

WHAT'S
ON THIS
WEEKPhotography
Exhibition

Title: 60 Shots
Organiser: Bangladesh Photographers
Venue: Chobir-Haat (Opposite to the Faculty of Fine Arts)
Date: August 13-15

Solo Woodcut Print
Exhibition

Title: Kaleidoscopic Complexity
Artist: Anisuzzaman
Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, 275/F, Rd 27, Dhanmondi
Date: August 9-22
Time: 12-8pm

Group Art
Exhibition

Title: 10 Episodes
Venue: Shilpangan, H 26, Rd 3, Dhanmondi
Date: July 31-Aug 11
Time: 12-8pm



Art Exhibition

Title: SHOMOKAL-2
Venue: Galleri Kaya, Uttara
Date: July 31-August 11
Time: 11am-8pm

Int'l Day of the World's Indigenous
People celebrated

A dance performance by indigenous artistes at the programme.

AMINUL ISLAM, Mymensingh
A cultural programme was held here on August 8 marking the International Day of

the World's Indigenous People. Different cultural groups from Mymensingh, Tangail, Jamalpur, Sherpur, Netrakona and Kishoreganj attended the daylong

programme held at the local Shilpakala Academy. The programme included traditional dance and songs by performers from the indigenous communities.

The artistes presented socio-cultural activities of their daily life through the performances. A rally was brought out in the town on the occasion.

The daylong programme was attended by hundreds of indigenous people. Additional Deputy Commissioner of Mymensingh (General) Mohammad Mohsin inaugurated the event. Tushar Daring, convener of International Indigenous Day Celebration Committee presided over the inaugural session. CARITAS Regional Director, Theofil Nokrek, among others, spoke as special guest.

In observance of the day, a discussion titled "To establish social, cultural and land rights with constitutional reorganisation" was held at the same venue. Professor MA Sattar Mandal, Vice-Chancellor of Bangladesh Agricultural University

(BAU), was the chief guest. Subash Jengsum, president of International Indigenous Day Celebration Committee, chaired the programme.

The speakers said that the traditions and heritage of the indigenous groups enrich the national culture. However, the indigenous way of life is constantly under threat. This way of life, languages and culture should be upheld for the generations to come, the speakers added.

They also said that rights of indigenous people should be protected to ensure a harmonious society.

Among others, Professor Jatin Sarker, former president of Udichi central unit; Dr. Mohammad Shamsuddin; Proctor of BAU, Professor Harun-ur-Rashid and Stephen Samar Sangma also participated at the discussion. Greener Marak presented the key-note paper at the discussion.

A congregation of Bauls
in Kushtia

AMANUR AMAN, Kushtia

'National Baul Fair 2009,' organised jointly by Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy and UNESCO ended in Kushtia on August 9. The fair continued non-stop for 30 hours, starting at 6 pm on August 8.

Held at Kushtia Shilpakala Academy premises, the fair was an output of the 22-day workshop on Baul music that ended last month in Kushtia. Country Representative of UNESCO, Bangladesh, Malama Meleisea inaugurated the fair. Former President of Bangladesh Supreme Court Bar Association, Barrister Amir-ul-Islam presided over the event.

Director General of Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Kamal Lohani spoke on the occasion. Deputy Commissioner of Kushtia, Abdul Mannan was the special guest. Amirul Islam, general secretary of Kushtia Shilpakala Academy, gave the welcome speech.

Around 400 Bauls from across the country assembled at the fair. The

Kushtia Shilpakala Academy arranged accommodation and other facilities for the Bauls.

In his speech, Malama Meleisea said that Lalon's philosophy preaches humanism. The Bauls consider the human body as a vehicle or cage and the soul as an elusive bird or the unattainable.

UNESCO, in association with Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, has initiated a project titled 'Action Plan for Safeguarding of Baul Songs' to organise the mystics and rural bards from different parts of the country in a bid to promote the pure form of Lalon's songs.

The workshop started on June 17 and continued till July 8. A total of 120 Bauls of different ages and from different districts took part in the workshop. UNESCO declared Baul music as Masterpiece of Heritage of Humanity in Paris on November 26, 2005.



Around 400 Bauls took part in the fair jointly organised by Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy and UNESCO.

Condolence meeting in memory of Hena Das

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal

Politicians, academics, cultural activists and others attended a citizens' condolence meeting in memory of the women's rights activist Hena Das last Saturday.

The meeting organised by Hena Das Commemoration Committee was held at the Barisal NGO Development Network in the city.

Rabeya Khatun, convener of Hena Das Commemoration Committee, chaired the meeting.

Among others, freedom fighter

Akkas Hossain, social activist Habibur Rahman, Anwar Zahid, Mizanur Rahman and Sushanto Ghosh spoke on the occasion.

Secretary of the Communist Party, Barisal, AK Azad said that Hena Das followed the communist ideals throughout her life and never deviated from her values.

He also recalled the remarkable role of Hena Das in developing the education system as a leader of the teachers.

Journalist S Ali Mohammad said Hena Das tried to bring about a radical change in the education system of the country.



News Bulletin

BTV
News Headlines (Bangla) at 9:00 am.
News (Bangla) at 8:00 am 2:00 pm 5:00 pm 8:00 pm.
News (English) at 10:00 am 4:00 pm 10:00 pm.
Late Night News (Bangla and English) 11:30 pm. (To be telecast on all Bangla channels).

CHANNEL-i
News (Bangla): 7:00 am 9:00 am 2:00 pm 9:00 pm 10:30 pm 12:30 am
Jonopad-er Khobor: 5:15 pm

ATN BANGLA
NEWS (Bangla): 6:00 am 10:00 am 2:00 pm 7:00 pm 10:00 pm 11:00 pm 1:00 am 4:00 am
News Every Hour: 7:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm 01:00 pm 3:00 pm 04:00 pm
News (English): 9:00 am 6:00 pm
Gram-Ganjor Khobor: 5:00 pm

BANGLAVISION
News (Bangla) at 7:30 am 1:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:15 pm 10:30 pm.
News Headlines (Bangla) at 10:00 am 12:00 am 4:00 pm.
News (English) at 6:00 pm

Rtv
News (Bangla): 2:30 pm 4:30 pm 6:30 pm 8:30 pm 10:30 pm 12:30 am

ntv
News (Bangla): 7:30 am 12:02 pm 2:00 pm 7:30 pm 10:30 pm 1:00 am

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

abc radio
News: 08:00 am 12:00 pm 03:00 pm 06:00 pm 09:00 pm 12:00 am
English Bulletin: 1:30 pm 7:30 pm

RADIO TODAY
News: 08:45 am 01:45 pm 06:45 pm 09:45 pm 11:45 pm

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

On Air

BTV

08:45 Shokaal-er Gaan
09:05 Documentary Programme
09:30 Swastha Katha
10:05 Open University
10:30 Selected Programme
11:20 Documentary Programme
12:10 Selected Programme
01:00 Protkar
01:30 Selected Programme
03:05 Cartoon
03:30 Shukhi Ponbaar
04:05 Jibon-er Jonjo
04:30 Musical Programme: Geet Bitan

05:05 Moner Katha
05:30 Krishi Dibanishi
07:00 Mati O Manush
07:25 Shondhamaloti
07:45 Documentary Programme: Phirey Dekha

08:25 Documentary Programme: Ithash Oitijhye Bangladesh
08:30 Drama Serial: Mofiz Mokhes Kuddus

09:00 Drama: Shadharon Golpo
09:30 Rupali porda
10:25 Selected Programme

ATN BANGLA

08:15 Aiker Shangbad Potro
08:30 Drama Serial: Karo Kono Neeti Nai

09:15 Drama Serial: Naksha
10:30 Hello Bangladesh
11:15 Talk Show: Asian City Top Spin

12:15 Shomali Shadakalo
01:25 Musical Programme: ATN Music

02:30 Chhobir Manush
03:15 Drama Serial: O Amar Chokhkhhu Nai

03:45 Children's Programme: Tapur Tapur
04:20 Agricultural Programme: Shomali Din

05:10 Game Show: Onnonya
05:35 Obiram Bangladesh
06:20 Talk Show: Katha Mala
06:45 Kaandey Amaar Ma
08:00 Drama Serial: Baaksho
08:40 Drama Serial: Tomato Ketchup

09:20 Drama Serial: Joyotsna Kaal
11:30 Drama Serial: Hothat Shimantey
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

CHANNEL-i

09:30 Shangbaadpotrey Bangladesh
09:45 Public Reaction
09:50 Grameenphone Tritio Matra
11:05 BBC Bangladesh Shinglaap
12:30 Talk Show: Citycell Taroka Kathan

01:05 Ebong Cinemar Gaan
01:30 Musical Programme: Sa Re Ga Ma

02:30 Hridoyer Gaan
03:05 i Sports
03:20 Boi Ebong Boi
03:40 Cookery Show
04:10 Mukti Judhyo Protidin

04:30 Musical Programme: Sangeetmala
05:30 Talk Show: Kathay Kathay

02:30 Drama Serial: Lolita
03:15 Ekusher Chokh
03:30 Cookery Show: Tomi Mian Recipe

04:02 Talk Show: O Bandhu Amar
04:30 Shomali Shadakalo
05:30 Sports Plus
05:45 Binondon-er Bishwa

07:45 Game Show: Bari Bari Jombe khela
08:30 Drama Serial: Hitlu
09:30 Drama Serial: Zahur Ali Zahuri

10:10 Talk Show: Golpo Sholpo Gaan
08:55 Drama Serial: Bari Bari Shan Shan
09:30 Tomader Pelo Bangladesh

10:05 Drama Serial: House Full
11:00 Kichhu Kotha Kichhu Gaan
11:30 Music Jam
01:05 Tomader Bhulbona

02:30 Drama Serial: Kachher Manush
03:10 Shangskriti Ei Shoptaho
03:45 Tomader Pelo Bangladesh

04:10 Janar Achhey Bolaar Achhey
05:35 Frankly Speaking
06:45 Drama Serial: 1920
08:15 Glamour World

09:45 Drama Serial: Palotik Mon
11:25 Interview of Dr. Muhammad Yunus

BANGLAVISION
08:00 Shubho Shokaal
08:30 Drama Serial: Ontoyorikhyo

ETV
08:30 Ekush-er Shokal
09:55 Ekushey Business

09:50 Talk Show: Khola Akash
06:20 Drama Series: Robin Hood
06:45 Business Show
07:50 Talent Hunt: Channel i Shera Kontho

09:30 Drama Serial: Shobkichhu
Bhengey Porey
10:00 Western Union Probashi
11:30 Drama Serial: Pacific-er Parey
12:00 Grameenphone Ajker Shangbadpotro



Special interview of
Nobel laureate Dr. Muhammad Yunus
On ntv at 11:30 pm



09:00 Mega Serial: The Family
Sports Time
10:10 Selected Programme
11:30 Orthoniti Shinglaap
12:30 Drama Serial: Kusum Kumari
01:30 Drama Serial: Mama Bhagney
02:40 Drama Serial: Rupnogorer Konya
04:10 Cookery Show: Amader Rannaghar
04:45 Kinbadantir Dhaka
05:20 X Crime
06:00 Din-er Sheshey
06:20 Ebong Classier Bairey
06:50 Point of Order
08:15 Drama Serial: Mama Bhagney
09:05 Musical Programme: Gaanlalap
09:45 Drama: Diba Ratir Khola Thakey
11:25 Good Night Raat Biraatey
RTV
08:50 Good Shot

11:30 Very Filmy
DESH TV
12:15 Dur Path
04:30 Bazarey Notun
05:02 Cartoon
05:30 Baatighar
06:02 Eibar Jombey Khela
07:45 Binodon Duniya
08:15 Drama Serial: Shorolikoron
09:45 Ichchhey Holo
10:30 Total Sports
11:45 Shoja Katha
STAR MOVIES
11:05 Get Over It
12:50 Huadu Chronicles: Blade Of Rose
03:00 House Of Fury
05:00 Clerks II
06:50 Mr Magorium's Wonder Emporium
08:45 30 Days Until I'm Famous

10:30 Friends
11:00 Everybody Loves Raymond
11:30 According To Jim
12:00 Most Daring
01:00 Koffee With Karan
02:00 Friends
02:30 Reaper
03:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show
05:00 What About Brian
07:00 According To Jim
07:30 90210
08:30 Friends
09:30 Everybody Loves Raymond
10:00 Two And A Half Men
10:30 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out Of Here!
11:30 Prison Break
HBO
10:45 Martian Child
11:00 Hollywood One On One 51
01:30 Boa Vs Python
03:15 The 6th Day
05:45 The Making Of The Bourne Ultimatum
06:15 Dragonheart
08:45 Lost Boys: The Tribe
10:30 Notting Hill
01:00 Torque
BBC WORLD NEWS
09:00 BBC World News
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 Nature Inc. (r)
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 Kill Or Cure?
09:00 BBC World News
09:30 HARDtalk (r)
10:00 World News Today Business Edition
11:45 Sport Today
11:00 BBC World News
11:30 HARDtalk (r)

ZEE STUDIO

09:30 Intermission
11:40 The House Holder
01:55 Calendar Girls
04:25 Get shorty
05:30 Secret Window
07:40 Match Point
10:30 Holy Man
01:05 Blind Dating
STAR WORLD
09:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show