

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

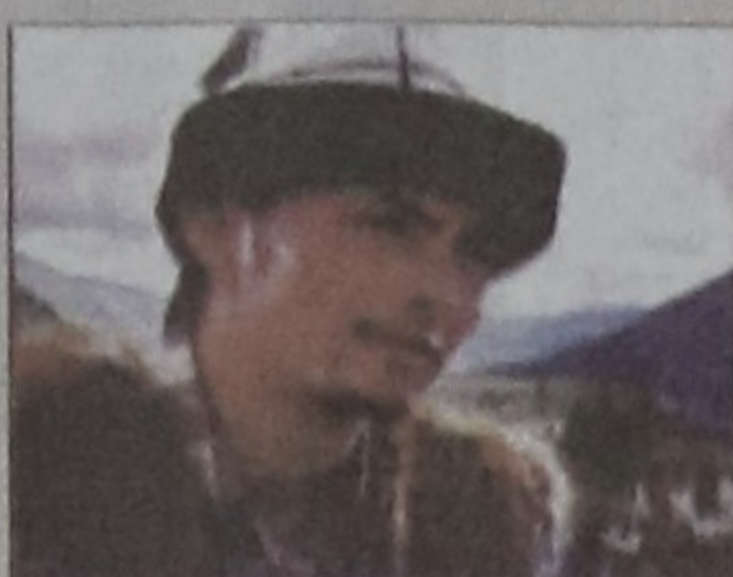
### Solo Musical Soiree

Artist: Samina Dey Umi  
Venue: Bengal Shilpalay, H 275/F, Rd 27 (old), Dhanmondi  
Date: August 11  
Time: 7pm



### Chinese Film Week

Organiser: Dept. of Chinese Language, Language Institute of DU and China-Bangladesh Youth Organisation  
Venue: Auditorium, Language Institute, DU  
Date: August 9-15  
Time: 6pm everyday  
Today: "Beautiful Homeland"



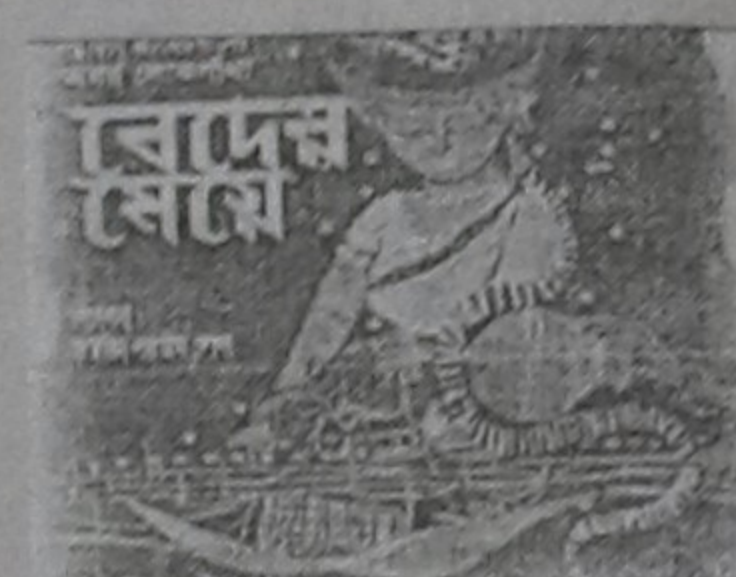
### Photography Exhibition

Title: Indigenous Women in Bangladesh  
Photographer: Mahmud  
Venue: Drik Gallery, H 58, Rd 15A (New), Dhanmondi  
Date: August 7-13  
Time: 3pm-8pm



### Theatre

Play: Beder Meye  
Troupe: Padatic Nattya Sangsad, TSC, Dhaka  
Venue: Mahila Samity Auditorium  
Date: August 11



## Nature and lifestyle in the frame

### Int'l Inter University Photography Exhibition '08

JAMIL MAHMUD

"International Inter University Photography Exhibition (IUIPE)" is one of the most anticipated events for the amateur, student photographers. North South University Photography Club (NSUPC) has been arranging the event annually since 2003, highlighting photographs taken by university and college students from home and abroad. In this year's exhibition -- held at the National Art Gallery, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy from August 3 to 9 -- 47 universities from 13 countries participated. The exhibition featured 502 photographs by 201 photographers.

The competitive exhibition featured 35 awards in different categories. The entries were categorised according to two mediums -- Colour and Black and White. Subcategories were Landscape, Portrait, Lifestyle, Architecture, Action, Still life and Nature. Apart from these, three awards were given in the "Photo Story" category. A panel of judges including eminent photographers of Bangladesh selected the award winning works.

The participants represented 30 Bangladeshi universities including NSU, Dhaka University, Jahangirnagar University, Rajshahi University, BUET, CUET, Shahjalal University of Science and Technology, Khulna University, East West University, AIUB, Stamford University and BRAC University and 17 foreign universities in Australia, Canada, Egypt, England, Germany, India, New Zealand, Pakistan, Scotland, South Africa and USA.

A number of photographs, displayed at the exhibition, depicted human activities involving water,

like fishing, boating, bathing in the river, and washing equipments on the riverside. Some of the photographs also highlighted nature like raindrops on a leaf or rain over the river.

Easel Mortuza and Ismail Hossain Ferdous' (both from East West University) first prize-winning photographs in the Lifestyle (B & W and colour respectively) category highlight life in the water. The panoramic photograph by Easel features a serene moment, where a boatman tries to manoeuvre his little boat. Ferdous' aerial view captures the riverine life.

The first prizes in Landscape category -- colour and B&W respectively -- went to Nadi Abrar Haque (University of Ottawa, Canada) and Md. Farhad Rahman (Bangladesh College of Leather Technology). Abrar took an aerial snap of sea-shore, while Farhad's photograph depicts a pastoral view.

Md. Mubeenul Haq Khan (BRAC University) won in the Portrait category (B&W). Zubin Faisal (University of Nottingham, England) won in the same category (in colour). Avijit Nandy (DU) received the first prize in Nature (colour) category.

Towfiq Hossain (NSU) and Ashraful Awa Mishuk (DU) received first prizes in Action (B&W and colour respectively) category.

A series of pictures taken by Sheikh Rajibul Islam (BUET), highlighting a circus troupe, received the best Photo Story award.

Channel i, daily Shamakal, Radio Foorti and bdnews24.com were the media partners of the event.



(B&W, Landscape) 1st Prize winner by Md. Farhad Rahman, Bangladesh College of Leather Technology, Bangladesh.



Winner of 1st prize (Colour, Lifestyle) by Ismail Hossain Ferdous, East West University, Bangladesh.



The 1st Prize (B & W, Action) winning work by Towfiq Hossain, North South University, Bangladesh.

## Fundraiser for a mother

### Concert at TSC

MAINUL HASSAN

On August 9, TSC auditorium, Dhaka University (DU) was packed to its full capacity as students and teachers came together to attend a grand musical event titled *Mayer Jonyo Gaan*.

The event organised by "Dhaka Bishwabidyalya Paribar" was a fundraiser for Hamida Begum, mother of Abdullah Al Rafi Shakil, a student of Philosophy, DU. Shakil is the only child of his parents.

"My mother has been always there for me whenever I needed her. She has been the source of my greatest inspirations, my teacher, my mentor, my best friend and more, I have no one else but her," said Shakil.

A teacher of Fulbari Girls' High School, Hamida Banu is currently undergoing treatment at Delta Hospital, Mirpur. She has been diagnosed with breast cancer. According to the doctors, the estimated cost of her treatment is around Tk 4 lakh, a sum her family cannot manage to come up with.

Dr S.M.A. Faiz, Vice Chancellor, DU along with Dr Harun-ur-Rashid, Dean of Arts Faculty and others inaugurated the event at 2:30 pm.

The first artiste to perform was Subir Nandi. Subir Nandi sang four songs -- *Din jay katha thakey, Tomar path-er paney, Tumi nirmolo koro* and *Pritibity prem bole kichhu nei*.

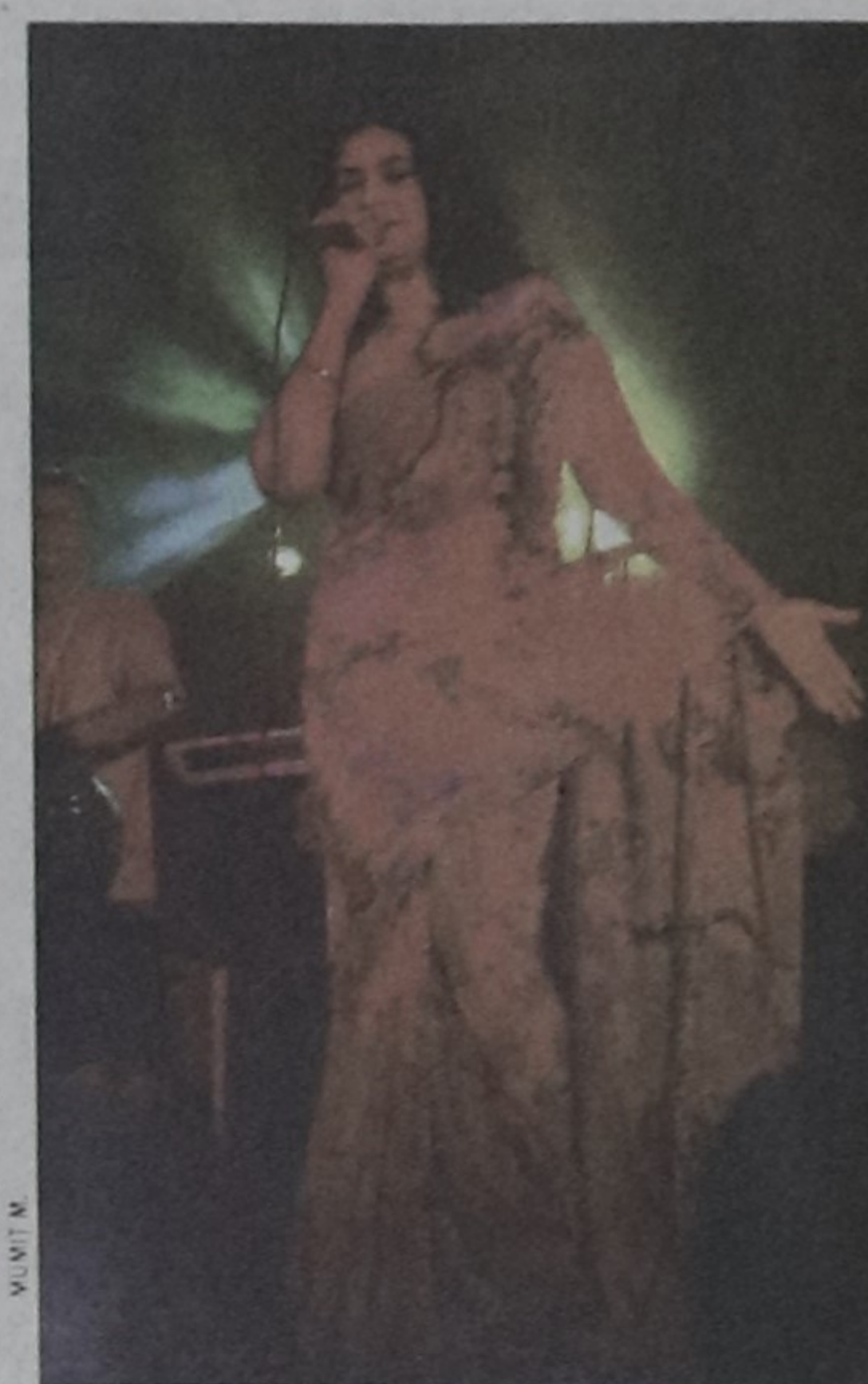
The band *Bedouin* opened its performance with a cover of the popular Elton John song *Sacrifice*. Other songs performed by the band included *Swapno urey swapno norey, Laal shirt and Chhaya manob*.

Next on stage was *Mohakaal*. The band performed *Tumi bole chhile amar haat dhorey, Camellia haatey ei shondhaye, Kuashaye dhaka ei shohor* and *Ekla durer path dhorey*. Their performance was followed by *Prometheus*.

Sisters Samina Chowdhury and Fahmida Nabi both performed at the concert.

Samina opened her performance with the recent popular song *Shontoy jeno katey na*. Other songs rendered by Samina included *Bhalo lagey chaand, Oi jhinuk photo, Kobita porar prohor* and *Amaye deko na*. Samina also performed songs on special request from the audience including the classic *Shat bhai champa*. Samia said, "Now there is cure for breast cancer if detected at the early stages." The artiste's mother was also a patient but has completely recovered.

Singer Agun performed *Ei jaala ar praney, Baba bole chhey chheley naam korbey* and other popular songs.



Samina Chowdhury sings at the concert.

Next on stage was the band *Raaga*. Performance by the band included covers of classics *Moina go, Amaye proshno korey* and their original compositions *Brishti, Ahoban* and *kothaye*.

Fahmida Nabi, a former student of Philosophy, DU, became very emotional during her performance. She prayed for the quick recovery of Shakil's mother. Performance by Fahmida Nabi included the hit number *Lukochuri lukochuri golpo, Mon-e ki porey na, Akash hobo* and *Duer dwip bashini* from the movie *Daruchini dwip*.

The event wrapped up with a performance by Artcell (the first performance by the band in 4 months).

The daily Prothom Alo and Radio Today were media partners of the event.



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 Bangladesh 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, 8:30 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 7:00 pm, and 10:00 pm.

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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 World Roundup  
09:05 Talk Show  
09:30 Musical Programme: Smritimoy Geetimoy

10:30 Dance Programme: Tarana  
11:30 Drama Serial: Neel Konthey Koriya

12:10 Ei Amar Bangladesh  
12:30 Shukhi Poribar

01:00 Selected Programme  
01:30 Baanshuri

02:15 Prangon  
02:40 Kira Diganto

03:05 Cartoon  
03:30 Jibon-er Jonyo

04:30 Dance Programme: Nityer Nityer Taley Taley Debate

05:05 Matri Shamakal  
06:15 Shondhamaloti

07:00 Bazar-er Bag  
07:25 Krishi Dibanshi

08:35 Band Show  
10:30 Talk Show: Date Line Dhaka

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05:10 Health Show: Square Hospital Shushtho Thakun  
05:45 Genetic Business Week  
06:20 Documentary Programme: Ashay Pasher Manush  
08:00 Drama Serial: Swapno Mongol  
08:45 Smile Show  
11:30 Talk Show: Jey Katha Keu Boteni  
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

09:35 Drama Serial: Central Mental Hospital  
10:00 Drama Serial: Phirey Dekha  
11:30 Drama Serial: 69  
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News  
**ntv**  
08:30 Aker Shokaal  
08:55 Drama Serial: Amar Bou Shob Janey  
09:30 Shomporko

09:00 Agamir Kontho  
10:10 Drama Serial: Mondo Bhalo Shada Kalo  
10:40 Sports Vision  
11:35 Musical Programme: Pran-er Gaan  
12:30 Shur-er Kathan  
02:00 Daily Soap: Mohanagar  
02:30 Talk Show: Aamar Ami  
03:05 X Crime

Gaaney  
08:15 Drama Serial: Moyur Bahon  
09:00 Nongor  
09:30 Young Craze  
11:00 Stop n Rock  
**BOISHAKHI**  
08:05 Din Protidin  
10:05 Bangla Feature Film  
01:00 Business Hour  
02:35 Ek Tara

09:35 Drama Serial: Mon Niye  
**HBO**  
08:15 Blood Brothers  
10:15 Christine  
12:30 Freedom Writers  
03:00 Regarding Henry  
05:15 Two For Texas  
07:15 Greedy  
09:30 Gndiron Gang  
12:00 Big Love 03: Home Invasion

11:30 Eye Max  
12:15 Dent King  
12:30 Meteors: Fire in the Sky  
01:30 Meteors: Fire in the Sky  
02:30 Beatles  
04:00 Joseph McCarthy  
04:30 Machines of the Gods  
05:30 Robots  
06:30 1975 Firebird  
07:30 Ancient Egypt  
08:30 Modern Marvels  
09:30 Jane Eyre  
11:30 Secrets of the Sun

### STAR WORLD

09:30 The It Crowd  
10:00 Jake In Progress  
10:30 Koffee With Karan  
11:30 Are U Smarter Than 5th Grader  
12:30 Desperate Housewives  
02:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show  
03:30 The Bold And The Beautiful  
04:00 General Hospital  
05:00 Koffee With Karan  
06:00 Falcon Beach  
07:00 The Simpsons  
07:30 Friends  
08:00 Seinfeld  
08:30 Life With Bonnie  
09:00 According To Jim  
09:30 Last Comic Standing  
10:30 Ugly Betty  
11:00 Cops

### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC CHANNEL

09:30 Countdown Crocs  
11:15 Telemall- Sauna Belt  
12:30 Inside The Forbidden City  
01:30 Bird of Prey  
02:30 Dangerous Encounters  
03:30 Fight Science  
04:30 Copperhead Cannibals  
05:00 I Didn't Know That  
05:30 School of Hard Crocs  
06:00 Big Bang  
06:30 I Didn't Know That  
07:00 What Would Happen If  
07:30 Desert  
08:30 Inside The Green Berets  
09:30 Fight Science  
10:30 Inside The Green Berets  
11:30 Fight Science

### ZEE STUDIO

11:10 Chinking Express  
01:30 A Good Woman  
03:30 Hot Shots  
05:30 Hollywood's 10 Best  
06:00 Legend Of The Red Dragon  
08:15 When A Man Loves A Woman  
11:00 In The Line Of Fire



Shopno Mongol  
On ATN Bangla at 8:00 pm  
Drama Serial  
Cast: Shojol, Shagota

### CHANNEL i

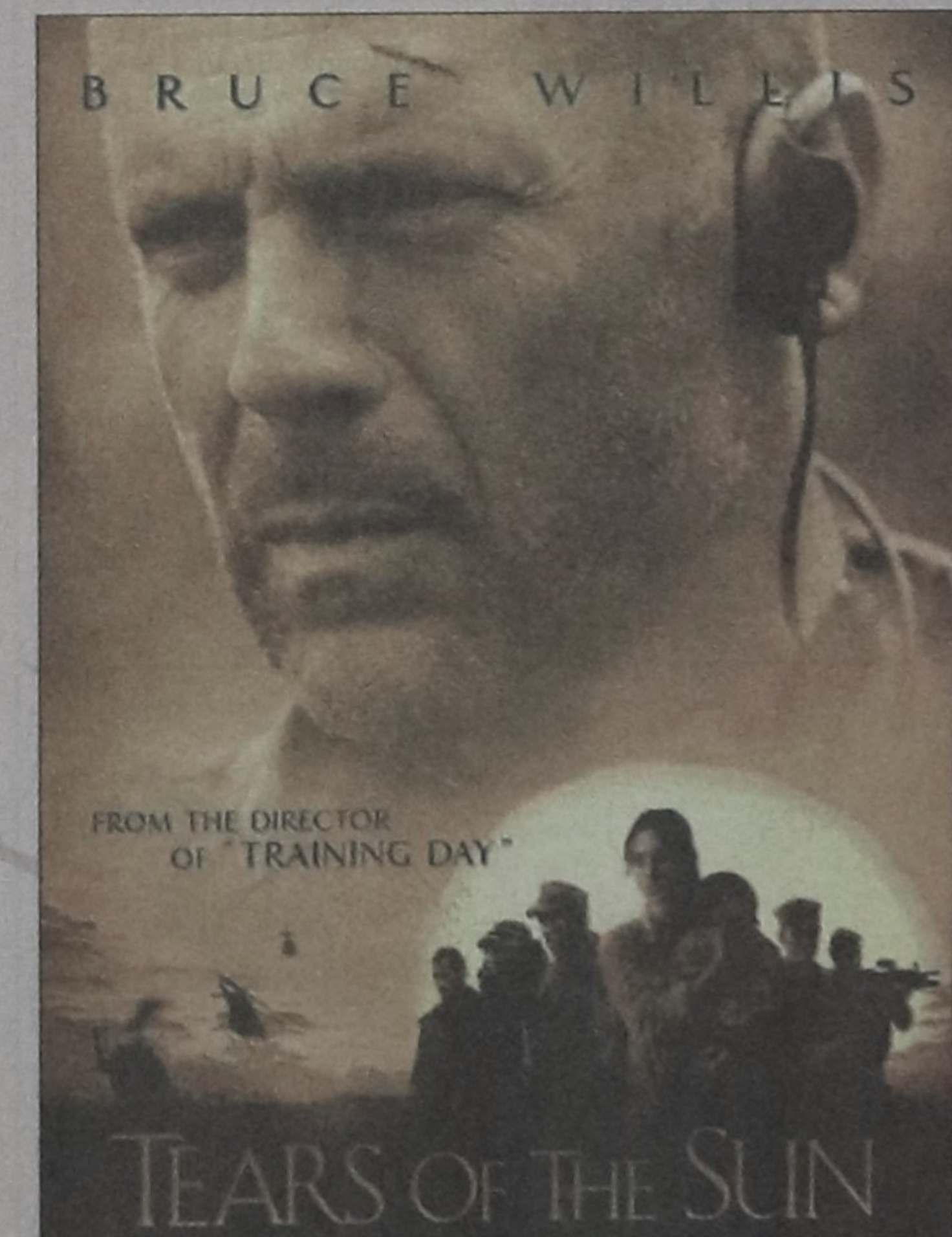
08:05 Tagore Song  
09:30 Shangbadpotrey Bangladesh  
09:45 Public Reaction  
09:50 Grameenphone Tritomatra  
11:05 Educational Programme: Uchayshikhyay Desh Bideshey  
12:30 Citycell Taroka Kathan  
01:30 Musical Programme: Ebong Cinemar Gaan  
02:35 Ekattur-er Dinguli  
03:30 Musical Programme: Hridoyer Gaan  
04:30 Arshinagar  
05:30 Muktiyudhyo Protidin  
06:00 Drama Serial: Alor Khojey Kojona  
06:20 TV Series: Tarzaan  
07:50 Drama Serial: Agun-er Alo  
08:20 Banglalink Bangla-er Pathay

10:05 Drama Serial: Tero Kahan  
11:00 Shangkrti Ei Shoptaho  
11:30 Tiffin-er Phakey  
12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy  
01:05 Japan Video Topic  
02:30 Drama Serial: Amar Bou Shob Janey  
03:15 Musical Programme: Closeup 1 2008  
03:50 Kichhu Katha Kichhu Gaan  
05:25 Ilish-er Ei Din-ey  
05:30 Apnar Jigyasha  
06:45 Cholo-chitr Golpo  
08:15 Drama Serial: Eit Kath-er Khancha  
09:45 Drama Serial: Balshakh Theke Sraon  
11:30 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy  
**BANGLAVISION**  
08:30 Nana Ranger Dinguli



### 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 Tobé Tai Hok  
11:00pm Raat Vor Gan  
02:00 am Back to Back



Tears of the Sun  
On Star Movies at 7:00 pm  
Genre: Action  
Cast: Bruce Willis, Monica Bellucci

### STAR MOVIES

08:15 Suzanne's Diary For Nisholas  
09:50 Out Of Sight  
11:55 Romeo And Juliet  
01:55 Elephant Tales  
03:35 Desperate Measures  
05:20 Mr. Deeds  
07:00 Tears Of The Sun  
09:00 Chaos  
10:45 Haven  
**THE HISTORY CHANNEL**  
09:30 1975 Firebird  
10:30 Secrets of the Sun