

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

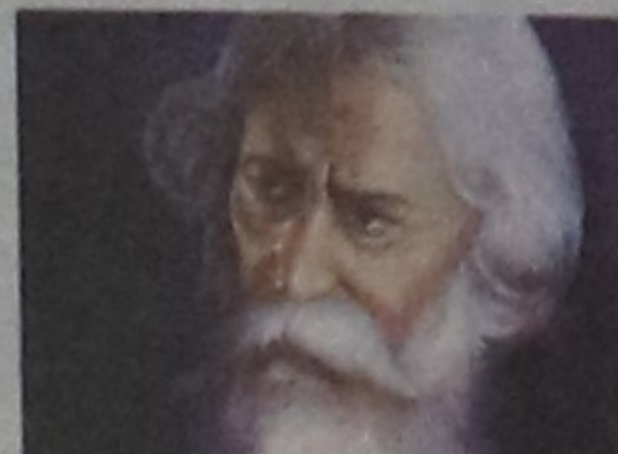
World Museum Day
Organiser: Liberation War Museum
Venue: LWM premises, 5 Shugun Bagicha
Date: May 20
Time: 4pm



Photo Exhibition
Title: Ballads of...the Agonized Souls
Photographer: Noor Alam
Venue: Zainul Gallery 1, FFA, Dhaka University
Date: May 16-22
Time: 10am-8pm

Ballads of the Agonized Souls

Tagore Birth Anniversary Celebration
Organiser: Jatio Rabindra Sangeet Sammilan Parisad and Bengal Foundation
Venue: Bengal Shipalaya, Dhanmondi
Date and time: May 21 at 6:30pm



Exhibition
Title: Recycled Magic
Artist: Bruno Ruhl
Venue: Alliance Francaise, 26, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi
Date: May 8-21
Time: 9am-12pm and 5pm-8pm



Preserving history in motion

Bangladesh Film Archive celebrates 31st anniversary

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Bangladesh Film Archive celebrated its 31st anniversary on May 17 with renewed enthusiasm and hopes, as it is finally going to move to its own building at Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar. The institute has also managed to secure a generous grant from Japan recently. On the occasion of the anniversary, a daylong event was held at the Central Public Library, featuring a poster exhibition, discussion and screening of the classic feature film "Shurjo Dighal Bari" (1979).

Screen diva of yesteryears, and currently a member of the parliament, Sarah Begum Kabori inaugurated the poster exhibition at the Shawkat Osman Auditorium premises. Dr. Kamal Abdul Naser Chowdhury, additional secretary, Ministry of Information was present as special guest. The exhibition featured over a hundred rare posters of Bengali feature films that were released between 1959 and 1991. Posters of "Matir Pahar" (1956), "Dharapat" (1963), "Shutorang" (1964), "Rupban" (1965), "Abirhab" (1968), "Arunodoyer Agnisakshi" (1972), "Dhirey Bohey Meghna" (1973), "The Rain" (1976), "Dumurer Phool" (1978), "Ashikkhito" (1978), "Janmo Thhekey Jolchhi" (1981) and many more films were on display at the exhibition.



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(From left): Morshedul Islam, Syed Hasan Imam, State Minister for Housing and Public Works Advocate Abdul Mannan Khan, Information Secretary Samar Chandra Pal and DG of BFA Dr. Muhammad Jahangir at the discussion. (Bottom) Visitors at the poster exhibition at the Shawkat Osman Auditorium premises.



The discussion was presided over by Information Secretary Samar Chandra Pal. State Minister for Housing and Public Works Advocate Abdul Mannan Khan was the chief guest. Noted cultural personality Syed Hasan Imam was present as special guest. Film-maker and president of Ban-

gladesh Film Archive Alumni Association, Morshedul Islam reminisced on the early days of Bangladesh Film Archive. Dr. Muhammad Jahangir Hossain, director general of Bangladesh Film Archive, welcomed the audience and informed on the history, development and recent

activities of the organisation. Bangladesh Film Archive (BFA) started its journey under the name 'Film Institute and Archive' in 1978. It's been a member of International Federation of Film Archives (FIAF) in Brussels since 1980. Committed to promote and preserve films and rare docu-

ments on celluloid, BFA acts as a centre to encourage a healthy film movement in the country. The organisation also extends support to national and international film festivals to familiarise the audience with the heritage of Bangladeshi cinema.

The organisation has a collection of 2,269 films including a copy of the first film in the world by the Lumier Brothers (1896). BFA also has a rich library where thousands of books on films, still photographs, posters, scripts, books of songs, magazines and other documents are preserved. Beside, BFA organises many research-based and educational programmes, trainings, workshops, seminars and symposium on films. BFA also screens films once a week.

Recognising the importance of preserving films as "documents in motion," and to develop the organisation as a full-fledged film institution, the State Minister assured to provide necessary support to the organisation on behalf of the government of Bangladesh, calling it a "national responsibility."

The event ended with a screening of the film, "Shurjo Dighal Bari," scripted and directed by Shiekh Neyamat Ali and Masihuddin Shaker. Adapted from the novel by Abu Ishaak, the film's story is set in the backdrop of the famine in the '50s.

Children's TV serial Tulir Telesmati on Channel i

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

The second episode of the TV serial for children, "Tulir Telesmati," will be aired tonight at 7:50pm on Channel i. The serial, written by Mezbahuddin Sumon, is directed by Taher Shipon.

Zahid Hossain Shovon, Momena Islam, Ankan, Anan, Pritha and Tushti play leads roles in the serial.



"Tulir Telesmati" is a TV serial for children.

Cinebeat Shadakalo turns 100

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT



Shagota hosts "Cinebeat Shadakalo."

The 100th episode of Banglavisian's musical programme "Cinebeat Shadakalo" will be aired this evening at 6:20pm. The programme features popular film songs from yesteryears.

Alongside regular segments, tonight's episode will feature special interviews of the once popular filmstars Faruk and Mahmud Koli. To mark this special occasion, the programme, which is aired in black and white, will be in colour tonight. A special segment featuring the making of the show is also a part of tonight's programme.

Shagota hosts the programme produced by Nahid Ahmed Biplab.



On Air

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

ATN BANGLA

08:15 Aiker Shanbadpotro
08:30 Drama Serial: Bakhsho
09:15 Asian City Top Spin 2020
10:30 Hello Bangladesh
11:05 Drama: Tobuo Nil
12:15 IT Zone
01:25 Band View
03:15 Drama Serial: Rupali Manush
03:45 Children's Programme: Srishti Shukher Ullashey
04:20 Islamic Programme
05:10 Islamic Programme
05:35 Talk Show: Proshongo
06:15 Take Care
08:00 Rexona Destination Unlimited
08:40 Drama Serial: Ghar Jama
09:20 Drama Serial: Joyotsna Kaal
11:30 Talking Point
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

CHANNEL i

08:05 Tagore Song
08:30 Shokaal-er Gaan
09:30 Shangbadpotrey Bangladesh
09:45 Public Reaction
09:50 Grameenphone Tritomatra
11:05 Sports Time
12:30 Citycell Taroka Katha
01:05 Ebong Cinemaa Gaan
01:30 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma
02:35 Musical Programme: Hridoyer Gaan
04:30 Apnaader Shushathyo
05:30 Muktiuddho Protidin
06:00 Mega Serial: Shath Goenda
06:20 Cookery Show: Arku Desh Bidesh Ranna
07:50 Drama Serial: Tulir Telesmati
08:25 Drama Serial: 24 Ghonta
09:35 Drama Serial: Sufi
10:00 Drama Serial: Nine Month in Brick Lane
11:30 Drama Serial: Amader Chhoto Nodi
12:00 Grameenphone Aiker Shanbadpotro

ETV

10:02 Ekushey Business
02:30 Drama Serial: Paan Bahar
03:15 Ta Na Na Na
03:30 O Bondhu Amar
04:00 Drama Serial: Hitlu
04:30 Desh Jurey Shanglaap
05:30 Sports Plus
06:30 Campus-ey Campus-ey
07:45 Drama Serial: Ishkool
09:30 Drama Serial: Hitlu
10:10 Cine Hits
12:02 Ekusher Raat

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08:30 Aiker Shokaal
08:55 Drama Serial: 1920
10:05 Drama Serial: House Full
10:30 Musical Programme: Amaro Gaitey Ichchha Holo
11:30 Glamour World
12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy

BANGLAVISION

08:30 Drama Serial: Shada Megh Kalo Megh
09:00 Mega Serial: The Family
09:30 Bangla Feature Film
12:30 Ebong Class-er Bairey
01:30 Gaanlalap
02:40 Drama Serial: Maa Bhagney
03:20 Anyo Nayan
04:10 Shamol Bangla
05:20 Daily Soap: Gulshan Avenue
06:00 Citycell Din-er Sheshey
06:20 Cine Beat Shadakalo
06:50 Point of Order
08:15 Drama Serial: Swapney Boshobash
09:05 Home Care
09:45 Drama Serial: Gulshan Avenue
11:25 Shapludur Gaan

08:05 Prio Gaan Prio Shur
08:30 Drama Serial: Bhabnaar Char Deyal
09:30 Paathrey Pantorey
10:00 Diganta Prime Time
11:05 Shobaar Agey Desh
RTV
09:00 Very Filmy
10:00 Drama Serial: Ei Bari O Bari
11:50 Lata Herbal Tarokalap
11:30 Drama Serial: Naiyor Nari O Nokhyotro
01:00 Bangla Feature Film
05:30 Filler
06:03 Protidin
07:00 Look at me
07:30 Road to Democracy
09:15 Jiboney Ano Alo
11:00 Fusion Concert
11:30 Star and Sports
CHANNEL 1
08:40 Shuprobhaat Bangladesh

DESH TV

09:02 Potrika Protidin
10:30 Khelaar Shokaal
12:15 Dur Path
04:30 Bazarey Notun
05:02 Cartoon
05:30 Baati Ghar
06:02 Maanbona Bondhon
07:45 Ebaar Jombey Khela
08:15 Kathy Kathy Raat Hoya Jaay
09:30 Drama Serial: Kuyashay Ondhokaar
10:02 Drama Serial: Bindu Thekey Brityo
11:30 Total Sports
11:45 Talk Show: Shoya Katha
BBC World News
08:00 BBC World News
08:30 World Business Report
08:45 Sport Today
09:00 BBC World News

05:00 World News Today
06:00 BBC World News
06:30 World Business Report
06:45 Sport Today
07:00 World News Today
08:00 BBC World News
08:30 Our World: The New Wild West
09:00 BBC World News
09:30 HARDtalk (r)
10:00 World News Today Business Edition
10:45 Sport Today
11:00 BBC World News
11:30 HARDtalk (r)
STAR MOVIES
08:50 Bounce
11:00 Kiss Of The Dragon
01:00 Crimson Tide
03:15 Taxi
05:05 The Shipping News
07:15 The Hoax
09:30 Steal
11:10 Die Hard 4.0

STAR WORLD

08:30 Friends
09:30 According To Jim
10:00 My Name Is Earl
10:30 Hope And Faith
11:00 My Wife And Kids
11:30 Ghost Hunters
12:30 The Apprentice
01:30 Heroes
02:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show
03:30 Brothers & Sisters
04:30 Ugly Betty
05:30 Hope And Faith
06:00 My Wife And Kids
06:30 Ghost Hunters
07:30 Friends
08:30 According To Jim
09:00 My Name Is Earl
09:30 The Apprentice
10:30 Bones
11:30 Ghost Hunters

HBO

07:45 Enough
10:30 Analyze That
12:30 Virtuosity
02:45 Let's Go To Prison
04:30 Hollywood One On One 40
05:00 Summer Catch
07:00 No Country For Old Men
09:30 Grendel
11:15 The Pursuit Of Happiness
ZEE STUDIO
08:30 Behind Enemy Lines
10:35 The Whole Ten Yards
12:50 Blind Dating
03:00 Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey
05:00 Connie and Carla
07:10 Last Dance
09:30 The Mirror has two faces
12:20 Stake Out



Rexona Destination Unlimited
On ATN Bangla at 8:00 pm
Travel Show
Anchored by Nova



01:05 Japan Video Topic
02:30 Drama Serial: Kachher Manush
03:15 Drama Serial: Jhuth Jhamela
04:10 Quiz Show: Ispahani Janar Achhey Bolar Achhey
05:30 Ithash-er Ei Diney
06:45 Bajo Ebong Bajao
08:15 Live Show: Kemon Budget Chai
09:00 Kichhu Katha Kichhu Gaan
11:30 Live Show: Kemon Budget Chai

DIGANTO TELEVISION

08:05 Shorol Path
08:30 Dokhin Hawa
09:05 Diganta Shanglaap
12:30 Gaan-er Shera Gaan
03:05 Drama Serial: Gaon Geram-er Manush
03:30 Comedy Serial
04:30 Tom and Jerry
05:30 Shahitya Diganta
06:30 Shuphola Bangladesh

09:10 Events of the Day
10:30 Rong Beronger Khabor
11:00 Bangla Feature Film
03:30 Drama: Khora Ghora
04:00 Nongor
04:30 Documentary Programme
05:15 Cine Tune
06:00 Sqaj Bela
06:45 Filler
07:00 Padmoraa
08:15 Drama Serial: Shunya Mahal
09:00 Music Wagon
11:00 Corporate World

09:30 HARDtalk (r)
10:00 BBC World News
11:00 BBC World News
11:30 World Business Report
11:45 Sport Today
12:00 World News Today
01:00 BBC World News
01:30 World Business Report
01:45 Sport Today
02:00 World News Today
03:00 BBC World News
03:30 HARDtalk (r)
04:00 BBC World News
04:30 Fast Track (r)