

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

**Theatre**  
 Play: Shesh Sanglaap  
 Troupe: Shomoy Natyadal  
 Venue: Mahila Shamiti Auditorium, Natak Swarani  
 Date: January 29  
 Time: 7pm



## Photography Exhibition

Title: Ghum  
 Photographer: Bakin Rabbi  
 Venue: Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, 26 Mirpur Rd, Dhanmondi  
 Date: January 23-February 5



## Musical Soiree

Organiser: Srijon  
 Venue: Poet Sofia Kamal Auditorium, National Museum, Shahbagh  
 Date: January 30  
 Time: 6:30pm



## Theatre

Play: Opekkhoman  
 Troupe: Nagarik Natya Sampraday  
 Venue: National Theatre Hall, Shilpakala Academy  
 Date: January 29  
 Time: 7pm



## Exploring diversity

### 1st Intra University Photography Contest '10



A CORRESPONDENT

The 1st Intra University Photography Contest '10, jointly organised by Dhaka University Photographic Society (DUPS) and Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, is now on at National Art Gallery. The themes are diverse and most of the photographs are vibrant.

DUPS was formed in 1999 with a view to encourage young individuals into the art of photography. Its mission was not to deal with professionals but with the passionate talents. DUPS started its mission with students of the University of Dhaka. DUPS has participated in several local and international exhibitions and photography contests. The members have won accolades in several photography contests.

A total of 95 photographs by 50 students of Dhaka University are on display at National Art Gallery. Seven photographs have been awarded for excellence.

Most of the images delineate the natural beauty and unadulterated rural life of our country. A number of images are unique as they find expression in experimentation and light is a key aspect in most of the works. Pictures of bustling city life and religious festivities have also found a place at the exhibition.

Some of the photographers have aimed to expose rarely featured sites.

Most of the images are technically and aesthetically appealing. The vagaries of nature, countryside panorama, rudeness in nature, ethnic culture, riverine life, abandoned houses, the enchanting Chittagong Hill Tracts landscape, flowing rivers of the country and the



Clockwise (from top-left): photographs by Barkat Hossain, Iftekhar Alam Himel and Rumana Amin.

diverse ways of life add a fascinating dimension to the works.

The photographers have also focused on usually overlooked subjects like old walls, narrow lanes and piled objects. They seek to find aestheticism in all its glory. The photographers demonstrate life's varied

colours and forms in the exhibition.

Rubaiyat Ahsan Deep, Avijit Nandi and Rumana Amin were awarded the first, second and third prize respectively. Other awardees of the contest are M Sabbir Hossain, Mahtabul Alam, Pantha Rahman and Dipankar Dipu.

## Cultural programme to mark Science and Technology Week

JASIM MAJUMDER, Khagrachhari

Artists from local schools and cultural organisations performed at a programme held by the district administration recently at the Khagrachhari Town Hall to mark the National Science and Technology Week.

Performances were staged by artists of the district Shilpakala Academy, Bangladesh Shishu Academy, Tribal Cultural Institute and Jharnadhara Kanchi Kanchar Ashor.

Earlier, at a discussion speakers urged all sections of people to use locally innovated technology for a better lifestyle. They also hoped that efficient and proper use of land would be implemented to fulfil national needs.

Chittagong Divisional



Young dancers at the event.

Commissioner M.A.N Siddique formally inaugurated a three-day long science fair. Deputy Commissioner Mohammad Abdullah presided over the discussion.

Among other, Superintendent of Police Mohammad Amir Jafar; Additional Deputy Commissioner Mohammad Salauddin; Sadar Upazila Nirbahi

Officer Mohammad Rahed Hossein and Khagrachhari Government High School Headmistress Sreela Talukder spoke on the occasion.

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## Drama

## Generating awareness on primary education

AHMED HUMAYUN KABIR TOPU, Pabna

A play titled "Tunir Bhubon" was staged at a primary school of Faridpur upazila on Wednesday noon to emphasise the need for primary education. Ichamati Shangkha Sangskritik Natyodal staged the play at Dhanuaghata Govt Primary School. Upazila Primary Education Office conducted the function. A discussion was also held. Golam Mustofa deliv-

ered the inauguration speech, while the teachers of the school spoke.

The speakers stressed the need for primary education. "Primary education is a must and village people often fail to recognise this.

Primary education is meant ensure free education for every children of the society. We want to reduce illiteracy in the country, said the speakers. There is a need to generate awareness to ensure the

success of the primary education programme, they added.

The play too focused on the need for primary education and generating awareness on the issue.

Bhaskar Chowdhury directed the play while Rajib Shah; Bishwajit Roy; Jiko; Rani; Munmun; Pintu; Shahriar; Kanon; Johnny; Khokon; Alamin and Bhaskar Chowdhury were the performers. Village children too turned up to see the play.



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

## On Air

### ATN BANGLA

09:10 Kaandey Amar Maa  
 09:20 Educational Programme: BSB Cambrian Education Zone  
 10:30 Cookery Show  
 11:05 Debate: BSB Cambrian Youth Parliament  
 12:05 Selected Programme  
 03:15 Bangla Feature Film  
 05:00 Gram Gonjer Khobor  
 06:20 Amra Karbo Joy  
 08:00 Tatka National Dance Star  
 09:20 Drama Serial: Pashapashi  
 11:30 Drama Serial: Maa Tui Kemon Achhcish

12:00 Talk Show: Grameenphone Lead News

### CHANNEL I

08:05 Tagore Song  
 08:30 Shokaler Gaan  
 09:30 Shanbadpotrey Bangladesh  
 09:45 Public Reaction  
 09:50 Grameenphone Tritio Matra  
 10:30 Grameenphone Tele Shomoy  
 11:30 Islam Ki Boley  
 12:05 Kora Alap  
 12:30 Muktijuddha Protidin  
 02:30 Lux Channel i Superstar  
 05:30 Surdoria Bagha Gayen  
 07:30 Meridian Channel i Khudey Gaanraaj  
 10:00 Goriber Kopaley Shanti Nai  
 11:30 Talk Show: Shathdin-er Ostoprohor  
 12:00 Grameenphone Ajker Sangbadpatra

### ntv

08:30 Swasthya Protidin  
 08:45 Frankly Speaking  
 09:30 Bhalobasho Mor Gaan  
 10:30 Apnar Jiggasha  
 12:10 Surbhora Nelema  
 02:30 Tele-film  
 05:40 Tiffin-er Phakey  
 06:10 Shubho Shondhya  
 06:40 Rupmadhuri  
 08:15 Drama Serial: Ekta Kinley Ekta Free  
 09:00 Reality Game Show  
 09:45 Drama Serial: Dhupchhaya  
 11:30 Washington Barta  
 12:00 Talk Show: Ei Shomoy

### ETV

09:30 Deha Tori  
 10:02 Shonamoni Shukhey  
 Oshukhey  
 11:30 Chikitshek-er Shanglap  
 01:30 Bangla Feature Film  
 05:25 Shaptaho Jurey  
 05:45 Sports Plus  
 06:30 Spondon  
 07:50 Musical Night With Abhijit  
 09:30 Drama Serial: Bhabi  
 10:10 Drama: Bhalobashar Tinkaal  
 12:02 Phono Live Studio Concert

### RTV

10:00 Drama Serial: Tabuo  
 10:45 Taroka Alap  
 11:30 Share Update  
 12:30 Drama Serial: Dui Pokkho  
 02:03 Documentary  
 03:10 Tele Film  
 06:00 Protidin

11:45 Call-er Gaan: Alam Ara Minu

### BANGLAVISION

09:00 Nodi O Jibon  
 10:10 Bhalo Thakun  
 11:05 Housing Barta  
 12:05 The Spirit of Islam  
 01:30 Drama Serial: Gulshan Avenue  
 02:30 Tele-film  
 04:05 Music Together  
 05:25 Din Bodoler Manush  
 06:20 Drama  
 08:15 Drama: Patiganit  
 09:05 Drama Serial: Rang-er Dunia  
 09:45 Drama Serial: Gulshan Avenue  
 11:25 Talk Show: Anyo Nayan

### Channel 1

08:40 Shuprobhat Bangladesh  
 09:10 Events of the Day  
 10:30 Drama  
 11:30 Aalor Kapheia  
 03:30 Drama Serial: Garbhodharini

### 01:30

Ikra  
 Sport's Week  
 06:30 Delsi School Aangina  
 08:05 Chena Ochena  
 09:25 Get Safe  
 10:00 Prime Time

### ZEE STUDIO

08:30 Besieged  
 10:30 Spy Kids  
 01:00 I Do, They Don't  
 03:00 Shes The Man  
 05:15 Double Take  
 07:30 The Pink Panther  
 09:30 Confession of a Teenage Drama Queen  
 11:30 Scream 2

### HBO

08:30 The Perfect Weapon  
 10:15 The Water Horse: Legend Of The Deep  
 12:30 Revolution

10:30 The Bottom Line  
 11:00 BBC World News  
 11:30 World Business Report  
 12:00 BBC World News  
 12:30 World Business Report  
 01:00 BBC World News  
 01:30 World Business Report  
 01:45 Sport Today  
 02:00 BBC World News  
 02:30 World Business Report  
 02:45 Sport Today  
 03:00 BBC World News  
 03:30 BBC News Special  
 Tony Blair at the Iraq Inquiry  
 05:00 BBC World News  
 05:30 World Business Report  
 05:45 Sport Today  
 06:00 World News Today  
 07:00 World News Today  
 08:00 BBC World News  
 08:30 The Bottom Line (r)  
 09:00 BBC World News

the Universe: Part 1  
 02:30 Anne Frank: The Whole Story: Part 4  
 03:30 The Tudors - Season 2: Episode 1  
 04:45 Vertical City: John Hancock Center, Chicago  
 05:30 Commando - On The Frontline: Operation Sparrowhawk  
 Space - Unearthed: Space - Survival  
 07:30 Deadliest Warrior: Green Beret vs Spetznaz  
 08:30 Inside Mumbai Terror Attacks  
 Crusoe: Episode 11  
 10:30 Barack Obama  
 11:30 The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes: The Final Problem

### AXN

08:30 So You Think You Can Dance  
 09:30 Criss Angel Mindfreak House  
 11:30 So You Think You Can Dance Wipeout  
 01:30 Ghost Adventures  
 05:30 Criss Angel Mindfreak  
 06:30 Top Chef  
 07:30 Ghost Adventures  
 08:30 Magic Asia: India  
 09:00 Ebuzz  
 09:30 NIGHTMARES AND DREAMSCAPES  
 MARSH, THE

### ESPN

09:30 Planet Speed 2009/10  
 10:00 World Of Gymnastics  
 10:30 Barclays Premier League 2009/10  
 Match: Chelsea vs. Birmingham City  
 12:30 Barclays Premier League 2009/10  
 Match: Aston Villa vs. Arsenal  
 Barclays Premier League 2009/10  
 Match: Blackburn Rovers vs. Wigan Athletic  
 04:30 World Sport 2010  
 05:00 NBA Fastbreak 2009/10  
 05:30 Barclays Premier League 2009/10  
 Match: Everton vs. Sunderland  
 Premier League World First Edition  
 08:30 Sportscenter India  
 09:00 Sportscenter Asia  
 09:30 Premier League Highlights  
 10:30 Sportscenter India  
 11:00 Winter X Games



**Patiganit**  
 On Banglavisian at 8:15 pm  
 Drama Serial  
 Cast: Mosharrarf Karim, Bindu

**abc radio FM 89.2**  
 06:00 Bhorer Janajali  
 09:00 Mukhorito Jiboney  
 12:00 Darun Dupurey  
 03:00 Duranto Bikelley  
 05:00 Shondhatara  
 07:00 Shajer Maya  
 09:00 Raat-er Akashey  
 11:00 Golper Shesh Nei

**RADIO FOORTI 88.0 FM**  
 08:00 Addabazi  
 12:00 Boier Poka  
 02:00 Foort Unlimited  
 06:00 Bumper to Bumper  
 10:00 Club Foorti  
 01:00 Back to Back music

**RADIO TODAY 89.6 FM**  
 07:15 Good Morning Dhaka  
 11:00 Musti Unlimited  
 01:00 Today's World Music  
 04:00 U Turn  
 08:00 Tobey Tai Hok  
 11:00 Raat Bhor Gaan

**Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince**  
 On HBO at 9:30 pm

06:45 Dhruvadi Kahini  
 07:30 Road to Democracy  
 09:25 Black Horse RTV Golden Key  
 11:30 Jiboney Jibon Aano

### DESH TV

10:30 Khelar Shokal  
 12:15 Dur Paath  
 01:02 Cartoon  
 03:00 Bangla Feature Film  
 04:00 Desh Janopad  
 07:45 Travel Show: Pothey Jetey  
 09:45 Rangmistari Show: Era Ora O Jadukaar

04:00 Young Craze  
 04:30 Music Wagon  
 05:15 Shaptaho Sheshey  
 06:00 Saanjh Bela  
 07:00 Talk Show: Bondhu Amar  
 08:15 Drama  
 09:15 Show Case  
 09:45 Events of the Day  
 11:00 Amar Ghar

### Diganta TV

08:05 Shubarno Shokal  
 11:30 Children's Programme  
 12:30 Score Card

02:15 Soccer Mom  
 04:15 Miss Congeniality 2: Armed And Fabulous  
 06:30 The Water Horse: Legend Of The Deep  
 09:00 Tmz 159  
 09:30 Harry Potter And The Goblet Of Fire

### BBC WORLD

08:00 BBC World News  
 08:30 Asia Business Report  
 08:45 Asia Today (r)  
 09:00 World News Today  
 10:00 BBC World News

09:30 Our World : Ceausescu's Children (r)  
 10:00 World News Today  
 11:00 BBC World News  
 11:30 World Business Report  
 11:45 Sport Today

### FOX HISTORY & ENTERTAINMENT

09:30 Hitler's Bodyguard: Night of the Long Knives  
 10:30 Inside Mumbai Terror Attacks  
 12:30 The Cult of the Suicide Bomber - Part III: Episode 1  
 01:30 Stephen Hawking - Master of