

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Photo Exhibition
On the occasion of 60th birth anniversary of Werner Herzog
Title: Film Must be Physical
Venue: Goethe-Institut Bangladesh, H 10, Rd 9, Dhanmondi
Date: Sep 16-Oct 8



Solo Painting Exhibition
Artist: Shahabuddin
Venue: Gallery Chittrak, H 21, Rd 4, Dhanmondi
Date: September 18-Oct 9
Time: 10am-1pm, 5-8pm



Film Screening
Celebrating 50 years of Alliance Francaise de Dhaka (AFD)
Venue: AFD, 26, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi
Date: September 27-30
Time: 5pm onwards
September 27: 'Quest for Fire' & 'Diva'



Photo Exhibition
Images of tourist sites of Moscow and St. Petersburg
Venue: Lobby, Russian Centre of Science & Culture, H 42, Rd 7, Dhanmondi
Date: September 1-30



Appeasing the snake goddess

Manasha Puja in Magura

OUR CORRESPONDENT,
Magura

The Manasha Puja festival was celebrated recently amidst religious fervour, harmony and gaiety at the Boiragipara Temple, Natunbazaar area in Magura town.

Although the Hindu community throughout the country celebrated Manasha Puja in August, the residents of Natunbazaar area have been observing it annually on the last day of the Bhadra month (of the Bengali calendar) for the last three years. An interesting anecdote surrounds this festival in Boiragipara: Local devotees say that a man



Idol of Manasha at the Boiragipara Temple.

from the area vowed to observe a special Manasha Puja three years ago when three people in the area faced

death and several others fell ill from snakebites.

"I promised to arrange Manasha Puja every year on

the last day of Bhadra to appease the snake goddess. I made this vow when in a dream I saw the snake goddess. Local people had been attacked by snakes," said Santu Adhikari to this correspondent.

Like every year, on September 17 ardent devotees from various areas of the district thronged the Boiragipara Temple premises to observe the festival and to make their offerings to the snake goddess.

"Manasha Mangal" was recited, while food was distributed among the devotees and the poor. Spiritual songs were also performed at the temple premises.

Eid special

Aporinamdorshi on Rtv today

"Aporinamdorshi" is a play with a serious look on our everyday lives. Everyone makes mistakes, whether in public or at home; some guilt remain while often some wrongdoings are unintentional. The story of this play is based on such errors that we make and their outcomes. It is about the lessons learnt and those yet to be acknowledged.

The cast includes Azad Abul Kalam, Jenny, Rounak Hassan, Hira Kibria, Moutushi, Shahriar Shuvo and others.

"It's about the reality that surrounds us. Even though the story is simple, the approach is, I believe, impressive. Everything is linked, and that's what makes it beautiful. A lot of hard work went behind it," said Hira who has acted in the play, and was also the assistant director.

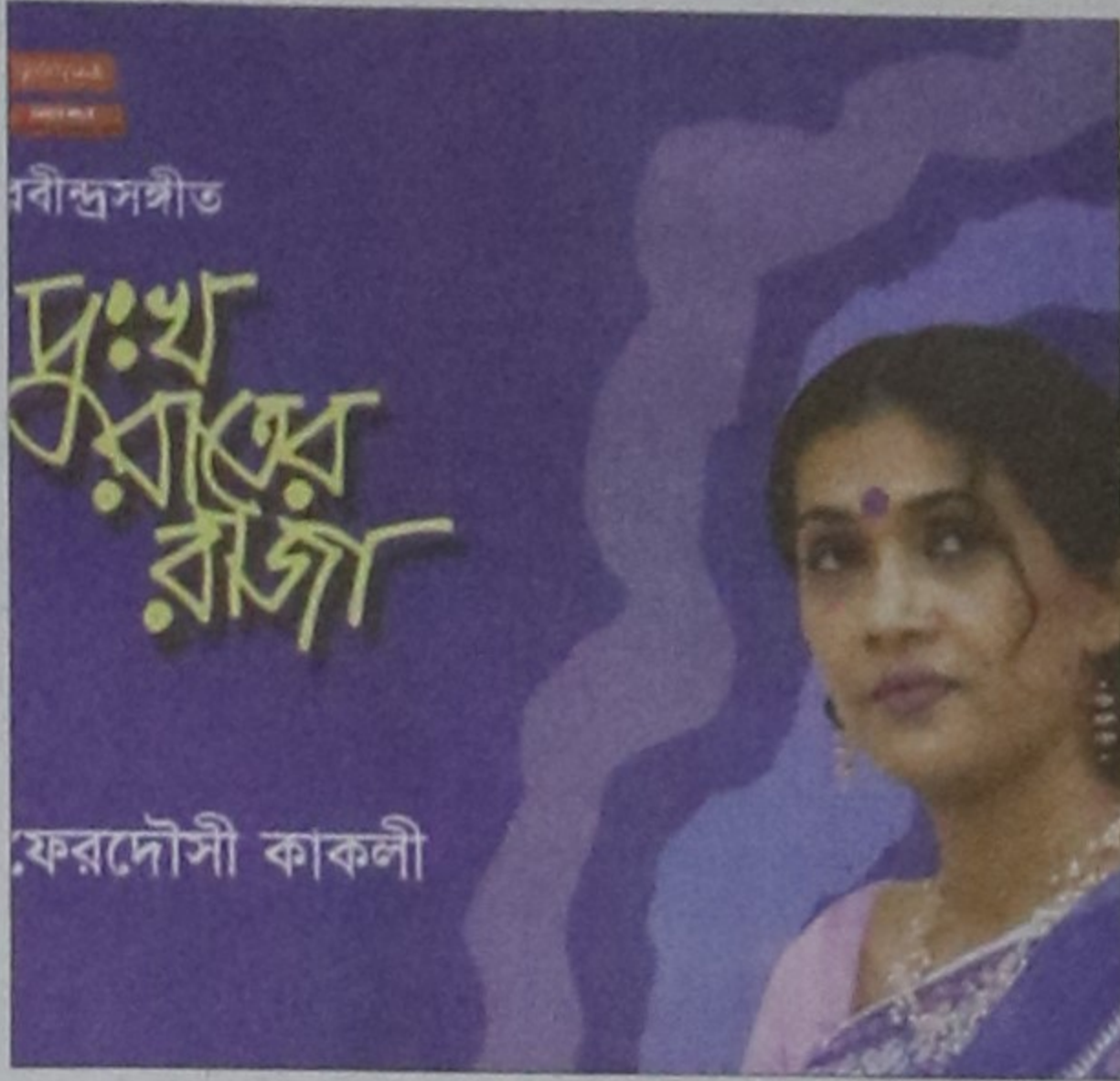
The play has been written and directed by Sheehab Shaheen and was shot in different areas of Dhaka city.

"Aporinamdorshi" will be aired today at 3 pm on Rtv.

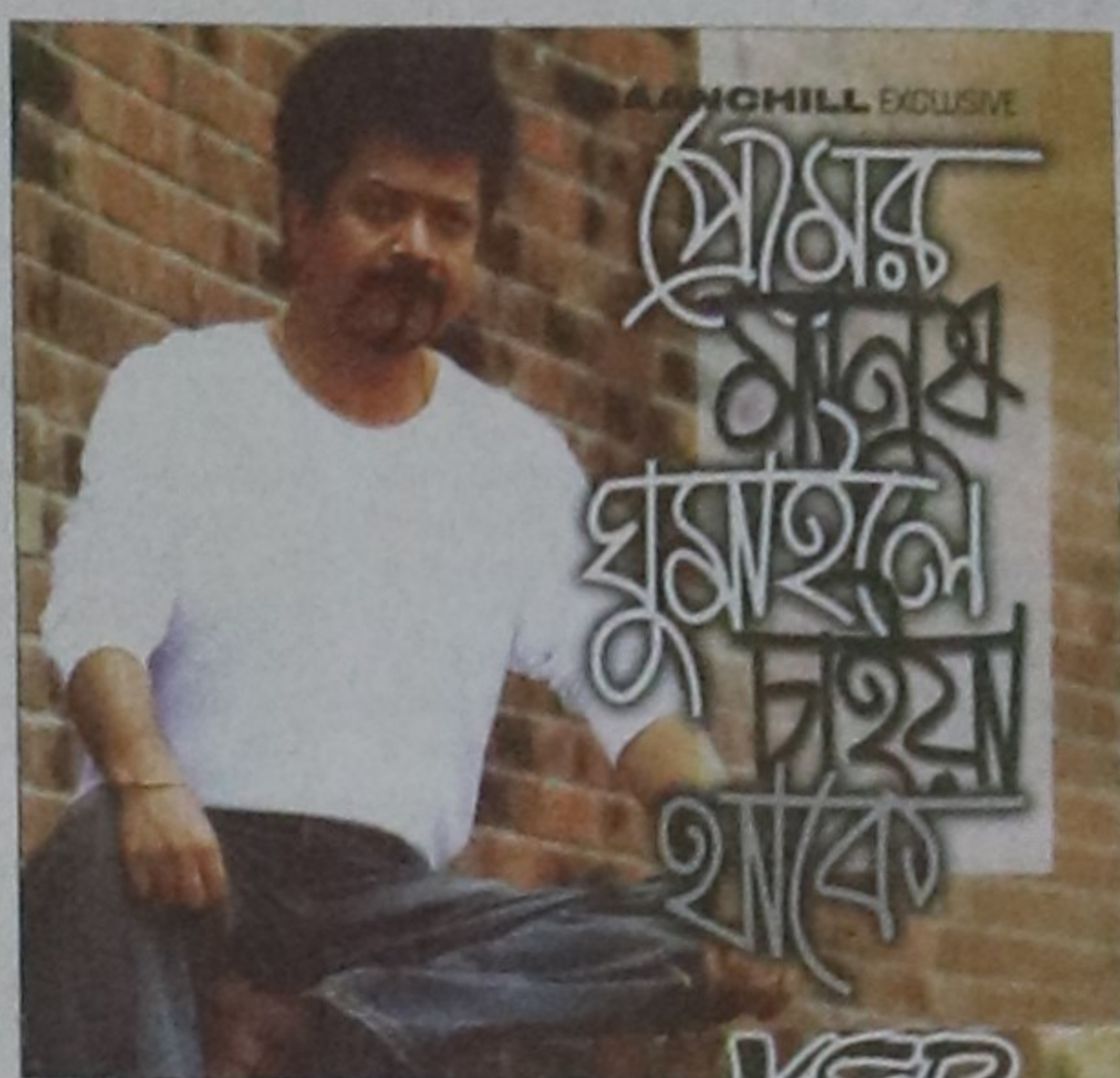


A scene from the play.

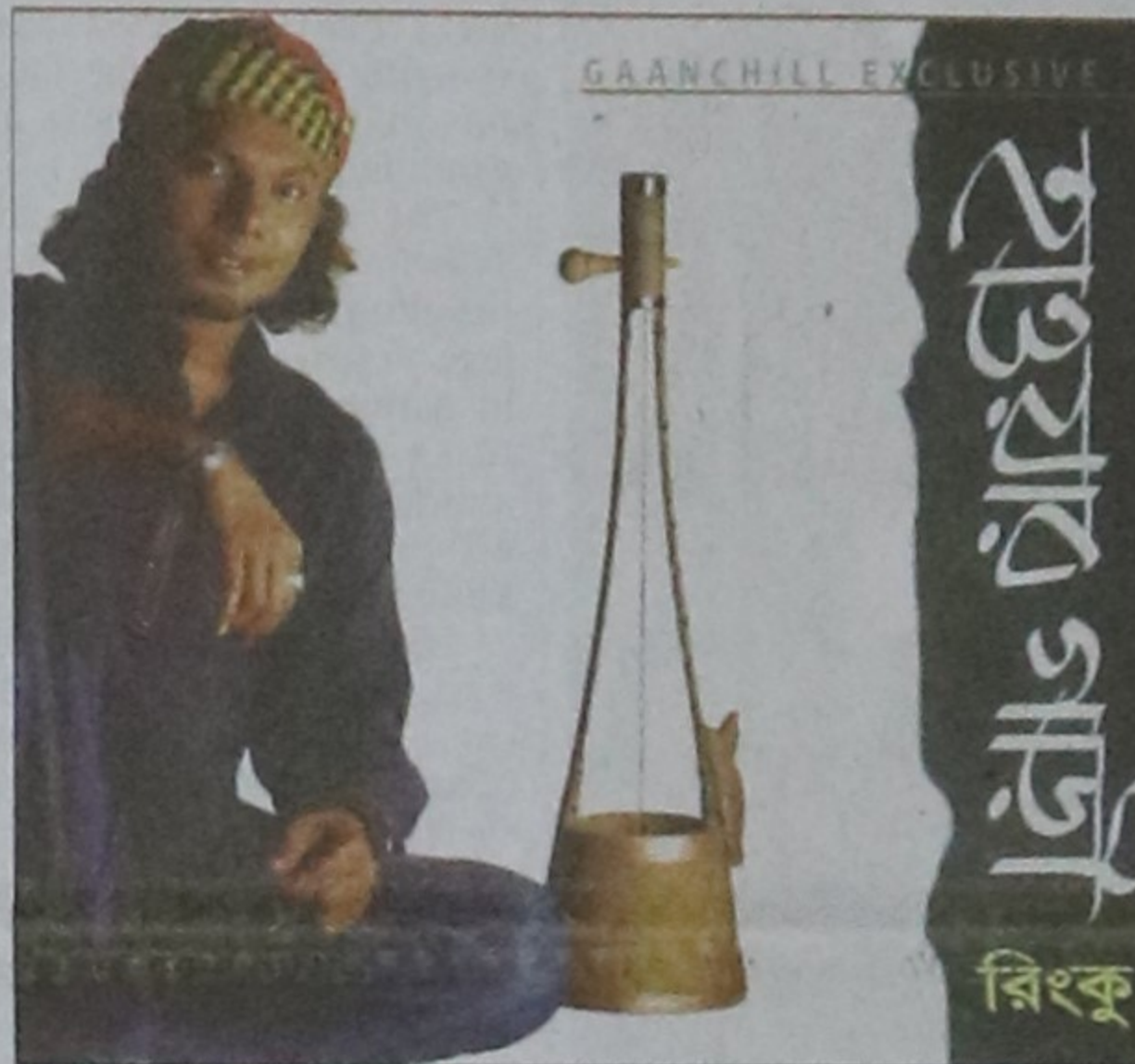
NEW RELEASES



Dukho Rater Raja
An album of Rabinindra Sangeet featuring Ferdousi Kakoli
Source: Surer Mela



Premar Manush Ghumailey Chaiya Thakey
A video CD featuring Kumar Bishwajit
Source: Gaanchill



Hawa'r Gari
Solo album of folk songs featuring Rinku
Source: Gaanchill



Protichchhobi: Borno with Afzal
A duet album of pop songs
Source: Geetali



On Air

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

BTV

09:15 Musical Programme
10:05 Dance Programme
10:30 Children's Programme
11:00 Chhoray Chhonday
11:30 Onyo Kichhu
12:10 Musical Programme
01:30 Kobi O Kobita
02:30 Bangla Feature Film
05:30 Drama
06:45 Drama: Jol Rang-er Chhobi
08:30 Drama: Shubho + Oshubho
09:45 Musical Programme
10:30 Drama: Shorol Shohoj

ATN BANGLA

10:30 Eid-er Khushi
11:15 Notun Chhobir Gaan
12:25 Musical Programme: Hridoyer Gaan
02:40 Bangla Feature Film
04:40 Tele-film: Swapner Shohor
07:45 Drama: Mon Diley Mon Royna
08:50 Drama: Bhadu Pagol-er Biye
10:40 Musical Programme
12:00 Dance Programme: Nrityer Spondon

CHANNEL I

10:30 Drama: Oshporshi Neel
12:35 Tele-film: Ujan Ponthey
02:35 Tele-film: Molla Gjonfor Ali
07:50 Drama: Mon Uchaton
09:35 Drama: Shumon-er Ekdin
ntv
08:45 Celebrity Talk Show
09:30 Palagan

10:05 Bangla Feature Film
02:35 Tele-film
05:20 Notun Alo Rupali Porda
06:40 Musical Programme
08:10 Drama: Porir Naam Moutushi
09:45 Musical Programme: Shur-er Akash Ekhon
11:25 Drama: Keu Noy Shuyota
ETV
08:30 Ekusher Shokaal
09:30 Drama: The Millionaire Boyz
10:02 Drama
11:30 Fashion and Tune
12:30 Mojai Moja
01:30 Tele-film: Signal

12:02 Phone O Live Studio Concert
RTV
09:00 Jegey Achho Ki
10:45 Taroka Alap
11:30 Drama: Rokto Korobi
12:30 Drama Serial: FDC
03:10 Drama: Oporinaam Dorshi
05:00 Eid-e
06:40 Shaola Dhaka Eid
07:20 Drama: Shomudro Mongol
09:00 Drama: Tiger Bhai
10:10 R Music
11:30 Phone O Live Rock Time with Fuad and Mila
BANGLAVISION

02:30 Mad-e in Bangladesh
06:30 Musical Show
07:30 Musical Programme: Manush Swapno Dekhey
08:00 Drama: Taal Misri
09:30 Tele-film: Onath Babur Bhoy
11:45 Call-er Gaan
ZEE STUDIO
09:30 Existenz
11:45 The Sea Inside
02:25 Get shorty
02:55 The Groomsman
05:20 Pretty Woman
07:50 The Net
01:15 To Gillian on her 37th Birthday

STAR MOVIES

10:20 Super Troopers
12:20 Stargate: Continuum
02:20 Dracula 2000
04:20 The Touch
06:20 Bordertown
08:30 Step Up 2: The Streets
10:30 Over Her Dead Body
12:25 Mutant Chronicles
STAR WORLD
10:30 Friends
11:00 Everybody Loves Raymond
11:30 According To Jim
12:00 How I Met Your Mother
01:00 Are You Smarter Than A 5th

09:30 Rodney
10:30 Are You Smarter Than A 5th Grader?
11:30 Eureka
12:30 How I Met Your Mother
BBC WORLD
08:45 Sport Today
09:00 BBC World News
09:30 Peschardt's Business People (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 Peschardt's Business People (r)
04:00 BBC World News
04:30 World Have Your Say: G20
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 Earth Report
09:00 BBC World News
09:30 Peschardt's Business People (r)
10:00 World News Today Business Edition
10:45 Sport Today
11:00 BBC World News
11:30 Peschardt's Business People (r)



Char Deyal
On ntv at 2:30 pm
Tele-film
Cast: Tarin, Azad Abul Kalam



Bhadu Pagol-er Biye
On ATN Bangla at 8:50 pm
Single Episode TV play
Cast: Zahid Hassan, Azizul Hakim, Champa

03:30 Drama: Jol Jochhonar Mayaboti
04:30 Eid Special Folk Hits
05:20 Gaon Geramer Eid
05:55 Stars of Dhum Ta Na
06:30 Ekush-er Shondha
07:30 Tomaar Jonyo Mortey Pari
08:30 Drama: Bhutu
09:30 Tele-film: MBA
11:30 Drama: Aaina

10:10 Bangla Feature Film
10:20 Hok Kolorob
03:10 Rupali Pordaar Eid
04:10 Five Angels
05:20 Music Together
08:10 Drama: Jobbor Alir Chadabaji
09:40 Rangila Mon
11:15 Drama: Uchyo Madhyomik Shomadhan
DESH TV
10:00 Cartoon Utshob

HBO

09:45 Bring It On: In It To Win
11:30 Mamma Mia!
01:45 Tmz 068
02:15 Frequency
04:30 Batman Forever
07:00 The Making Of Mamma Mia
07:30 Tmz 068
08:00 Mamma Mia!
10:30 Hancock

02:00 Friends
02:30 Dirty Sexy Money
03:30 The Ellen Degeneres Show
04:30 The Bold And The Beautiful
05:00 7th Heaven
06:00 Desperate Housewives
07:00 According To Jim
07:30 Psych
08:30 Friends