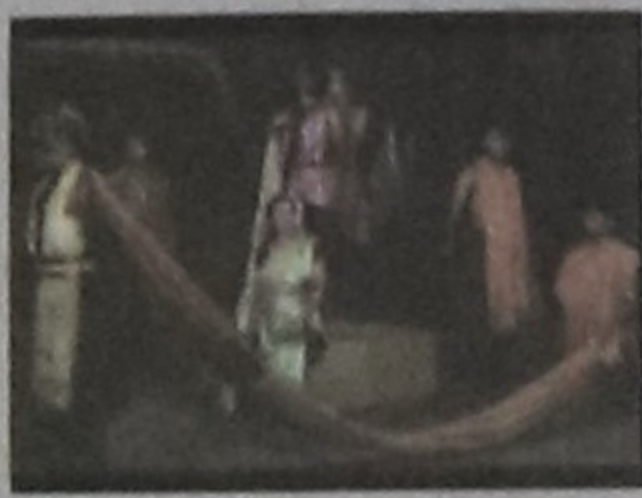


## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

### Theatre

**Play:** Ebong  
**Ashamedh Jagyo**  
**Troupe:** Natyadhara  
**Venue:** Experimental Theatre Hall, Shilpakala Academy  
**Date:** October 21  
**Time:** 7:30pm



### Lalon Death Anniversary

**Organiser:** Lalon Academy, Kushtia  
**Venue:** Lalon 'akhra' premises, Chheuria, Kushtia  
**Date:** October 16-18  
**Time:** 7:30pm everyday



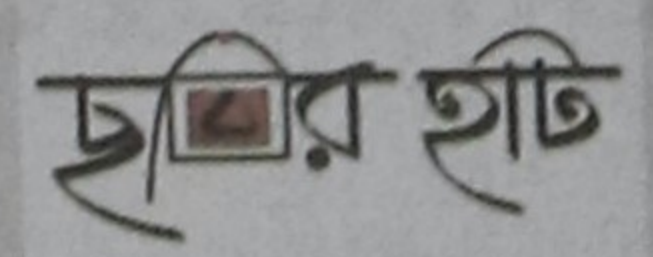
### Solo Photo Exhibition

**Title:** Bangladesh-The Land of Diversity  
**Photographer:** M.M. Zahidur Rahman Biplob  
**Venue:** Drik Gallery, H 58, Rd 15A (new), Dhanmondi  
**Date:** October 18-25  
**Time:** 3-8pm



### Exhibition

**Title:** 3rd Friendship Art Exhibition '09  
**Organiser:** Chhobir Haat Art Society  
**Venue:** National Art Gallery, Shilpakala Academy  
**Date:** October 16-22  
**Time:** 11am-7pm



## Discussion on artist Shahabuddin's works at Bengal Gallery



Shamsul Wares speaks at the discussion.

CULTURAL CORRESPONDENT

Shahabuddin's figurative compositions have earned him a special place in the art world. The painter is revered both in Bangladesh and abroad for his contributions to art. A discussion on the artist's latest exhibition, "Jai Bangla," amongst several prominent cultural personalities took place at Bengal Gallery in Dhanmondi last Friday evening.

"Not only his works, his life is deeply attached to Bangladesh. The artist has also done portraits of icons like Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, Mahatma



Shahabuddin Ahmed

Gandhi and Mother Teresa, who had inspired him. Figurative art is a style introduced just after abstract art," said Professor Moinuddin Khaled. "Because the subjects narrate stories, expressions are highlighted in figurative art," he added.

"As I know the artist personally, I can say that Shahabuddin attained the position in the international art scene that he enjoys today after much struggles. His integrity has charmed many. Being a freedom fighter, he had never bowed down to adverse circumstances. He himself said that he wants to be known as an 'undefeated freedom fighter,'" Professor Khaled said.

"We live in an unfair world where some have too much and others have almost none," said Shamsul Wares. "Shahabuddin has relentlessly voiced his protests against all these injustices. We will not find figurative works like Michelangelo but there is a stroke of brilliance that is reminiscent of that style as well as altruism -- mingled very soothingly -- in Shahabuddin's works. The oddities of the world are beautifully reflected in his paintings," said Abul Monsur.

The discussion was presided over by Professor Nazrul Islam.

## Bangla Academy honours Nurul Islam

RAFIQUE SARKER, Rangpur

Bangla Academy honoured Nurul Islam 'Kabya Binod' on his 100th birthday last Wednesday.

The academy organised a book fair and a discussion at the Rangpur Town Hall premises on the occasion.

Vice Chancellor of Begum Rokeya University Professor Dr. Abdul Jalil inaugurated the two-day book fair and spoke at the discussion.

Professor Jalil praised Nurul Islam's flair for poetry and rhyme.

He said that people of Rangpur would always remember the poet who has tried to uphold the cultural traditions of North Bengal in his writing.

In the afternoon a cultural programme and another discussion on the life and works of Nurul Islam were held by Bangla Academy in association with Chhandashik Sangkritik Sangathan.

Director general of Bangla Academy, Shamsuzzaman Khan; deputy director Murshid Uddin Ahmed; former principal



Nurul Islam (centre) receives the crest conferred by Bangla Academy.

of Carmichael College, Dr. Rezaul Hoque; litterateur MA Bashir Tipu and Professor Alim Uddin, among others, spoke at the discussion.

Shamsuzzaman Khan said that Bangla Academy would further honour Nurul Islam by conferring a fellowship for his contribution to Bangla literature and culture.

## Actress Lindsay Lohan could go to jail

Actress Lindsay Lohan will be headed to jail if she fails to attend a required alcohol counselling programme, a California judge warned last Friday.

Lohan has been serving three years' probation on DUI charges.

"This is the last time we are going to be talking about re-enrolling and doing what you need to do," Judge Marsha Revel told Lohan in extending her probation for a 2007 DUI conviction.

Lohan was arrested for driving under the influence two years ago in May. After a stay in rehab, she was caught two months later for drunk driving and cocaine possession.

The arrests led her to ultimately serve a mere 84 minutes in jail. She was also



Lindsay Lohan

sentenced to 10 hours of community service and three years of probation.

The queen of Hollywood nights and a favourite target of the paparazzi, the former Disney child star was once considered one of the most promising actresses of her generation.

But her career has also dipped many times since 2005 amid legal woes, stops in rehab and cinematic flops.

In 2008, the star of "The Parent Trap," "Mean Girls" and "Bobby" received two Razzie Awards, the satirical prizes presented to Hollywood's worst actors.

Source: Internet



### 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-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): 9:00 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-Ganjher 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 8:00pm  
**Rtv**  
News (Bangla): 2:30 pm, 4:30 pm, 6:30 pm, 8:30 pm, 10:30 pm, 12:30 am  
**ntv**  
News (Bangla): 7:30am, 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 Documentary Programme  
10:05 Open University  
10:30 Swastha Sheba  
11:00 Udayer Pothey  
11:30 Aain Meney Choli  
12:10 Amrao Pari  
01:00 Shur Lohori  
02:45 Campus  
05:05 Chiro Omlan  
06:15 Discussion Programme  
07:40 Documentary Programme: Phirey Dekha  
08:30 Drama Serial: Brikhyer Kachhey Wrin  
09:20 Pathay Probashay  
10:25 Chitrangon

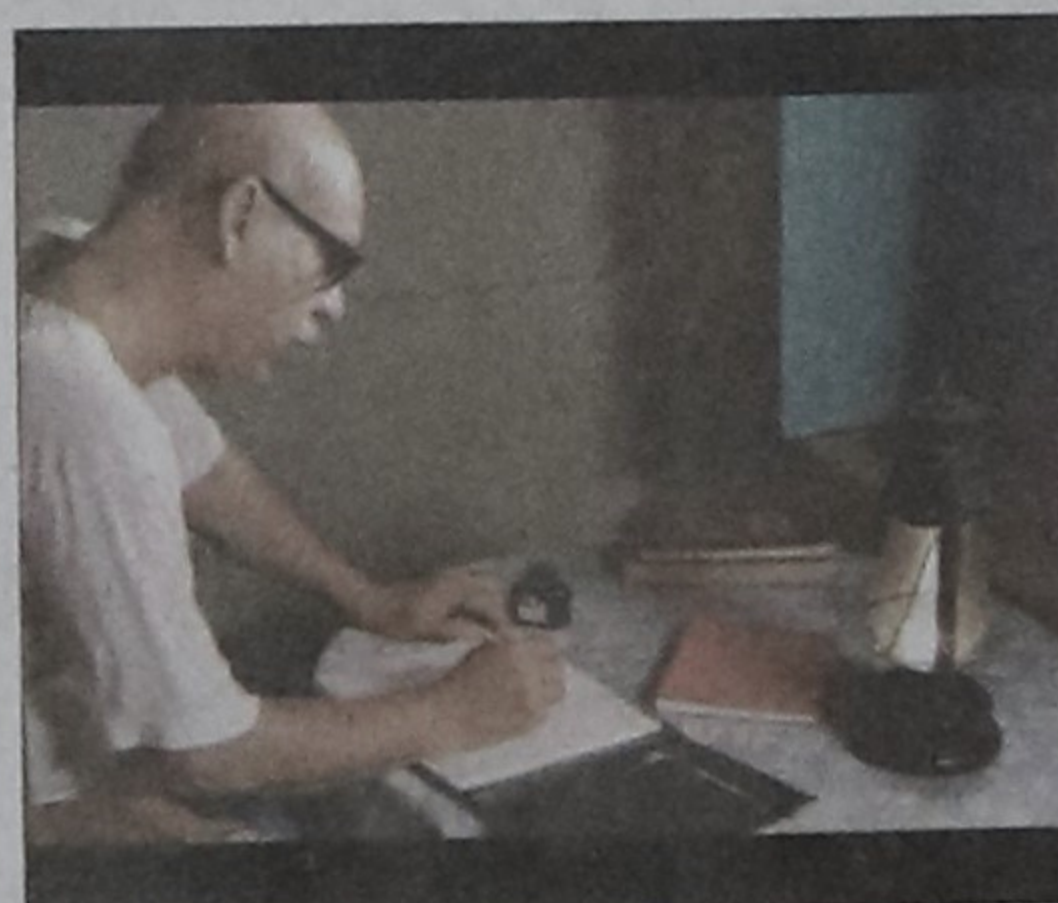
### ATN BANGLA

08:30 Drama Serial: Karo Kono Nib Nai  
09:10 Kandey Amar Maa  
10:30 Hello Bangladesh  
11:35 Shat Din  
12:10 Undecided  
01:25 Musical Programme: Shur-er Madhuri  
02:30 Business Week  
03:10 Khelaar Jagat  
03:45 Chaar Deyaler Kabya  
04:20 Talk Show: Proshongo  
05:10 Kandey Amar Maa  
05:30 Musical Programme: Bashudha Dhaak Dhol  
06:15 Law & Order  
08:00 Drama Serial: Karo Kono Nib Nai  
08:40 Drama Serial: Bhuter Goli  
09:20 Drama Serial: Jolkona  
11:30 Drama Serial: Roilo Baki Ek  
12:00 Grameenphone Lead News  
**CHANNEL i**  
08:05 Tagore Song  
08:30 Shokaler Gaan  
08:40 Akker Chakri  
09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh  
09:45 Public Reaction

09:50 Grameenphone Tritio 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 Holy Hazz  
03:05 Channel i Shera Kontho'09  
04:05 Mukti Judha Protidin  
04:30 Aktel Money Talk  
05:30 Talk Show: Amader Television  
06:00 Rupantor  
06:20 TV Series: Super Man  
07:50 Drama Serial: Sakin Sharishuri  
09:30 Travel Show: Banglalink  
10:00 Special Programme

### ETV

08:30 Ekusheyer Shokal  
09:30 Drama Serial: Bhabhi  
12:02 Ekush-er Dupur  
03:30 Drama  
04:30 Desh Jurey  
05:30 Sports Plus  
05:45 The Total Music  
08:30 Drama Serial: Ghorar Dim  
09:30 Drama Serial: Lolita  
10:10 Media Gossip



**Jao Pakhi**  
On Desh TV at 9:45 pm  
Drama Serial  
Cast: Abul Hayat, Dilara Zaman, Intekhab Dinar



Radio Today 93.6 FM  
07:15 Good Morning Dhaka  
11:00 Musti Unlimited  
01:00 Today's Acta  
04:30 U Turn  
08:00 Today's Talk  
11:00 Raat Bhor Gaan  
12:00 Today's Happy Moments



On HBO at 10:30 pm  
Evan ALMIGHTY

11:30 Drama Serial: Jaatrawala  
12:00 Grameenphone Akker Shangbadpotro  
**ntv**  
08:30 Swasthyo Protidin  
08:55 Bangla Feature Film  
12:10 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy  
01:05 Japan Video Topic  
02:30 Drama Serial: Bela Bhumi  
03:45 Drama: Nijon Swaakkhor  
04:10 Quiz Show: Janar Achhey Bolaar Achhey

### Rtv

10:00 Drama Serial: Dorakata  
11:30 Share Update  
12:30 Drama Serial: FDC  
02:03 Bangla Feature Film  
06:03 Protidin  
06:45 R Ranna  
07:30 Road To Democracy  
09:25 Drama Serial: Dorakata  
10:10 Drama Serial: FDC  
11:30 Trade Talk  
**BANGLAVISION**  
08:00 Shubho Shokal

### Desh TV

08:30 Drama Serial: Babar Hotel  
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### BBC WORLD

08:00 BBC World News  
08:30 World Challenge 2009 (r)

### HBO

10:00 Cats & Dogs  
12:30 Little Secrets  
02:30 Tmz 085  
03:00 The Making Of I Am Legend  
03:30 Hindi Version: Iron Man  
06:00 Batman Forever  
08:30 I Am Legend  
10:30 Evan Almighty  
12:45 Big Love S307: Fight Or Flight  
**STAR MOVIES**  
10:00 Bride & Prejudice  
12:20 Winners And Sinners  
02:25 Armour Of God II  
04:45 Phone Booth  
06:30 Prophecy: The Forsaken  
08:05 Indiana Jones And The Kingdom Of  
10:30 Armageddon  
01:25 John Rambo  
**ZEE STUDIO**  
09:30 Snow  
11:30 Agent Cody Banks 1  
01:50 Agent Cody Banks 2  
04:30 Born romantic  
06:40 Get shorty on Campus  
08:00 Big Screen Top 10  
08:30 Loser  
10:30 Mafia  
12:30 The Greatest Game Ever Played