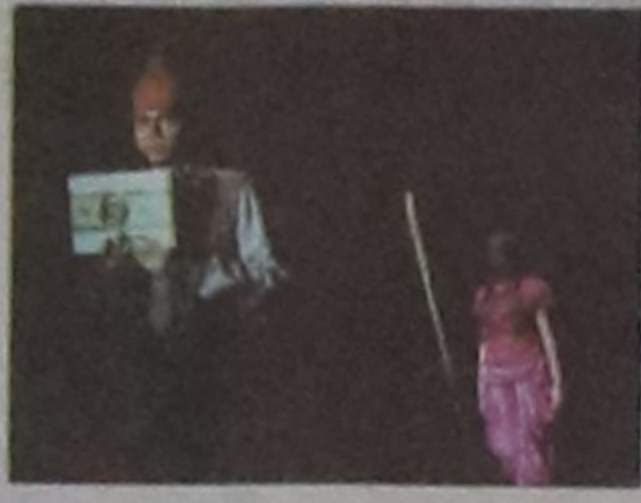


WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Theatre

Celebrating Rabindra Birth Anniversary
Play: Raja... Ebong Onnyanya
Troupe: Prachyanat
Venue: Experimental Theatre Hall, BSA
Date: May 24 & 25
Time: 7pm



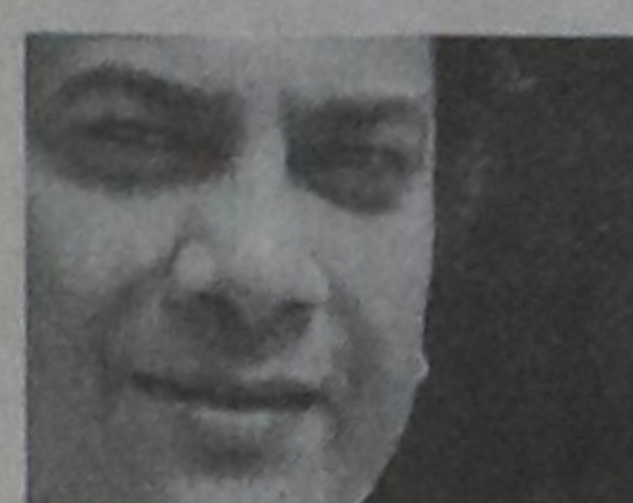
Photography Exhibition

Title: People who are working to develop Bangladesh
Organiser: Maati Imaging Bangladesh
Venue: Dnk Gallery, H 58, Rd 15/A (new), Dhanmondi
Date: May 22-26
Time: 3-6pm



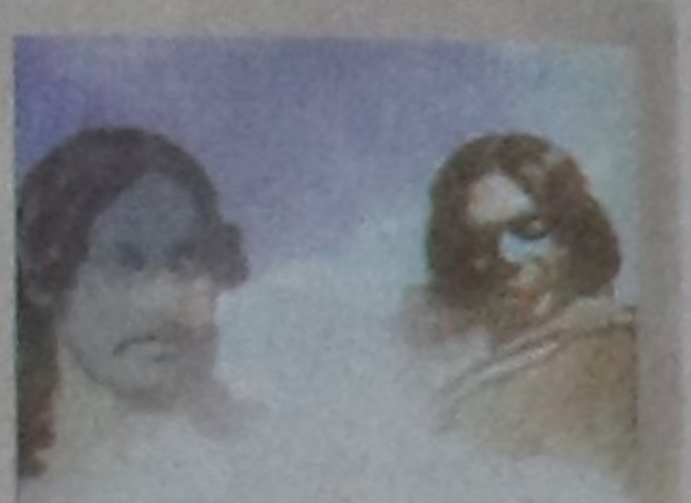
Album Launch

Title: "Gaan Gul Mor" & "Sai Mukh Mone Porey"
Artist: Khairul Anam Shakil
Venue: Bengal Shipalaya, H 275/F, R 27 (old), Dhanmondi
Date: May 23
Time: 6pm



Recitation

Title: Chiro Jagrota
Premier Panglima
Artist: Mahmudul Hasan Shudhohar
Venue: Shawkat Osman Auditorium, Central Public Library
Date: May 23
Time: 7pm



An evening of Tagore and Nazrul songs at Chhayanaut

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

Chhayanaut held its monthly cultural programme 'Srotar Ashor' at Ramesh Chandra Dutt Memorial Auditorium, Chhayanaut Sangskriti Bhaban on May 21. The event featured familiar and not often-heard Tagore and Nazrul songs.

Tagore artists Sajed Akbar and Kanchan Mustafa, and Nazrul Sangeet singers Kalpana Anam and Sushmita Debnath performed at the programme.

The first artiste to perform was Kanchan Mustafa. Kanchan opened his performance with the song "Ei korechho bhalo." Next he rendered "Tomari jhorna tar



Sushmita Debnath (centre) sings at Chhayanaut 'Srotar Ashor.'

He ended with "Amar monirjaney" and "Shopney do(n)hey chhinu ki mohey." Sushmita Debnath presented a moving rendition of

"Surey o banir mala diye" and "Rimjhim rimjhim".

Kalpana Anam started her performance with the Nazrul Sangeet "Thir hoye bosho dekhima." Next she sang "Ganga Sindhu Narmada." Other songs rendered by the artiste were "Ami kul chherey cholilam," "Chokher nesh-e-bhalobasha" and "Kenokarun chokhey."

The last artiste of the evening was Sajed Akbar. Akbar performed "Oi janalar kachhey boshey," "Amra duur akasher nesh-e," "Ki gabo ami ki shonabo," "Loho loho tuley loho" and "Kemonay rakhibitor."

The event ended with the National Anthem. 'Srotar Ashor' is held by Chhayanaut on the third Thursday of every month.

Movie Watch

Terminator Salvation: A fun full-metal racket

Ever since Arnold Schwarzenegger came back from the future to kill Linda Hamilton so she couldn't give birth to Edward Furlong, the "Terminator" series has been on a time-illogical crash course with itself. It seems unlikely, though, that audiences will be caring much about the niceties of relativity when "Terminator Salvation" offers so many other out-sized distractions: towering mechanical assassins; writhing, chrome-plated centipedes; humans engaged in an epic battle, all in a movie that mixes summer blockbuster hysterics with moody, visual grit.

Ex-music-video maker and

"Charlie's Angels" director McG picks up the pre-apocalyptic cue from "T3" and drops the audience in 2018, with the machines of the malevolent Skynet well into their campaign against humankind. Leader-to-be of the human rebellion John Connor (Christian Bale) is an insubordinate lieutenant but has been prophesied to be the saviour of humankind.

The wild card in all this "T"-ness is Marcus (Sam Worthington), a Death Row inmate-turned-cyborg. "You think you're human," Connor tells him, and indeed he does.

Marcus the machine is a far

more interesting character than Connor.

The world McG presents to the viewers is scorched and hostile, and the action is startling and visceral. Significantly, "Terminator Salvation" (or, affectionately, "T4") takes itself far more seriously than its predecessors. That might have come off as pretentious but instead seems believable - as believable as a movie can be, anyway, when it's about besieged humanity, occupational forces, rebel insurgencies, torture, lawlessness and warfare by remote control.

Source: Internet



John Connor (Christian Bale) with a Hydrobot Terminator in "Terminator Salvation."

Painting on children's issues

MIRZA SHAKIL, Tangail

A painting event for children was held in Tangail town last Thursday. The theme was children's issues.

Tangail unit of National Children's Task Force (NCTF), an NGO, organised the programme at Shaheed Smriti Poura Udyan in association with Bangladesh Shishu Acad-

emy, and NGOs UPAMA and Save the Children Australia.

A total of 60 child members of NCTF took part in the programme and painted on a range of issues like child labour, child abuse, child trafficking, early marriage etc.

Among others, Faruque Alam, Tangail manager of Save the Children Austra-



Children paint at the event.

lia, NCTF adviser Shahidul Islam Shanta and UPAMA chief executive BA Siddiqui Shahin attended the programme.

The programme was a part of preparations for a dialogue between children and a cross section of people and government officials at the Zila Shishu Academy (to be held on May 25), organisers said.



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

On Air

ATN BANGLA

- 08:15 Aker Shangbadpotro
- 08:30 Dance Programme: Nupur-er Chhondey
- 09:15 Asian City Vision 2020
- 10:30 Hello Bangladesh
- 11:05 Drama Serial: Tomaar Doyay Bhalo Achhi Maa
- 12:15 Musical Programme: Shesh Okkhor
- 01:30 Documentary Programme: Prapok
- 02:40 Bangla Feature Film
- 05:30 Chaar Deyaler Kabyo
- 06:20 Square Hospitala Shushtho Thakun
- 06:45 Kaandey Amaar Maa
- 08:00 Drama Serial: Karo Kono Niti Nai
- 08:40 Drama Serial: Eka
- 09:20 Drama Serial: Naksha
- 11:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House
- 12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

CHANNEL 1

- 08:05 Rabindra Sangeet
- 08:30 Shokaler Gaan
- 09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh
- 09:45 Public Reaction
- 09:50 Grameenphone Trilo Matra
- 11:05 Amader Aaina
- 12:05 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma
- 12:30 Talk Show: Citycell Taroka Kathan
- 01:05 Musical Programme: Ebong Cinemar Gaan
- 01:30 Shobaar Jonoy Shorboshesh Bigyan Dharon
- 02:30 Rabindra Mela 2009
- 05:30 Mukti Judhho Protidin
- 06:00 Talk Show: Amader Television
- 06:20 Jibon Jekhaney Jemon
- 07:50 Mega Serial: Sakin Sharishuri
- 09:35 Hridoye Mati O Manush
- 10:00 Drama Serial: Nine Months in Brick Lane
- 11:30 Drama Serial: Amader Chhoto

- 12:00 Grameenphone Aker Shangbadpotro
- 09:30 Drama Serial: Channel 21
- 10:02 Deho Ghon
- 11:30 Spondon
- 02:02 Bangla Feature Film
- 05:30 Sports plus
- 06:30 Bhubhurey Dot Com
- 07:45 Dhum Ta Na
- 09:30 Drama Serial: Channel 42
- 10:10 Golpo Sholpo Gaan
- 12:02 Ekusher Raat
- 08:30 Drama: Mohor
- 09:05 Ekantyo Shangaap
- 12:30 Pathey Prantorey
- 02:30 TV Series



Monkora
On Rtv at 9:45 pm
Drama Serial
Cast: Kushum Shikdar, Anisur Rahman Milon

- 03:05 Drama Serial: Shesh Kothay
- 03:30 Selected Programme
- 04:30 Shokaal Belaar Pakhi
- 05:30 Cartoon
- 06:05 Desh Diganta
- 06:30 Shorol Path
- 08:30 Rang Rup
- 08:30 Drama Serial: Bntyer Bhlter Eka
- 09:25 Career Line
- 11:05 Shobaar Agey Desh
- 09:00 Concert

- 10:03 Drama Serial: Alla Shundori
- 10:50 Taroka Alap
- 11:30 Drama Serial: FDC
- 02:03 Documentary Programme
- 03:00 Drama: Bidhya Asram
- 06:03 Protidin
- 07:00 Heart Beat
- 09:00 Just Band
- 09:45 Drama Serial: Mon Kora
- 11:00 Jegey Achho Ki
- 08:00 Shubho Shokal
- 08:30 Drama Serial: Mama Bhagney
- 09:00 Kemon Budget Chai
- 09:30 Choturango
- 10:10 Shamol Bangla Exclusive
- 11:05 Jonotaar Mukhomukhi
- 12:00 Shongbaad Shorboshesh
- 01:30 Drama Serial: Shada Megh Kalo Megh



- 02:40 Drama Serial: Antynikhyo
- 03:20 Anyo Nayan
- 04:10 Gaanalap
- 05:20 Talk Show: Obhobashir Ghamer Taka
- 06:00 Citycell Din-er Sheshey
- 06:20 Din Bodoler Manush
- 06:50 Positive Bangladesh
- 08:15 Drama Serial: Rupnagoner Konya
- 09:05 Talk Show: Lizan Mehedi Amar Ami
- 09:45 Daily Soap: Gulshan Avenue
- 11:25 Poroshpor

- 12:10 Shangbad Protidin
- 09:02 Patrikar Protidin
- 10:30 Khelaar Shokaal
- 12:15 Dur Paath
- 02:30 Bangla Feature Film
- 04:00 Desh Janopad
- 06:02 Musical Programme: Gaan-er Shurey Ashon Khani
- 07:45 Shangkriti-r Bangladesh
- 08:15 Urukku
- 09:30 Drama Serial: Shubhro
- 10:02 Drama Serial: Comet
- 10:30 Total Sports
- 11:45 Shoja Katha



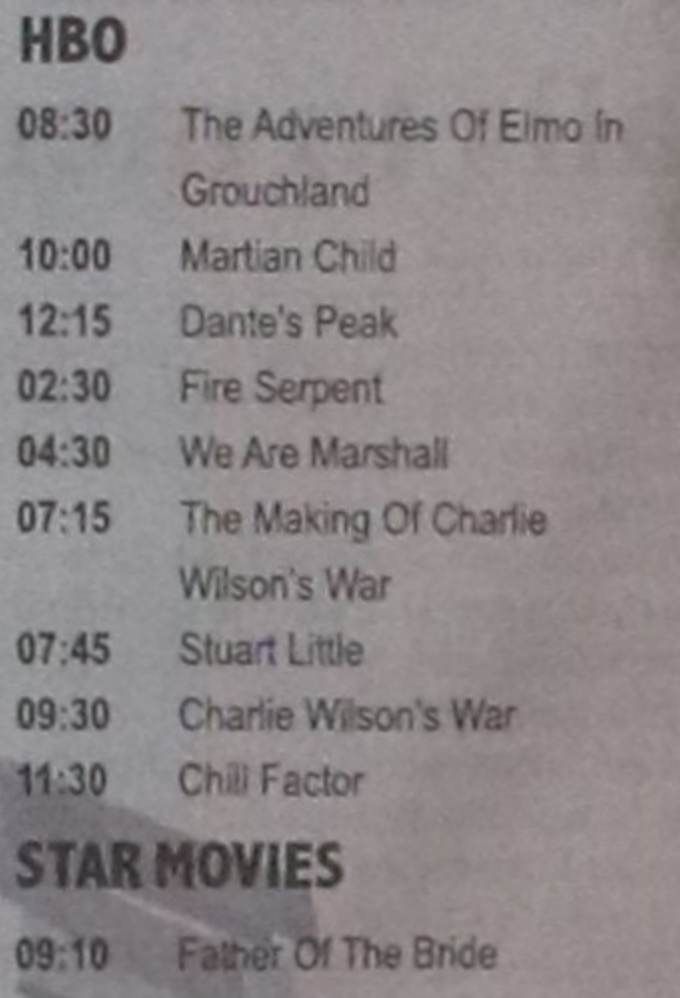
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- 04:30 Amaar Ghar
- 05:15 Shondhikhoney
- 06:00 Saaj Bela
- 06:45 Selected Programme
- 08:15 Drama Serial: Maa Baba Bhai Bon
- 09:00 Drama Serial: Moyur Bhahon
- 09:45 Events of the Day

- 11:00 Corporate World
- 08:00 BBC World News
- 08:10 Tim Marlow On... Picasso
- 09:00 BBC World News
- 09:30 Newsnight
- 10:00 BBC World News
- 10:30 Cooking In The Danger Zone
- 11:00 BBC World News
- 11:30 Our World: The New Wild West (r)
- 12:00 BBC World News
- 12:30 Middle East Business Report (r)
- 01:00 BBC World News
- 01:30 Dateline London
- 02:00 BBC World News
- 02:15 Sport Today
- 02:30 The Record Europe
- 03:00 BBC World News



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- 11:00 BBC World News
- 11:30 HARDtalk (r)
- 08:30 THE SIMPSONS
- 10:30 ACCORDING TO JIM
- 11:30 AMERICAN IDOL
- 01:30 LOST
- 02:30 JIMMY KIMMEL LIVE
- 04:30 LOST
- 06:30 AMERICAN IDOL
- 08:30 90210
- 09:30 BONES
- 10:30 BOSTON LEGAL
- 11:30 HEROES



- 08:30 The Adventures Of Elmo In Grouchland
- 10:00 Martian Child
- 12:15 Dante's Peak
- 02:30 Fire Serpent
- 04:30 We Are Marshall
- 07:15 The Making Of Charlie Wilson's War
- 09:45 Stuart Little
- 07:30 Charlie Wilson's War
- 11:30 Chili Factor
- 09:10 Father Of The Bride
- 11:20 Signs
- 01:30 10 Items Or Less
- 03:15 27 Dresses
- 05:25 Conan The Destroyer
- 07:30 Six Days Seven Nights
- 09:30 Rookie, The
- 11:55 John Rambo