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Digital Biography and Photography Exhibition Title: Jibon O Chitrey Gunjon Organiser: Gunijon Venue: Alliance Française, 26, Mirpur Rd. Dhanmondi Date: January 6-10 Time: 9am-12pm, 5-8pm



Dance Drama Play: Hey Ananta Punya Troupe: Shadhona Venue: National Theatre Hall, BSA Date: January 9 Time: 7pm



Historic Tebhaga Movement recalled amidst music

KONGKON KARMAKER, Dinajpur

The indigenous people of Dinajpur observed the anniversary of the historic Tebhaga Movement last Sunday at Bazitpur village under Chirirbandar upazila of Dinajpur, honouring the martyrs who died during the violent protests in 1947.

On the occasion, the indigenous community along with others locals and officials of NGOs in Dinajpur brought out a procession which paraded through the village.

The daylong event included a discussion and a cultural programme organised by 'Tebhaga Chetona Parishad' in association with IVS Bangladesh, a local NGO.

Speakers at the discussion went over the Tebhaga Movement and urged all to incorporate the values of the resistance in contemporary times. Speakers expressed that the Tebhaga Movement was a mass upsurge against the tyranny of the British rule in the subcontinent; its lessons however, are priceless. The history of the movement teaches us the invaluable lesson of speaking out against any kind of repression, they said.

The discussion was presided over by veteran politician and Joint Secretary of Tebhaga Chetona Parishad, Md. Abdul Kalam Azad. Other speakers at the discussion were Abdul Matin, executive director of IVS Bangladesh and Chairperson of ADAB; Chitta Ghosh, president of Dinajpur Press Club; Rezaur Rahman, general secretary of Udichi; Kaniz Rahman, general secretary of Bangladesh Gram Bikash Kendra. Mahila Parishad; S.I. Shafique, execubased NGO) and Shara Marandi of for the 'Tebhaga' martyrs. It is believed



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Indigenous people of Dinajpur brought out a procession on the anniversary of the historic 'Tebhaga Movement'.



Prior to the discussion, the partici- were gunned down by the then British tive director of 'Sustain' (a Dinajpur pants placed wreaths at the memorial

that two Tebhaga Movement activists

police in this area.

Indigenous artistes later took part

in a cultural programme. The programme started with renditions of patriotic songs.

According to the local historians, scores of people -- most of who were farmers -- were killed in the movement in 1947 just for demanding what they rightfully deserved. Shibram Majhi and Shamir Uddin were the first who embraced death during the protest on January 4, 1947.

Later the British police arrested at least 22 individuals on February 20, 1947 and killed many, sparking violence across the northern region.

As a tribute to the sacrifice, Tebhaga Chetona Parishad of Dinajpur has been organising this memorial programme in the area since 2004.

Int'l honour for Golam Rabbani **Biplab**

Award winning filmmaker Golam Rabbani Biplab has been selected as the Secretary General of International Federation of Film Societies (IFFS), according to a press release.

The 17-member executive committee, which is headed by renowned Italian filmmaker Gianni Amelio, was formed at a general assembly held in last December in Loreto, Italy. Representatives of 27 organisations from different countries attended the assembly.

Biplab, who is the Vice-president of Bangladesh Federation of Film Societies (BFFS), has been selected for the prestigious post for the second time. Apart from Biplab, the committee includes Professor Paolo Minoto of Italy as Executive President, and Professor Claudino Jesus of Brazil as Vicepresident.

Biplab has received several international awards for his feature film "Swapnodanay".



Golam Rabbani Biplab



'Gano Muktir Gaan-er Dal', a cultural organisation based in Dhaka University, recently observed the 115th birth Anniversary of Mao Tse-tung at TSC. Presided over by noted journalist Fayz Ahmed, the event included a discussion and a cultural programme. Cultural organisations 'Srijon', 'Bibartan', 'Swarkalpan' along with artistes of 'Gano Muktir Gaan-er Dal' performed at the event. Hyder Akbar Khan Rono, Hyder Anwar Khan Juno, and Ashish Koraiya were the discussants at the programme.

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Late Night News (Bangla and English) 11:30 pm. (To be telecast on all Bangla channels) CHANNEL-i

News (Bangla) at 7:15 am. 9:00am, 2:00pm, 7:00pm,

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

All programmes are in

08:15 Ajker Shanbadpotro Showa Paanch Arai Lane Asian City Top Spin 10:30 Anyodrishti 11:05 Style Icon 12:15 Shomali Shadakalo 01:25 ATN Music 02:30 Trinomul Drama Serial: O Amar 03:10 Chokhkhu Nai

Aha Ki Anondo 03:45 Shomali Shadakalo 04:20 Banijyomela Protidin 05:35 Obiraam Bangladesh

Kathamala 06:20 Projonmo Katha 06:50 Drama Serial: Baksho Drama Serial: Shath 08:40

Shomuddur Drama Serial: 09:20 Joyotsnakaal 11:30 Drama Serial: Choto Choto Koshto

12:00 Grameenphone Lead

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09:45 Public Reaction 09:50 Grameenphone Tritio Matra

BBC Bangladesh 11:05 Shaglaap 12:05 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma

Talk Show: Citycell Taroka Kathan Ebong Cinemar Gaan Musical Programme: Sa

Musical Programme:

Re Ga Ma Hridoyer Gaan 02:30 Sports 03:05 Boi Ebong Boi 03:30 Study @ UK 04:05

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Saangeetmala Selected Programme Talk Show: Khola Akash **Business Show** Musical Programme:

Meridian Channel i Khudey Gaan Raaj'08 Drama Serial: Central Mental Hospital Drama Serial: Shangshar Drama Serial:

Chhandrakatha Grameenphone Aiker Shangbadpotro

ETV Ekush-er Shokal 08:30 Drama Serial: Ghatak Ebong Amra Amaar Gaan

Ekushey Business Drama Serial: Tun Tuni Vila

Financial Bulletin ntv 08:30 Ajker Shokaal Drama Serial: Aim in Life Kichhu Katha Kichhu

Gaan Music Jam Ranna Banna Adda Ei Shomoy Japan Video Topic 01:05 Drama Serial: Ondhokaarer Phul Music Express Ispahani Janar Achhey

Bolar Achhey Itihasher Ei Din-ey Apnaar Jigyasha Shubho Shondha

Crime Watch Drama Serial: Eit Kaath-er 08:15 Kacha

04:00 Drama Stop and Rock Saajbela 06:00

Top News Rang Beron-er Khobor Drama: Moyur Bahon. Drama: Hiraak Bari 09:00 Shonaar Churi

Bioscope Selected Programme BANGLAVISION Shubho Shokaal

Drama Serial: 08:30 Swapnochura Drama 09:00 Obhibashir Ghamer Taka

10:40 Amar Ami Cinebit Shadakalo 11:03 11:35 Apnaar Agami 02:00 Daily Soap: Mohanagar 02:30 Amader Rannaghar Shamol Bangla

Protidin 06:03 Shongshar 10:00 Naiyor

RTV

STAR WORLD 08:30 Friends

09:30 30 Rock Scrubs 10:00 La Femma Nikita

12:30 Whistler 01:00 01:30 The Ellen Degeneres

Megh Kalo Megh 11:25 Raat Biraatey

10:30 Adda Taroka Alap Din Choley Jay Bangla Feature Film

Selected Programme Drama Serial: Ghor

Jimmy Kimmel Live

10:00 10:30 11:30 12:30 THE HISTORY CHANNEL 08:00

Creative Vision 10:00 Marco Polo Creative Vision 11:00 12:00 Jimi Hendrix 13:30

The Greats 14:00 Mahabharata 15:00 Marco Polo The Greats 16:00 Around The World In 80 17:00

Scrubs

Heroes

Friends

Jimmy Kimmel Live

Indian Journeys

Treasur Lords of the Mafia 19:00 Bhanwar 20:00

10:05 Things To Do In Denver Marco Polo 12:10 Dreamer: Inspired By A Lords of the Mafia 21:00



Arthur and the Minimoys On Star Movies at 9:05 pm Genre: Animation Cast: Freddie Highmore, Madonna, David Bowie

Against All Odds

In the Womb

Creative Vision-NGC

The Real Serengeti

Megastructures

Big Bang

Planet Camivore

World Cyber Games

Dangerous Encounters

Big Cat Challenge

Perilous Journeys

Fight Science

10 Items Or Less

When You'

STAR MOVIES

Inside: Rio Camaval

Dangerous Encounters

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True Story 02:00 03:40 Desperate Measures 05:25 Santa Clause 3: The Escape Clause 07:00 Déjà Vu Arthur And The Minimays Crank

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10:15 Sleepless in Seattle Unforgettable 02:45 Any Given Sunday 05:45 My Dog Skip

07:45 Hot Rod 09:30 Aeonflux 11:30 Dreamcatcher

11:00 Air Force One

Bringing Down The House 01:15 03:30 Out Cold 05:45

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Shunyo Dash

Drama Serial: Tomtom

Ganalap

On Banglavision at 9:05 pm

Musical Programme hosted by Nakib Khan

Glamour World Drama Serial: Neer Talk Show: Ei Shomoy **CHANNEL 1**

10:40 Bangla Feature Film

Premey Premey Gaaney

Drama: Mayur Bahon

Guests: Singer Shammi Akhter and composer Alam Khan

Cookery Show 05:15 Ghorey Bairey 06:50 Daily Soap: Mohanagar 08:15 Gaanalap 09:05

09:45 Drama Serial: Shada

X Crime 04:20 Citycell Din-er Sheshey Ebong Class-er Bairey

Radio Foorti 88.0 FM

10:00am Music Junction

07:30am Hello Dhaka

12:00pm My Time

01:00pm No Tension

09:30pm Night Rider

01:00am Back to Back

Music

Radio Today 89.6 FM

07:15am Good Morning

Dhaka

11:00am Masti Unlimited

01:00pm Today's Adda

08:00pm Tobe Tai Hok

11:00pm Raat Vor Gan

04:00pm U-turn

04:00pm Dhaka Calling

Murder She Wrote 04:30 Cold Case

07:30 08:30 Whose Line Is It Anyway?

09:30

La Femma Nikita Whistler Friends Seinfeld

30 Rock

22:00 Tour of Duty 23:00 Bhanwar

08:30 Hippo Hell

00:00 Lords of the Mafia NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC CHANNEL

ZEE STUDIO 08:30 Modigliani

11:15 Venom Motor Cycle Diaries 08:15 Bringing Down The House