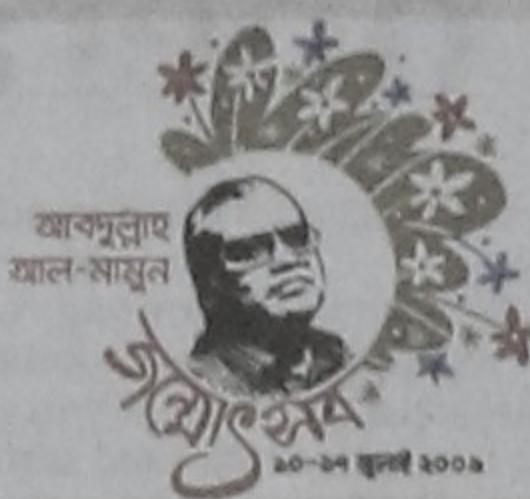


## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

To celebrate Abdullah Al Mamun birth anniversary  
Organiser: Theatre  
Venue: Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy  
Date: July 10-17  
Time: 6:30pm onwards



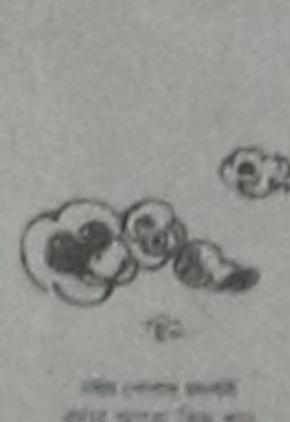
## Display of books and materials

Title: 115th birth anniversary of Isaac Babel  
Organiser: Russian Centre of Science And Culture, Dhaka  
Venue: RCSC, H-42 (510), R-7, Dhammendorf  
Date: July 1-14



## Exhibition

Title: Barhsar Aro Kichhu Gaan  
Organiser: Nitya Upahar  
Venue: Gallery Nitya Upahar, 4th floor, Aziz Co-operative Super Market, Shahbagh  
Date: June 27-July 27  
Time: 10am-8pm



## Solo Art Exhibition

Title: Nature Offerings  
Sculptor: AKM Alamgir Huque  
Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, H-275/F, Rd 27 (old), Dhammendorf  
Date: July 8-21  
Time: 12-8pm



## Zainul-Quamrul Int'l Children's Art Competition '09 in December

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

Named after two of the most recognised artists of the country -- Zainul Abedin and Patua Quamrul Hassan -- an international painting competition for the children will be held in December. The event, "Zainul-Quamrul International Children's Painting Competition '09," will be organised jointly by Gendaria Kisholoy Kochi-Kachar Mela and Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy (BSA). At a press conference, held at the BSA premises on July 8, the organisers informed about the competition in detail.

The competition will feature paintings by children, aged between three and sixteen. Based on age, children will divide into four groups -- 'Ka,' 'Kha,' 'Ga' and 'Gha.' The size of the painting should be 1116, or 622 inch. The last date for submitting artworks is September 30 this year. Children are allowed to paint on any subject, in any medium.

A panel of judges featuring noted artists of the country will evaluate the artworks. A five-day exhibition featuring the award-winning artworks will be held from December 26 to 30 at

the National Art Gallery, BSA. The award giving ceremony will be held at the National Theatre Hall on the concluding day. This year a total of 84 awards, including four gold medals, and 116 certificates will be given.

Gendaria Kisholoy has been organising the competition biennially since 2001. The last instalment of the competition was held in 2007, where children from 24 countries participated.

The organisers informed that this year they are expecting submissions from more countries. "So far we have officially contacted nearly 80 countries through respective embassies and hope that more countries than the previous instalments will participate this time around," said member secretary of the competition, Md. Jalal Uddin.

"It is a privilege for Shilpakala Academy to get involved with such an event," said Kamal Lohani, director general, BSA.

Among others, Shafiqur Rahman Dul, director, Kochi-Kachar Mela; Musfiq Ahmed, director, Department of Fine Arts, BSA and Kamol Kanti Baidya spoke at the press conference.



(Front row-from left) Kamol Kanti Baidya, Kamal Lohani, Shafiqur Rahman Dul, Musfiq Ahmed and Md. Jalal Uddin at the press conference.

## Mariah apologises for Jackson Memorial performance

Mariah Carey wishes she had done a better job performing "the Jackson 5's" biggest hit, "I'll Be There," at Michael Jackson's memorial Tuesday at Los Angeles' Staples Center.

On her Twitter page, the singer says she was just too overcome with emotion. As Carey sang the song with frequent collaborator Trey Lorenz, photos of Jackson flashed on a huge screen above them.

"Trying to sing today was



basically impossible for me," writes Carey. "I could barely keep myself from crying. I'm sorry that I wasn't able to pull it together and really do it right, but I was literally choked up when I saw him there in front of me."

"One thing I know is, we will never really have to say goodbye to MJ. His legacy lives on through his music and the millions of people he inspired with his timeless music. He will be forever in our hearts," she adds.

Source: Internet

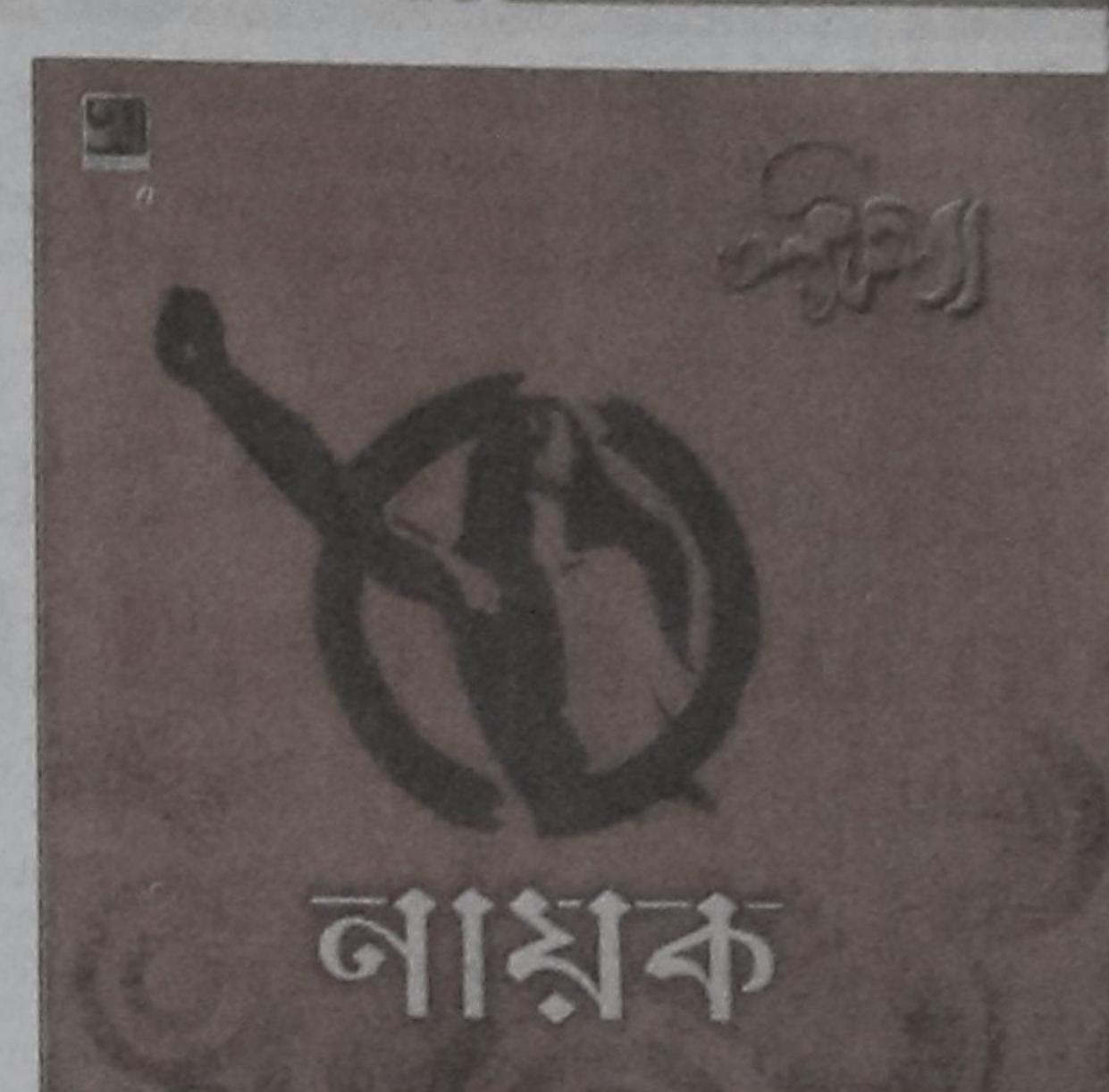
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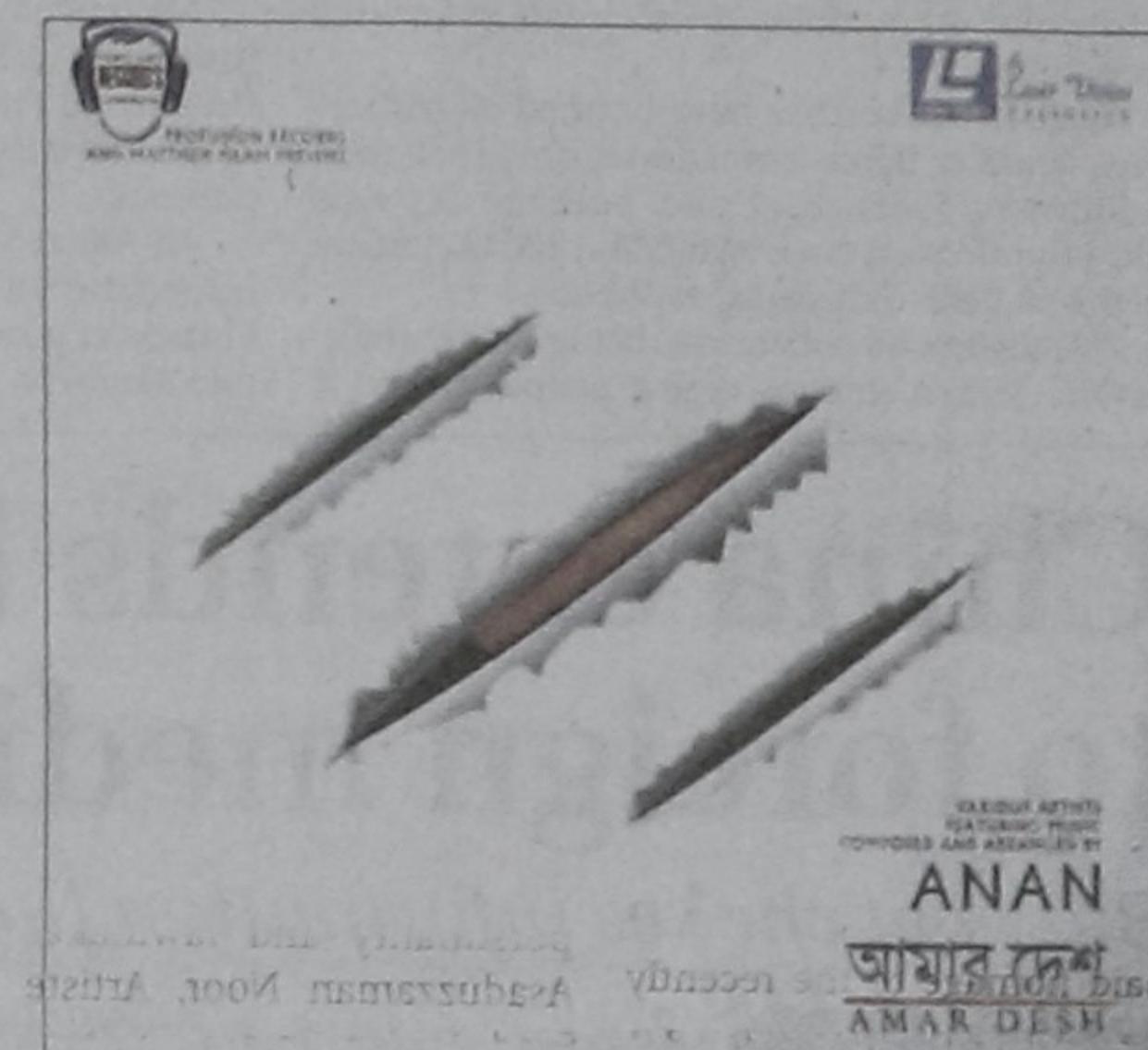
**Pia Ghar Aye**  
An album of classical (vocal) music by noted singer Ferdousi Rahman  
Source: Laser Vision



**Classical Renaissance (vocal)**  
Kheyali Pankaj Basu  
Source: Surer Mela



**Nayak**  
Debut album of the band Leela  
Source: Bahirana Audio Visual & Agniveena



**Amar Desh**  
Mixed album featuring folk songs by Anan, Shithi and others  
Source: Laser Vision

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

## On Air

## BTV

09:05 Documentary Programme: Phirey Dekha  
09:30 Sisimpur  
10:05 Amader Golpo  
10:55 Jaantey Chai Janatey Chai  
11:20 Documentary Programme: Tomader Bhubona  
11:30 Amader Angina  
12:10 Theatre  
02:05 Islamic Programme  
02:30 Mati O Manush  
03:00 Bangla Feature Film  
07:20 TV Series: Around the World in 80 Days  
08:30 Drama Serial: Onu Natok  
09:00 Poribartan  
10:25 Special Programme

## ATN BANGLA

08:15 Ajker Shanaabdpotro  
08:30 Drama Serial: Joyotsnakaal  
09:20 Educational Programme: BSB Cambrian Education Zone  
10:30 Cookery Show: ATN Rannagar  
11:05 Islamic Programme  
02:30 Islamic Programme  
03:15 Bangla Feature Film  
05:00 Gram Gonjer Khobor  
06:15 Amra Korbo Joy  
06:45 Kandey Amaar Maa  
08:00 Drama: Shunnosthan Purno  
09:20 Drama Serial: Tomara Doa-e Bhalo Achhi Ma  
10:40 Bibekor Kachhey Proshno  
11:30 Daily Soap: Doll's House  
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

## CHANNEL i

08:05 Tagore Song  
08:30 Musical Programme: Shokaal-er Gaan  
09:30 Shangbadpotre Bangladesh  
09:45 Public Reaction  
09:50 Grameenphone Trito Matra  
10:30 Grameenphone Teleshomoy  
11:30 Islamic Programme  
12:05 Talk Show: Kora Alap  
12:30 Grameenphone Tritcomatray

02:35 Musical Programme  
04:05 Mukti Juddho Protidin  
04:30 Shamoyiki  
05:30 Talent Hunt: Sur Doria Epar  
07:50 Talent Hunt: Channel i Shera  
Kontho' 09  
09:35 Drama Serial: Version Z  
10:00 Drama Serial: Nine Months in Brick Lane  
11:30 Sangsad Ei Shaptahey  
12:00 Grameenphone Ajker Shangbadpotro

**Rtv**

08:30 Shastho Protidin  
08:55 Amaro Gaitey Ichchhha  
09:30 Bhalobesha Mor Gaan  
10:30 Musical Programme: Music Wave  
11:30 Selected Programme

## ntv

10:50 Talk Show: Taraka Alap

11:30 Drama Serial: FDC

01:03 Griho Sholli

02:03 Documentary Programme

03:00 Drama: Ghosh Phol

06:03 Protidin

07:00 Dhupradhi Kahini

07:30 Road to Democracy

12:02 Phone O Live Studio Concert

09:00 Musical Programme: Bashuda Tomaar Jonyo Amar El gaan

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