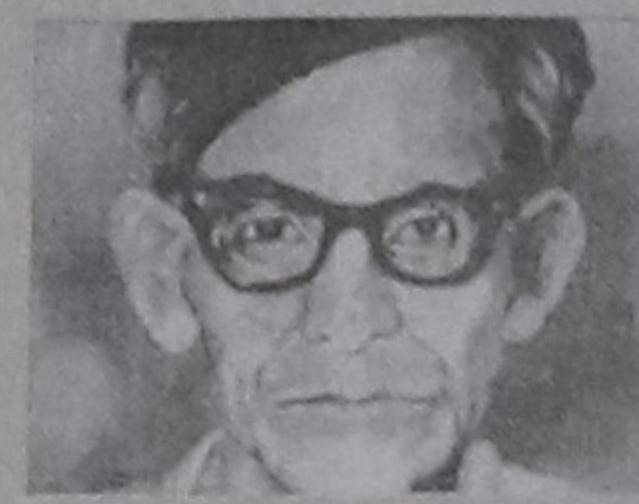


WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

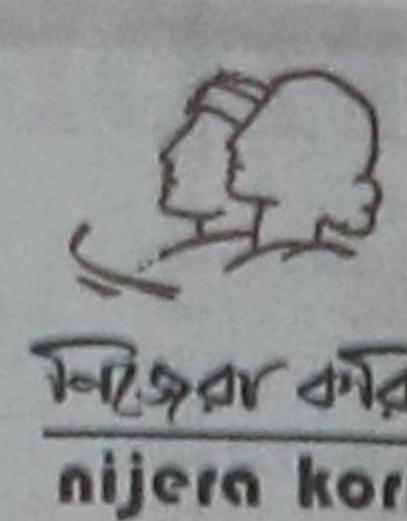
Gano Sangeet Utsab
Title: Satyen Sen Gano Sangeet Utsab '09
Organiser: Bangladesh Uddi Shilpi Goshthi
Venue: Dhaka Mahanagar Nahaymarch, Gulshan
Date: March 28
Time: 10am onwards



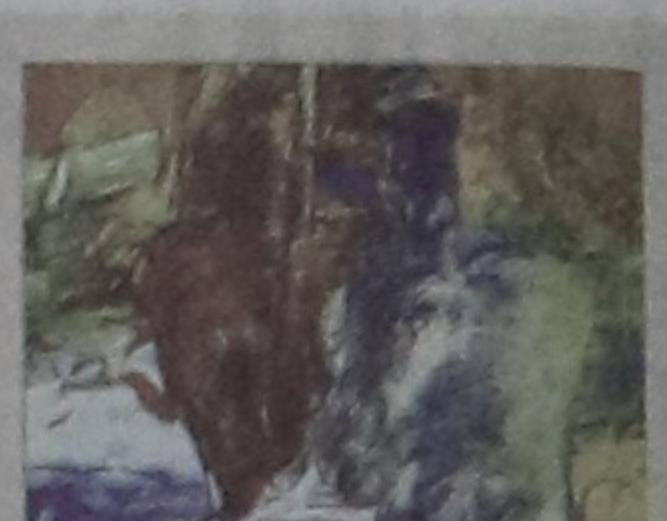
Classical Music
Artist: Shubhra Guha
Organiser: Bengal Foundation
Venue: Bengal Shilpalaya, H 275/F, Rd 27 (old), Dharmundi
Date: March 28
Time: 7:30pm



Street Theatre
Organiser: Nijera Kori
Venue: Rabindra Sarobar, Dharmundi
Date: March 27-28
Time: 5pm onwards



Solo Art Exhibition
Title: Saga of the Padma
Artist: Monsur Uli Karim
Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, H 275/F, Rd 27 (old), Dharmundi
Date: March 20-31
Time: 12:30pm



Marking Independence Day with special programmes

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna

Pabna Shammilito Shangshkritik Jote, Pabna Drama Circle, Annoda Gobinda Public Library, Ekushey Book Fair Celebration Committee and the local Shilpkala Academy held programmes in Pabna to celebrate Independence Day. The day (March 26) began with laying wreaths at the Durjoy Pabna Liberation War Memorial -- a homage to the martyrs of the Liberation War.

Shammilito Shangshkritik Jote held a cultural programme at the local Shaheed Minar premises. Artists of Ganoshilpi Shangshtha, Uddi Shilpi Goshthi and Jhankar Shilpi Goshthi performed patriotic songs.

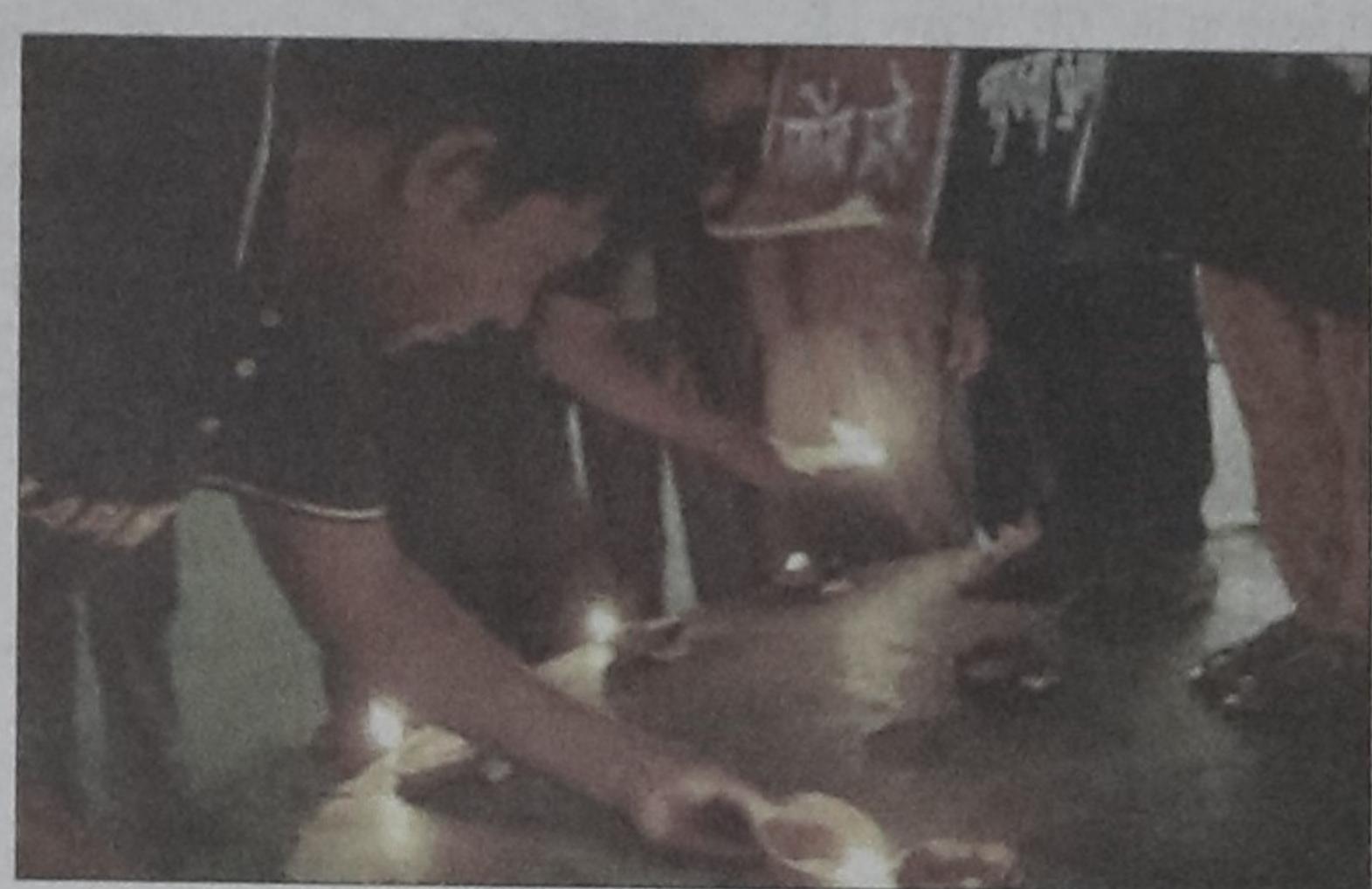
A discussion and cultural programme was held at the Pabna Annoda Gobinda Public Library

premises. Vice president of the library, Rabiul Islam, chaired the discussion. State minister for Power, Energy, and Mineral Resources, Advocate Samsul Haque Tuku was the chief guest.

Seasoned politician and former MP, Advocate Amjad Hossain; secretary of the library, Abdul Matin Khan and former principal of Pabna Govt. Bulbul College, Professor Shobojit Nag, among others, participated in the discussion. Speakers warned that conspiracy against the sovereignty of Bangladesh is still on and urged all to uphold the values of Liberation War.

Pabna Drama Circle held a candlelight vigil at Doyel Chhattar intersection in the city. Cultural activists formed a human chain at the venue and demanded trial of war criminals.

President of Pabna Drama Circle, Gopal Shannal; secretary, Wahidul



A tribute to the martyrs with lighting lamps.

Kawsar and organising secretary, Mostafizur Rahman Rassel, among others, spoke at the programme.

Various socio-cultural organisations also observed the day with special programmes.

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal

A three-day programme to mark the 38th Independence Day in a befitting manner started in Barisal last Tuesday evening with call for immediate trial and punishment of the war criminals.

Barisal Shangshkritik Shangothan Shammay Parishad (BSSSP), an alliance of 26 major cultural organisations of the city, arranged the programme at the local Shaheed Minar. The programme included discussions, recitation, music, dance, plays and more.

The inauguration session was presided over by Shanti Das. Among others, Jibon Krisha Dey, Kajol Ghosh, Jaglul Haider Shaheen and Syed Dulal spoke on the occasion.

BSSSP also brought out a procession starting from the Shaheed Minar on March 26 eve in remembrance of the martyrs.



Cultural programme at the Barisal Shaheed Minar.

Dennis Quaid and Julianne Moore to play Bill and Hillary Clinton

The last time Dennis Quaid and Julianne Moore worked together he played her unfaithful husband in "Far From Heaven." Now they are to reunite as two sides of the most famous triangle in political history -- President Bill Clinton and now Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton in the upcoming film "A Special Relationship."

The biopic will mark the directorial debut of Peter Morgan who will be working from his own script. While the focus of the film will be on the relationship between the Clintons and their UK counterparts -- Tony Blair and his wife Cherie Booth -- in the late 1990s, it will address the president's indiscretion with Monica Lewinsky.

For Morgan, this is the third and final chapter in a trilogy that began with "The Deal" in 2003. That telefilm detailed discussions between one-time friends and political rivals Tony Blair and Gordon Brown that resulted in the former assuming the leadership of the Labor Party while the latter bided his time for well over a decade before becoming Prime Minister. Michael Sheen earned raves for his portrayal of Blair and "The Deal" won the 2004 BAFTA TV award for single drama.

In 2006 Morgan decided to shed light on the dark days following the 1997 death of the Princess of Wales in "The Queen." That project, which also began as a Granada TV

production, ended up as a theatrical release, and earned six Oscar nominations. Among those was a best picture nod as well as one for Peter Morgan's original screenplay. He lost to Michael Arndt for "Little Miss Sunshine." As the title character, Helen Mirren was crowned lead actress.

Michael Sheen reprised his



Quaid and Moore were last seen together in "Far From Heaven."

role as Blair in "The Queen" and will be returning once more for "A Special Relationship." And Helen McCrory will again appear as Booth. Lewinsky will be seen only via archival news clips. While the start and release dates have not been determined, this project is sure to attract much attention. Excepting the fictionalised version of the Clintons seen in

Oscar nomination for "Far From Heaven," she lost that race by a false nose to Nicole Kidman, her co-star from "The Hours." Surprisingly Dennis Quaid was snubbed by the academy despite winning the supporting actor prize with the Gotham film critics and landing Golden Globe and SAG nods.

Source: Internet

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

On Air

BTV

09:05 Kobita O Chobi
09:30 Smritimoy Geetimoy
10:05 Swasth Sheba
10:30 Amader Angina
10:55 Debate
11:20 Desher Gaan
11:30 Angona
01:30 Shukhi Poribaar
02:15 Sisimpur
02:45 Bangla Feature Film
07:00 Geeti Malyo
07:25 Lok Lokalay
08:30 Documentary Programme
08:35 Drama Serial: Shomoy
Ashomoy
09:00 Drama: Smriti Aaina
10:30 Apna Doctor

ATN BANGLA

08:15 Ajker Shanbadpotro
08:30 Dance Programme: Nupur-er Chhondey

09:15 Drama Serial: Tomaar Doyaye

Bhalo Achhi Ma

10:30 Talk Show: Hello Bangladesh

11:05 Selected Programme

12:15 Musical Programme: Shesh

Okhkhon

01:30 Documentary Programme:

Prapok

02:40 Bangla Feature Film

05:30 Char Deyaler Kabyo

06:20 Square Hospital Shushitho

Thakun

06:45 Kaandey Amar Maa

08:00 Drama Serial: Sagai

08:40 Drama Serial: Eka

09:20 Drama Serial: Naksha

10:40 Talk Show

11:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House

12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

11:05 Jonotaar Mukhomukhi

11:35 Health Programme: Home

Care

08:05 Rabindra Sangeet

08:30 Shokaler Gaan

09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh

Banglavision

08:00 Shubho Shokal

05:30 Sports Plus

Guests: Anisur Rahman Milon, Bonna Mirza

Amar Ami

On Banglavision at 9:05 pm

Talk Show

11:05 Jonotaar Mukhomukhi

11:35 Health Programme: Home

Care

08:05 Rabindra Sangeet

01:30 Drama Serial: Shada Megh

Kalo Megh

09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh

02:40 Drama Serial: Antyorkhyo

ETV

09:35 Agricultural Programme:

Hridoye Mati O Manush

10:00 Drama Serial

11:30 Drama Serial: Chondro Karigor

12:00 Grameenphone Ajker

Shangbadpotro

10:02 Dehoghari

11:30 Spordon

02:02 Bangla Feature Film

05:30 Sports Plus

RTV

09:00 R Music

10:03 Drama Serial: Alta Shundori

11:03 Taroka Alap

11:30 Drama Serial: FDC

01:03 Dhurapdi Kahini

BBC WORLD NEWS

08:00 World News Today

STAR WORLD

09:00 The Simpsons

09:30 Kath & Kim

10:00 How I Met Your Mother

10:30 Koffee With Karan

12:30 American Idol

01:30 Psych

02:30 Jimmy Kimmel Live

03:30 Last Comic Standing

04:30 American Inventor

05:30 Most Daring

06:30 American Idol

07:30 Smallville

08:30 90210

09:30 Shark

10:30 Boston Legal

11:30 Heroes

ZEE STUDIO

08:15 Good Morning, Vietnam

11:05 The 25th Hour

02:10 I Love Trouble

05:00 The Hollywood Reporter

05:30 Remember the Titans

06:15 Batman Returns

11:00 The Adventures of Huck Fin

DIGANTA TELEVISION

09:45 Drama Serial: Mama Bhagnay

06:30 Bhaboghure Dot Com

07:45 Dhum Ta Na

09:30 Drama Serial: Aziz Martjet

10:10 Golpo Sholpo Gaan

12:02 Ekusher Raat

09:50 Porobash

11:00 Jegey Achho Ki

12:00 BBC World News

12:30 Click (r)

09:55 The Santa Clause

04:00 U-tum

08:00 Tobei Tal Hok

11:00 Raft Bhor Gean

STAR MOVIES

11:00 BBC World News

12:00 BBC World News