'25pc women cancer patients suffering from breast cancer'

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Around 25 percent of female cancer patients of the country have been found to be suffering from breast cancer, doctors at the National Institute of Cancer Research and Hospital said yesterday.

ence organised by Centre for cerduringthis month, they added. Cancer Prevention and research (CCPR) and Nokia at a city hotel prior to launching Nationwide Breast Cancer Awareness and districts.

Cancer Epidemiology Dr paign Habibullah Talukder Ruskin said, "Of the patients who came to our institute in last three years, around breast cancer."

cancer cases occur worldwide will be spent to raise breast cancer annually, of which nearly 5.8 lakh awareness, they added. takes place in the developed countries, he added.

equipment and trained manpower for a developing country like examination of breast.

The first programme of the October 18 to 24. camps will be organised in until early December.

detection of breast cancer, said the organisers.

The programme begins in October, which is globally recognised as the breast cancer awareness month.

In Bangladesh, CCPR also initiates the programme to raise awareness about the disease and conducts screening camps across the They said this at a press confer- country for women for breast can-

They also said this year Nokia, a world leader in manufacturing mobile phone, is promoting the Screening Programme covering 20 level screening and detection added. camps as well as supporting the Head of the department of breast cancer awareness cam-

Nokia also announced a promotion tied with the launch of its Supernova range of devices 25 percent are suffering from whereby Tk 1000 from the sale of each Nokia 7210, 7310, 7510 and Around 10.5 lakh new breast 7610 from October to November

Nokia and CCPR would also carry out a weeklong campaign Dr Ruskin said considering low titled "think pink", which is an resources and lack of modern international symbol for breast cancer awareness.

The campaign asks one to Bangladesh, we suggest self- show solidarity to the cause by wearing pink during the period

During the week, pink ribbons Mymensingh on October 17 and will be on sale through various will be followed up by similar ones retail outlets and kiosks at key locations across the city including The objective of the programme Nokia retail outlets, shopping is to create mass awareness on malls, and educational instituprimary prevention and early tions. The complete sales proceeds from these ribbons will go to CCPR in aid of their efforts.



PHOTO: STAR

Nokia Emerging Asia Managing Director Prem Chand speaks at a press conference at a city hotel yesterday.

Nokia is also organising an exclusive fundraising event to cap off the two-month campaign at the end of November.

Executive Director of CCPR Mosarrat Jahan Talukder said, "It is important to remember that breast cancer has the second highest prevalence amongst women who contact cancer."

"Despite this so few women know anything about it or how important it is to screen for early cause by sponsoring the district- detection of the disease," she

> Nokia Emerging Asia Managing Director Prem Chand said, "Nokia is committed to contributing to the Bangladesh community and we are pleased to be involved in this campaign to raise the awareness o breast cancer across the country."



ICT workshop

The inaugural ceremony of the workshop on e-governance capacity building will be held. Bangladesh Institute of Peace and Security Studies in collaboration with the Ministry of Science and Information and Communication Technology and Australian National University wil organise the event. Venue: Bangladesh Computer Council auditorium. Time: 10:00am.

Seminar

Citibank NA Bangladesh organises seminar on 'Bond market infrastructure and opportunities in Bangladesh', Venue: Hotel Lake Shore. Time: 9:00am.

Inaugural ceremony

The inaugural ceremony of the South Asian Institute of Advanced Legal and Human Rights Studies (SAILS) will be held. Venue: Spectra Convention Centre. Time: 5:30pm.

Seminar

Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies will organise a seminar on 'SPS and trade prospects of agro-processed commodities'. Venue: Cirdap auditorium. Time: 10:00am.

Discussion

Campaign for Good Governance will organise a discussion on impact of foreign aid in utility sectors. Venue: National Press Club. Time: 10:00am; 1

Government of the Peoples Republic of Bangladesh Office of the Project Director Regional Fisheries & Livestock Development Project Noakhali Component Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock Ministry/Division Department of Livestock Services Regional Fisheries & Livestock Development Name of Procuring Entity Project, Noakhali Component Procuring Entity Code 5100 Noakhali Procuring Entity District Expression of Interest for Selection Individual Time Based Consultant EOI Ref. No. Memo No: RFLDC - MIS-5004-974 Date (dd/mm/yyy) October 08, 2008 KEY INFORMATION Procurement Sub-Method Selection of Individual Consultant (SIC) FUNDING INFORMATION 10 Budget and Source of funds Development Aid Grant Development Partner (if applicable) | Danida PARTICULAR INFORMATION 12 Project/Program Code MOF code from 2nd to 9th digit applicable) Name (if | RFLDP, Noakhali 13 | Project/Program applicable) 14 | EOI Closing Date and time October 28, 2008 12:30 p.m. INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT 15 Brief Description of the Assignment The Regional Fisheries and Livestock Project, Noakhali Component, is engaged in training of resource poor farmers through an integrated and demand-driven Farmer Field School (FFS) approach. This involves training of Master Trainers and Local Facilitators in a practice-oriented four-month Season-long Learning (SLL) in preparation for the conduct of the FFS by the Local Facilitators. The Project has just completed its third cycle of FFS and now feels confident that it has developed both a clear process and a firm curriculum for the SLL, including both conceptual modules, technical modules in aquaculture, poultry rearing, homestead gardening and rearing of ruminants and special sessions. Draft materials have been prepared for these learning sessions, RFLDC now wishes to develop these into a working manual(s) outlining (a) the process followed and (b) detailing the curriculum and seeks the assistance of an experienced consultant for a maximum period of three months to develop the materials in both Bangala and English. Experience, Resources & Delivery The consultant will have extensive experience Capacity Required in the Farmer Field School approach with an international organization or NGO. In particular, he will be skilled in the development of learning modules for technical understanding of agricultural development issues of resource poor farmers and will have excellent drafting skills in both Bangala and English. He/she will be expected to interact closely with the core team involved in the SLL. Skills in integration of still photographs and, in the soft copy, of video clips available from the Project will be valuable Other Details (if applicable) Association with foreign firms is Not Encouraged/Not Applicable Ref. No. | Phasing of Services Location Indicative Start Date | Indicative Completion Date (Month/Year) Noakhali Contracting December 4, 2008 Initial Liaison with Noakhali December 4, 2008 December 19, 2009 Project Staff Draft of SLL/FSS February 12 2009 Manuals Presentation of Manual February 19, 2009 Final Draft of Manual March 5, 2009 PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS 30 Name of the Official Inviting (EOI) Dr. Md. Abdus Sobhan Designing of the Official Inviting | Project Director Address of the Official Inviting EOI | RFLDC, House # 16, Road # 36, Maijdee, Noakhali pdrfldc@yahoo.com Contact Details of the Official Office: 0321-61213 Fax # 0321-62808 Inviting EOI

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BNP Secretary General Khandker Delwar Hossain speaks at a rally at Engineers' Institute auditorium in the city yesterday. BNP-led four-party alliance organised the programme. (Story on Page 1)

Mohiuddin suspends some CCC activities

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Chittagong treatment, sources said.

Chittagong City Corporation (CCC) Mayor ABM Mohiuddin Chowdhury in an office order has suspended some official activities of the city corporation.

bail from prison on October 8, signed the order at his hospital bed at Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Medical University (BMSSU) where he has been undergoing

Amu, Suranjit yet to meet Hasina

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

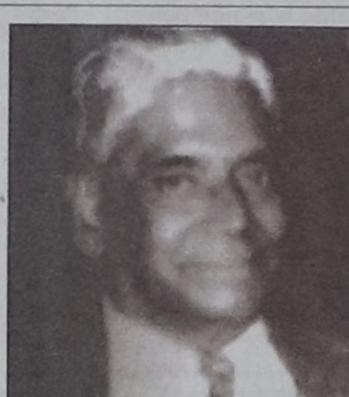
Two senior Awami League (AL) leaders Amir Hossain Amu and Suranjit Sengupta, now on a visit to Brussels and London, are yet to meet party President Sheikh Hasina although they tried to get her appointment.

Amu and Suranjit, presidium members of the AL, left Dhaka for Brussels at the invitation of British Foreign and Commonwealth Office and European Union on October 4.

regular contact with the AL chief, told The Daily Star that the meeting could not be held as they were not staying in the same city or country at the same time.

However, Hasina, Amu and around 8:00pm. Suranjit are scheduled to return to London today.

Sources said Amu and Suranjit may make another attempt to meet Hasina.



Obaidul Huq's 1st death anniversary today

BSS, Dhaka

Today is the first death anniversary of eminent journalist Obaidul Huq. On the occasion, a discussion will be held at the Institution of Diploma Engineers at Kakrail at 4:00pm today.

Prof Kabir Chowdhury will presided over the discussion while Prof Zillur Rahman Siddiqui will be present as the chief guest.

Obaidul Huq, a doyen of Bangladesh journalism, was the editor of The Bangladesh Observer for 12 years from 1972.

Born in 1911 at Feni, Huq had his master's in philosophy from Dhaka University and completed his LLB from Calcutta University.

Huq was also the first Bengali Muslim to make a feature film 'Dukkhhe Jader Jibon Gara' in 1946. He was the writer, producer and director of the film.

He was also the chairman of Press Institute of Bangladesh and the Trustee Board of the nowdefunct Dainik Bangla and The Bangladesh Times.

national and international awards, including Ekushey Padak and Unicef Gold Medal for journalism. He won the Bangla Academy Award in 1964 as a playwright.

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In the order that reached the CCC yesterday, Mohiuddin suspended until further notice all activities including promotion, demotion and appointment of staffs, tender-related activities and The mayor, who was released on payment of outstanding bills of the contractors.

The sources said Acting Mayor M Monzur Alam, who was incharge of the corporation since Mohiuddin was arrested on March 7 last year, received the office order and informed top officials of it yesterday morning.

When contacted, the acting mayor, however, said he did not receive any such order.

Replying to a query, he said, "As he (Mayor Mohiuddin) is still the mayor as per law, he has no problem to take charge of his office again."

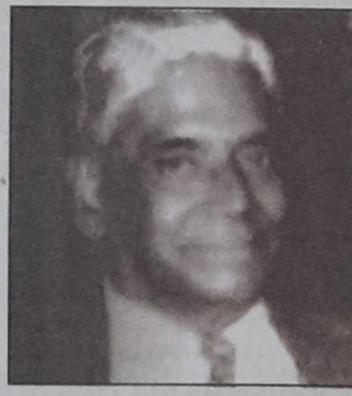
When contacted, CCC CEO Md Shamsuddoha, who is now in Dhaka on an official tour, said that he heard of such an office order but knew nothing about its content.

Ctg police return passport of mayor

The Chittagong Metropolitan Police returned the passport of Sources in Dhaka, who have Mayor ABM Mohiuddin Chowdhury to his lawyer last night following a court order.

Panchlaish police handed over the passport to the mayor's counsel Iftekhar Saimul Chowdhury at,

Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Helaluddin Chowdhury passed the order yesterday afternoon after an appeal by the lawyers, court sources said.



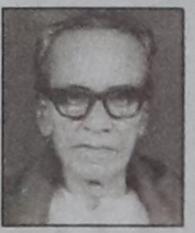
Justice Ibrahim's death anniversary

METRO DESK

Today is the 42nd death anniversary of Justice Mohammed Ibrahim, says a press release.

On the occasion, wreaths will be placed on his grave at Azimpur Graveyard in the city. A milad mahfil will also be held in the morning and food will be distributed among the destitute.

Mukundalal Sarker



Today is the 29th death anniversary of Mukundalal Sarker, a prominent leader of anti-British movement and 1971 liberation

war veteran, says a press release. On the occasion, a prayer session will be held at the Lalmatia residence of his second son Manindranath Sarker, adviser to the editor of the Amader Shomoy.

During his long political career, Mukundalal Sarker played an important role in building a strong resistance against the imperialist forces and actively participated in Huq received a number of the movement against Zamindary system.

Born in 1909 in Gopalganj, Sarker established several colleges and schools in Gopalganj and Khulna.

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Jamaat trying to foil JS elections

New Bangla daily launched

task.

Says Nirmul Committee

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Leaders of Forum for Secular Bangladesh, also known as Ekatturer Ghatak Dalal Nirmul Committee, at a meeting yesterday said Jamaat-e-Islami is hatching a conspiracy to foil the next general

The Jatiya Sangsad election slated for December 18 will be held in the glorious month when

As an anti-liberation force, inthecountry, says a press release. Jamaat knows that it would be defeated in the poll race. So, it is trying to foil the election, they

during the BNP-Jamaat regime, Mamun, Salma Haque, Ferdousi militancy and fundamentalism had Priyobhasini, Aroma Dutta and emerged significantly with the Shirin Banu Mitil.

With the slogan of 'Patriotism is our

pledge', a new Bangla daily newspa-

per named 'Dainik Sangbadpatra

Justice Latifur Rahman, former

chief adviser to the caretaker govern-

ment, unwrapped the copy of the

newspaper at the launching cere-

Friendship Conference Centre.

mony at Bangladesh-China

guest, Justice Rahman said the main

task of a newspaper is to build a

bridge between the people and the

launched newspaper will discharge

its responsibilities being committed

to objectivity, neutrality and honest

Commission chairman Justice

Sultan Hossain Khan urged the

journalists to present accurate and

journalism.

informative news.

He hoped that the newly

Former Anti-Corruption

Speaking on the occasion as chief the organisers.

was launched in the city yesterday.

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The forum will launch a legal campaign and also forge a movement if the government tries to negotiate with Jamaat regarding registration and register the party bypassing the constitution, they added.

The meeting decided that the forum would submit memoranda to different international bodies showing the pictures of minority the nation earned victory, they repressions, vote forgery and repression on political counterparts

Presided over by Acting President of the forum Shariar Kabir at the residence of central leader Shyamoli Nasreen, the meeting was The leaders further said that addressed by Prof Muntasir

Welcoming the initiative,

Mahbubul Alam, former adviser to

the caretaker government and editor

of The Independent, said bringing

out a newspaper is a courageous

to compromise with truth and

available in the market from the next

week at a price of Tk 2 per copy, said

addressed by Justice Mohammad

Abdur Rauf, former chief election

commissioner, Maj Gen (retd)

Moinul Hossain Chowdhury, former

adviser to the caretaker government,

Syed Margub Morhsed, former

chairman of Bangladesh

Telecommunication Regulatory

Commission, Brig Gen (retd)

Shafayet Ahmed, adviser of Rtv, and

Dr Tareq Shamsur Rehman, former

member of University Grants

Commission.

always present objective news.

He called upon the journalists not

The newspaper is expected to be

The launching ceremony was also

direct support of Jamaat.

managing director of Janata Bank, Investment Corporation of Bangladesh. Bangladesh

Obituary

METRO DESK

Shilpa Rin Sangstha and United Commercial Bank Ltd., passed away on Saturday at the age of 83, says a press release. He left behind his wife, three

Alhaj Bazal Ahmed, former

sons, two daughters, grandchildren and a host of admirers to mourn his death. His qulkhwani will be held at

are requested to attend the

Banani Jame Mosque after Maghrib prayers tomorrow. Relatives, friends and admirers

programme. Maniruzzaman Khan

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Brig Gen (retd) Maniruzzaman Khan, PSC Artillery, passed away at Combined Military Hospital (CMH) in the city yesterday, says a press release.

Alhaj Abdul Kader Mian STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Alhaj Abdul Kader Mian, founder president of the then East Pakistan Yarn Merchant Association and chairman and former managing director of Tamijuddin Textile Mills Limited at Narayanganj, passed away at a city hospital yesterday at the age of 90.

He left behind his three sons, four daughters and a host of relatives and admirers to mourn his death, says a press release.

Abul Kalam Azad STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Abul Kalam Azad, a leader of Bangladesh Awami Jubo League, passed away due to cancer at his residence in the city yesterday at the age of 46, says a press release.

He left behind his wife two daughters and one son.

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