

Div I cricket

SPORTS REPORTER

Fifties from Nahidul Islam and Sumon Kumar guided Prime Doleswar Sporting Club to a convincing 75-run win over Orient Sporting Club in the First Division Cricket League at Dhanmondi Cricket Stadium yesterday.

Nahidul struck a 101-ball 88 while Sumon remained unbeaten on 80 to power Doleswar to a massive total of 283 for five in their stipulated 47 over after being put in to bat first.

Later, Salihuddin (2/35), Apurbo (2/41) and Abdur Rahman (2/44) shared six wickets to bowl Orient SC out for 208 in 42.1 overs.

In the day's other match, Lalmatia Club recorded a seven-wicket win over Rupali Bank Kria Parisad in the cut-tailed over game at Jahangirnagar University ground. Lalmatia easily reached 92 for 3 in 19.1 overs after restricting Rupali Bank to 91 for nine in the stipulated 20 overs.

At the City Club ground, Kathal Bagan GCC (148/5) registered a five-wicket victory over Motijheel T & T club (146/10).

Akhter had a secret surgery



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Victoria's Arslan Mir drives on the back foot during their Premier Division Cricket League match against Old DOHS at the Sher-e-Bangla National Cricket Stadium yesterday.

Lee weighs options



AFP, Sydney

Controversial fast bowler Shoaib Akhtar has again rubbed Pakistan Cricket Board the wrong way by opting to have liposuction surgery without consulting or informing the authorities.

The

"News" daily newspaper reported that Akhtar had undergone the liposuction surgery to have extra fat removed from his body in Islamabad shortly after he returned from London after undergoing a knee surgery.

"After the liposuction to remove fat from his body and trimmed down his weight, Shoaib will require at least three to four months to make a complete recovery and be available to play competitive cricket once again," the newspaper quoted a well-known sports medicine specialist, Dr Waqar Ahmed as saying in its report.

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