Iron Man", starring Robert Downey Jr and Gwyneth Paltrow.

Favreau said: "He was experi-



enced and helped guide me while never losing his childlike enthusiasm.

"He was the king of integrating practical effects with CGI, never losing his relevance in an ever-changing industry."

The director added that he was proud to have worked with Winston and had been looking forward to future collaborations.

Winston's most recent film projects included "Terminator Salvation: The Future Begins", "G.I. Joe", "Shutter Island" and the futuristic "Avatar", for which he reunited with "Aliens" director James Cameron.

Cameron paid tribute, saying: "He ran at full throttle, in both work and play, and was a man of kindness, wisdom and great humour."

Winston grew up in Virginia, where he enjoyed classic horror films, drawing and puppetry.

He graduated from the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, in 1968 and tried his hand as an actor before gravitating towards working behind the scenes.

He completed a three-year make-up apprenticeship at Walt Disney Studios in 1972.

Source: BBC



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, 9:00am, 2:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00pm, 10:30pm, 12:15 am.

**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.

**CHANNEL-1**  
Latest News (Bangla) at 9:00 am, 1:00pm, 3:00 pm, 4:00pm, 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.

**CHANNEL-1**  
News (Bangla) at 8:00am, 12:00pm, 2:30pm, 6:30pm, 7:30pm, 10:00pm, 12:30am.

**BANGLAVISION**  
News (Bangla) at 7:30am, 1:30pm, 5:00pm, 7:15pm, 10:30pm.

**CHANNEL-1**  
News Headlines (Bangla) at 10:00am, 12:00am, 4:00pm, 7:00pm, 10:00pm.

**Rtv**  
News (Bangla) at 10:15pm, and 12:15am.

**ntv**  
News (Bangla) 7:30am, 12:02pm, 2:00pm, 7:30pm, 10:30pm, 1:00am.

**ETV**  
News (Bangla) 1:00pm, 3:00pm, 5:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00pm, 11:00pm.

### ATN BANGLA

08:15 Aker Shangbadpotro  
09:15 Rang Manchoy Taal  
10:30 Talk Show: Onyodrishti  
11:10 Antorjati Bangali  
12:15 Musical Programme: Shur-er Madhuri  
12:45 Shopoghuri  
01:30 Cinema Cinema  
02:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House  
04:10 Debate Programme: BSB  
05:00 Gram Gorjei Khobor  
05:20 Islamic Programme  
06:20 Shobaar Jonyo  
08:00 Drama Serial: Mouchakey Dhi  
08:40 Drama Serial: Nupur  
09:20 Drama Serial: Amader Nurul Huda

11:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House  
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

**CHANNEL-1**  
09:30 Shangbadpotre Bangladesh  
09:45 Public Show: Grameenphone  
09:50 Tribomatra

11:05 Selected Programme  
12:30 Citycell Taroka Kathan  
01:05 Ebong Cinema Gaan  
01:30 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma

02:35 Football Match: Brazil vs Argentina  
03:05 Agricultural Programme: Hridoye Mati O Manush  
04:30 Educational Programme: FM Method

05:30 Mukijudho Protidin  
06:00 Amar Chhobi  
06:30 Talk Show: Shikhar Chalcitro  
07:50 Cookery Show: Shera Radhuni 1414

09:35 Drama Serial: Doinik Tolpaar  
10:00 Drama Serial: Agun-er Alo  
11:30 Musical Programme: Citycell Sa 2 Sa

12:00 Grameenphone Aker

### ETV

08:00 Aker Potrikay  
08:30 Ekush-er Shokhaal  
09:15 Drama Serial: Tomtom  
10:00 Ekush-er Business  
10:30 Drama Serial: Tomtom  
11:00 Ashar Chor  
12:00 Talk Show: Tini  
05:45 Ekush-er Shondha  
06:30 Desh Jurey  
07:45 Ekush-er Chokh  
08:30 Drama Serial: Pontibi  
09:30 Ta Na Na Na  
10:10 Bauler Deshey Baula Desh  
10:50 Financial Bulletin  
12:00 Ekush-er Raat

### Rtv

08:40 Musical Programme: Saangel  
09:00 Orjon  
09:30 Drama Serial: Aguntaak  
10:00 Health Show: Heart Beat  
10:30 News Update  
11:00 Kingfisher Taroka Alap  
11:30 Just Band  
12:00 Mad In Bangladesh  
01:30 Dhallywood Beats  
02:30 Bangla Feature Film  
06:00 Proidin  
06:30 Cartoon  
08:00 Japito Jibon  
08:30 Griho Sholi  
09:20 Drama Serial: Lukochuri  
11:00 Drama Serial  
11:30 Biz Event  
12:00 Editor's Comment

### ntv

08:30 Aker Shokaal  
08:55 Drama Serial: Eit Kaanch-er Khacha  
10:05 ntv Shamoeki  
10:30 Drama  
12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy  
12:30 Cartoon  
01:05 Drama Serial: Eit Kaanch-er Khacha  
03:15 Drama Serial: Teen Purush  
03:50 Drama Serial: Neer  
05:30 Chetonaeye Islam  
06:15 Shubho Shondha  
06:45 Amaro Gailey Ichhey Holo  
08:15 Drama Serial: Swapno Jaal  
09:00 Glamour World  
09:45 Tero Kahon  
11:35 Ei Shomoy

### BANGLAVISION

08:30 Drama Serial: Swapnochura  
09:00 Talk Show  
10:10 Agamir Kontho  
11:35 Nana Rang-er Dinguli

12:30 Home Care  
02:30 Cookery Show: Confidence Salt  
03:05 Amader Ranna Ghar  
04:20 Daily Soap: Gulshan Avenue  
05:30 Musical Programme: Pran-er Gaan  
06:05 Talk Show: Top Story  
06:05 Citycell Din-er Sheshey  
06:20 Children's Programme: Ichchhey Ghun  
06:50 Musical Programme: Shur-er Bhubon

08:25 Drama Serial: Shomudro Jol  
09:05 X Crime  
09:45 Daily Soap: Gulshan Avenue  
11:25 Bengali Music Unplugged  
**CHANNEL 1**  
10:30 Bangla Feature Film  
02:00 One Sports  
03:30 Drama: Char Bioscope  
04:00 Drama: Mon Bari  
05:15 Selected Programme  
06:00 Saaj Bela

07:00 Shuk Tara  
08:15 Drama: Out of Network  
09:30 The One  
11:00 Proshno Uttar  
**HBO**  
09:00 The Making Of Over The Hedge  
09:45 V For Vendetta  
12:30 The Animal  
02:15 A Scanner Darkly  
04:15 Rest Stop  
05:45 Blade Squad

### THE HISTORY CHANNEL

10:30 Alexander The Great  
11:30 Eye Max  
12:15 Dent King  
01:30 Istanbul  
03:30 Gun Kills of Vietnam  
04:30 80's Tech  
05:30 The Sailing Racers  
06:30 Nero  
07:30 Brewed in America  
08:30 ET Tech  
09:30 Classic Albums  
10:30 Ice Road Truckers  
11:30 Jesus' Jerusalem  
12:30 Real UFOs

### STAR WORLD

10:30 That 70s Show  
11:00 Hope And Faith  
11:30 Scrubs  
12:00 Two And A Half Men  
01:30 Northern Exposure  
02:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show  
03:30 The Bold And The Beautiful  
04:00 General Hospital  
05:00 Desperate Housewives  
06:00 Family Guy  
06:30 Two And A Half Men  
07:00 Growing Up Gotti  
07:30 Friends  
08:00 Seinfeld  
08:30 The It Crowd  
09:00 Jake In Progress  
09:30 30 Rock  
10:00 Scrubs  
10:30 Beauty And The Geek  
11:30 Most Haunted

### ZEE STUDIO

11:15 To Be Or Not To Be  
01:40 Problem Child 2  
03:30 Arahana  
05:30 Hollywood's 10 Best  
06:00 Lion Vs Lion  
08:30 Pinocchio  
11:00 Hot Shots II Part Deux

### STAR PLUS

11:00 Pritviraj Chauhan  
12:00 Raja Ki Aayegi Baraat  
01:30 Kunkum - Pyara Sa Bandhan  
02:00 Hanpan Devrani  
02:30 Karan Aghaa Agnaa  
03:00 Gihasti  
03:30 Raja Ki Aayegi Baraat  
04:00 Bidai  
04:30 Haman Devrani  
05:00 Sangam  
05:30 Santaan  
06:00 Raja Ki Aayegi Baraat  
06:30 Kis Desh Me Hai Meraa Dil  
07:00 Bidai  
07:30 Kasturi  
08:00 Kahaani Char Char Ki

11:00 Kyunki Saas Bhi Kabhi Bahu Thi  
11:30 Kayamath  
12:00 Saibaba

### ESPN

11:30 NBA Finals 2007/08 6  
02:00 17th Sultan Azlan Shah Cup 2008  
03:30 Premier League World  
04:00 Planet Speed 2007/08  
04:30 NBA Action 2007/08 34  
05:00 India Down Under Programme 9  
05:30 UEFA Euro 2008 23  
09:30 UEFA Euro 2008 - Daily Highlights 12  
10:30 Sportscenter India  
11:00 Sportscenter Asia  
11:30 India Down Under Programme 9  
12:00 UEFA Euro 2008 - Pre-Show  
12:45 UEFA Euro 2008: Portugal vs Germany

### STAR SPORTS

09:30 Wimbledon Official Film 2004  
10:30 Engine Block 2008  
11:00 2008 US Open Golf Championship Highlights  
12:00 Guinness 9-Ball Tour 2008, Genting  
01:30 Max Power 2008/2009  
02:00 Sports Max  
03:00 UEFA Euro 2008 24  
06:00 FIA World Rally Championships 08/09 - Daily Highlights  
06:30 World Team Cup  
07:30 Game  
08:00 Roger Federer - Spirit Of A Champion: The Man  
08:30 Soccer Cities  
09:00 Wimbledon Official Film 2005  
10:00 Score Tonight  
10:25 Beijing Dreams Interstitial 07/08  
10:30 Golf Focus 2008  
11:00 IRB Sevens World Series 2007/08  
11:30 Samsung Super League With FEI 2008

### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

11:15 Telemail- Sauna Belt  
11:30 Inside  
12:30 Lord Of The Rings On Stage  
01:30 Vegas Comes To China  
02:30 Night  
03:30 Ultimate Skyscraper NYC  
04:30 I Didn't Know That  
05:00 Snake Wranglers  
05:30 Big Bang  
06:00 The Morelet's Last Refuge  
06:30 Brat Camp China  
07:30 Built for the Kill  
08:30 Shanghai Super Tower  
10:30 NGC HD Showcase  
11:30 Shanghai Super Tower  
12:30 NGC HD Showcase



Shomudro Jol  
On Banglavisian at 08:25 pm  
Drama Serial  
Cast: Shajol, Bonna Mirza



Poseidon  
On HBO at 09:30 pm  
Genre: Thriller  
Cast: Josh Lucas, Kurt Russell, Emmy Rossum

07:30 Blankman  
09:30 Poseidon  
11:30 Dance With Me

### STAR MOVIES

12:00 Vip Access  
12:30 Jerry Maguire  
02:45 Breaking And Entering  
04:45 Count Of Monte Cristo  
07:00 Inspector Gadget  
08:20 It's A Boy Girl Thing  
10:00 Hot Shots 2  
11:30 Incident At Loch Ness