

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

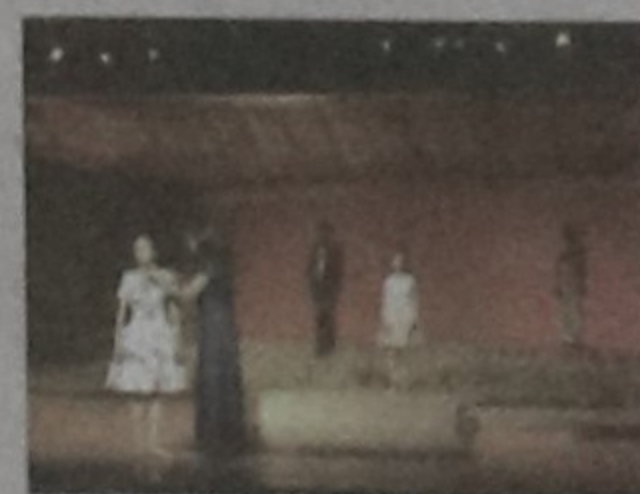
Solo Painting
Exhibition

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



Theatre

Play: The Lady from the Sea
Troupe: Centre for Asian Theatre
Venue: National Theatre Hall, Shilpakala Academy
Date: October 5
Time: 7pm

Solo Musical
Soiree

Artist: Roquiya Hasina Neely
Venue: Auditorium, Buet
Date: October 8
Time: 7:30pm

Int'l award for Bangladesh Nritya
Rong Academy

Nritya Rong Academy director Olive Islam receiving the first runner-up award from the Chief Minister of Himachal Pradesh Prem Kumar Dhumal.

Z.A.M. KHAIRUZZAMAN

Bangladesh Nritya Rong Dance Academy has won the first runner-up award at the 13th International and All India Women Folk Dance Competition.

The Government of the Indian State of Himachal Pradesh organised the competition at Shimla recently. Folk dancers from the educational institutions of India and abroad took part in the competition. Apart from Bangladesh other participating countries were Indonesia, Nepal, China, Thailand, Turkey and Russia.

Bangladesh Nritya Rong Dance Academy director Olive Islam led the delegation. Other members of the delegation were Suchona, Laboni, Munia, Hasna, Eshita, Sadia, Shampa, Nishu, Subah, Brishti, Mim and Lima.

The Bangladesh team performed five dances -- two with patriotic and three with folks songs. Olive Islam choreographed the dances.

Grand finale of the competition was held on September 16, 2009. Chief Minister of Himachal Pradesh, Prem Kumar Dhumal gave away awards among the winners.

Manna Dey receives Dadasaheb
Phalke Award

Recognition came too late, opine music experts

Singing legend Manna Dey has been honoured at the age of 90 with the conferring of the Dadasaheb Phalke Award 2007 for his outstanding contribution to the field of cinema.

The singer has more than 3500 songs to his credit and was part of the musical era of '50s and '60s. His all-time hits include "Sur na saje kya gaun main," "Puchho na kaise maine rain bitayee," "Laga chunari main daag," "Aaja sanam madhur chandani mein hum," "Dil ka haal sune dilwala," "Ye raat bhigi bhigi," "Jhanak jhanak tori baaje payaliya," "Tu pyar ka saagar hai," "Chunari sambhal gori udi chali jaye re" apart from several others.

Though the award has gladdened his fans, many feel that with such a prolific career, the recognition has come too late for him. Not just for Dey, but also for several music luminaries who have carved their names in the music roll of history, but have had recognition either come too late or not at all to them.

Pandit Bhimsen Joshi received the 'Bharat Ratna' award at the age of 86 last year, Pandit Hridaynath Mangeshkar, well into his 60s, was the recipient of the 'Padma Shri' award earlier this year and veteran playback Shamshad Begum won the 'Padma Bhushan' at the age of 80 in 2008. Many industry insiders and fans have expressed their displeasure against the delayed



recognition of such maestros.

Rues music director of yesteryears Omi Sonik, "Manna Dey deserved the award much earlier. But then, unlike Kishore Kumar or few other singers, he was never in the limelight. Amongst the classical singers back then, he was undoubtedly one of the best. Most of these awardees stayed away from publicity, keeping away from public eye. They belonged to the old school of thoughts who let their work speak."

Says lyricist Prasoon Joshi, "Of course, the award should have come a little earlier to

Manna Dey but then looking at the brighter side, at least his contribution has been recognised unlike many artists who still haven't received their due."

Film and music critic Rajiv Vijayakar says, "Manna Dey should have received the award at least 20 years back. It is long overdue. But as they say it is better late than never. A glaring example of which is Mohammad Rafi who did not receive the award even though he was one of the most talented singers we had. Rafi and Manna Dey were the pillars of the music of the era."

Source: Internet

Barisal artisans honoured

RAFIQUL ISLAM, Barisal

A reception ceremony to honour the 'Paul' and 'Kumar' (potters) was held for the first time in Barisal recently.

Rakhal Chandra Dey, president of Barisal District Puja Ujapon Parishad, presided over the ceremony. The venue was the Dhama Rakkhini Sabha Griha in the city, where 48 crests were conferred among 13 Pauls and their 35 assistants.

Binod Paul, on behalf of the idol craftsmen, said that although the profession has been passed down generations for hundreds of years,

their economic conditions and livelihoods have been severely impacted.

"Many of us have abandoned this noble profession. The need of the hour is institutional and economic sup-

port so that this tradition does not become extinct," he said.

Barisal District Puja Ujapon Parishad with the help of Charukala Barisal, a leading fine arts institution of the city, organised the programme

addressed by Manik Mukharjee Kudu, Fani Bhushan Das, Shanti Chakroborty, leaders of the Parishad; Atikur Rahman, Shahid Kabir and artisan Binod Kumar Paul.

Manik Mukharjee asserted

that a team of five/six people needs 18-20 days to make a big idol, while a smaller idol takes 14-16 days. The sculptors' fees can range from Taka 10,000 to 25,000 and the materials are usually supplied by the mandap committee.

The five-day celebration of 'Sharodiya Durga Puja,' the main religious festival of the Bengali Hindu community, ended recently. There were around 30 mandap in the city.

Puja mandap were beautifully decked with elaborate decorations and colourful lights, while cultural functions were held in almost every mandap.



Artisans with their crests at the programme.

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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 10:00am, 4:00 pm, 10:00 pm.
Late Night News (Bangla and English) 11:30 pm. (To be telecast on all Bangla channels).

CHANNEL-1
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): 8:00 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: 7:00am, 11:00am, 12:00pm, 01:00pm, 3:00pm, 04:00pm
News (English): 9:00 am, 6:00 pm.
Gram-Ganjor Khobor: 5:00 pm

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

On Air

BTv

09:15 Selected Programme
10:05 Open University
10:30 Swastha Sheba
11:00 Aain Meney Choli
11:30 Anushilon
12:10 Campus
12:35 Apon Aaloy
02:45 Amrao Pari
05:05 Debate
06:15 Malancha
08:30 Drama Serial: Brikher kachhey wrin
10:25 Chitrangon

ATN BANGLA

08:30 Drama Serial: Daibondhon
09:10 Kandeey Amar Maa
10:30 Hello Bangladesh
11:30 Shat Din
12:15 ATN Rannaghar
01:25 Musical Programme: Shur-er Madhuri
02:30 Selected Programme
03:10 Khelaar Jagat
03:45 Chardeyaler Kabyo
04:20 Talk Show: Proshongo
05:15 Kandeey Amar Maa
05:20 Bashuda Dhak Dhol
06:15 Law & Order
08:00 Drama Serial: Karo Kono Niti Nai
08:40 Drama Serial: Bhuter Goli
11:30 Drama Serial: 14 May @
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News

CHANNEL 1

08:05 Tagore Song
08:30 Shokaler Gaan
08:40 Aker Chakri
09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh
09:45 Public Reaction
09:50 Grameenphone Trilio Matra
11:05 Tele Prescription
11:30 Hridoye Mati O Manush
12:30 Talk Show: Citycell Taroka Kathan

01:05 Musical Programme: Ebong Cinemar Gaan

01:30 Musical Programme:

Sa Re Ga Ma

02:30 Hridoyer Gaan

04:05 Mukti Judha Protidin

04:30 Aktel Money Talk

05:30 Aamader Television

06:20 Super Man

07:50 Drama Serial: Sakin Sharishuri

09:30 Travel Show: Banglalink

Banglar Pathey

10:00 Special Programme

11:30 Drama Serial: Jaatrawala

12:00 Grameenphone Aker Shangbadpotro

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08:30 Swasthyo Protidin

12:00 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy

ETV

08:30 Ekusheyer Shokal
09:30 Ekushey Business (Live)
12:02 Ekushey Dupur
03:30 Drama
04:30 Desh Jurey
05:30 Sports Plus
05:45 The Total Music
08:30 Drama Serial: Aziz Market
Shahbug Dhaka 1000
09:30 Drama Serial: Lolita
10:10 Media Gossip
11:45 Ei Shoptaher Bishwa

Rtv

9:45 Drama Serial: Monkora
12:30 Just Band
02:03 Bangla Feature Film

02:30 Kingbadontir Dhaka

04:10 Gaanapal

05:25 Choturango

06:15 Telepress Business

06:40 Point of Order

08:15 Drama Serial: Rupnagar-er Konya

09:05 Visa Apnaar Agami

09:45 Drama Serial: The Family

12:30 Bashudha Chhinemar gaan

DESH TV

12:15 Durpath

03:30 Kon Shadhoney Tarey Pai

04:30 Desh Amar

05:02 Thundercats

05:30 Bati Ghar

08:15 Drama Serial: Aladin-er Cherag

09:45 Drama Serial: Jao Pakhi

10:30 Total Sports

12:20 The Tailor of Panama

02:30 Twice upon a Time

04:30 Rumour of angels

07:00 Get shortly on Campus

08:00 Big Screen Top 10

09:30 Betsy's Wedding

10:30 Coyote Ugly

12:35 Nightwatch

STAR MOVIES

10:15 Unbreakable

12:20 The Initiation Of Sarah

02:20 The Woods

04:15 Jumper

06:15 Never Been Kissed

08:25 Fearless Hyena

10:30 Hitman

12:25 Day Of The Dead

HBO

09:00 The Pirates Who Don't Do

10:30 30 Rock

11:00 In Case Of Emergency

12:00 Hope And Faith

12:30 Everybody Loves Raymond

02:30 Friends

04:30 The Simpsons

05:30 Seinfeld

07:30 Grey's Anatomy

08:30 Late Show With David Letterman

09:30 Monk

10:30 Boston Legal

11:30 Luxury Unveiled

12:30 Friends

BBC WORLD

08:00 BBC World News

08:30 World Challenge 2009 (r)

09:00 BBC World News

09:30 HARDtalk (r)

10:00 BBC World News

10:30 Fast Track

11:00 BBC World News

11:30 India Business Report

12:00 BBC World News

12:30 Middle East Business Report

01:00 BBC World News

01:10 The World Debate (r)

Can We Afford the Future?

02:00 BBC World News

02:30 Dateline London (r)

03:00 BBC World News

03:30 World Challenge 2009 (r)

04:00 BBC World News

04:30 Spirit Of Yachting (r)

Rolex Fastnet Race

05:00 BBC World News

05:30 India Business Report (r)

06:00 BBC World News

06:30 Newsnight (r)

07:00 BBC World News

07:15 Sport Today

07:30 Panorama: Europe or Die Trying (r)

Europe Or Die Trying

08:00 BBC World News

08:30 The Real... (r) Beirut

09:00 BBC World News

09:10 The World Debate (r)

Can We Afford the Future?

10:00 BBC World News

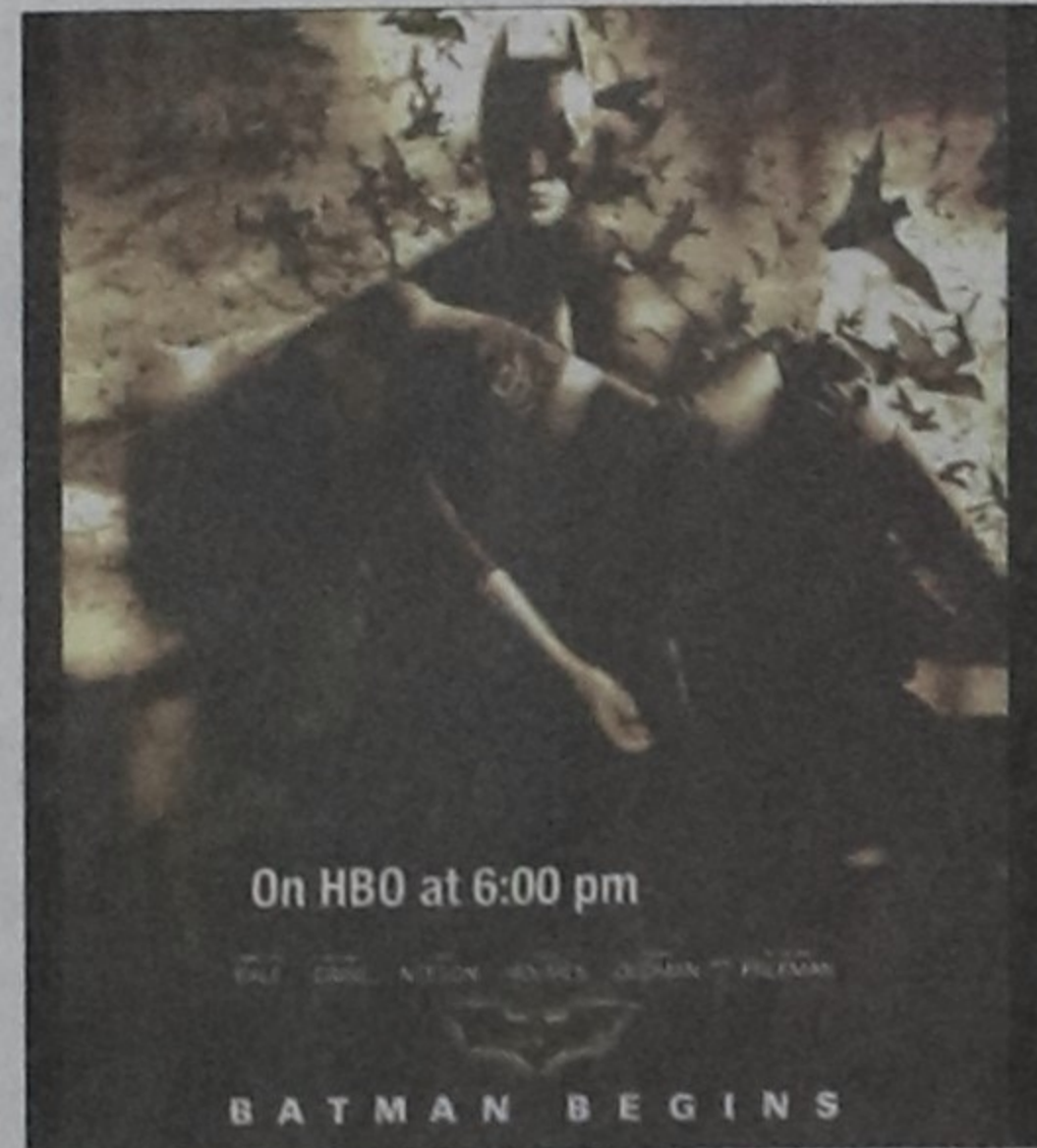
10:30 India Business Report (r)

11:00 BBC World News

11:30 World Challenge 2009 (r)



Kandeey Amar Ma
On ATN Bangla at 5:15 pm
Documentary
on the Liberation War



On HBO at 6:00 pm

BATMAN BEGINS

08:55 Bangla Feature Film

12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy

01:05 Japan Video Topic

02:30 Drama Serial: Bela Bhumi

03:10 Single Drama: Chakro

04:10 Quiz Show: Janar Achhey

Bolaar Achhey

05:30 Apnaar Jigyasha

06:40 Aainer Chokhey

08:15 Drama Serial: Baari Baari

Sharf Shari

09:00 Talk Show: Shomporko

09:45 Music Jam

05:30 R U Ready

06:03 Protidin

06:45 R Ranna

07:30 Road To Democracy

09:25 Drama Serial: Dorakata

10:10 Drama Serial: Kagojer

Manush

11:30 Trade Talk

BANGLAVISION

08:00 Shubho Shokal

08:30 Drama Serial: Babar Hotel

Parospor

11:35 Din Badoler ManushS

11:45 Shoja Katha

CHANNEL 1

08:40 Shuprobhat Bangladesh

09:10 Events Of The Day

11:00 Bangla Feature Film

04:00 Drama Serial