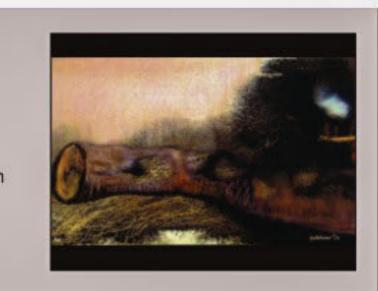
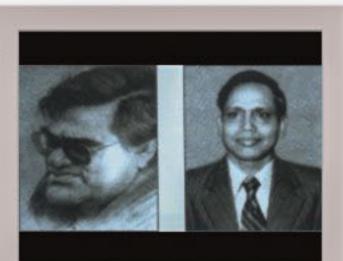


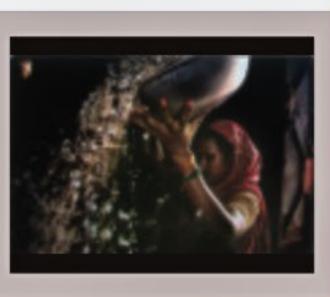
Painting and Installation **Exhibition** Title: "Save Our Trees-Save Our Planet® Artist: Gulshan Hossain Venue: Goethe-Institut. H-10, R-9, Dhanmondi Date: May 3-24 Time: 10am-8pm



Memorial Meeting Organiser: Alamgir Kabir Chalochitra Kendra Venue: Seminar Hall Central Public Library Date: May 11 Time: 5.30pm



Photography Exhibition Title: Rural Exodus Venue: Alliance Française de Dhaka, 26, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi Date: May 28-June 12 Time: 5pm-8pm



Group Art Exhibition Venue: Saju Art Gallery, D.C.C Market, Gulshan-2 Date: May 7-June 6 Time: 10am-8pm



Manipuri Bhasha Utshab in Sylhet



A Manipuri dance performance at the programme.

IQBAL SIDDIQUEE, Sylhet

The concluding session of a daylong programme organised by the Bangladesh Manipuri Sahitya Sangsad (BMSS) in observance of the 'Manipuri Bhasha Utshab-2010' was held on Fri-

We have to uphold and preserve the Manipuri culture and the rich literature of the community. The language, traditions and unique culture of the ethnic minorities are on the decline, so we would all have to contribute greatly to preserve them, said the discussants

The Sylhet Divisional Commissioner, Golam Rabbani, was present as chief guest while Professor Mesbah Kamal of Dhaka University; headmaster of the Aided High School of Sylhet, Syed Enayet Hossain and deputy programme manager of Gano Shakkharata Abhijan, Sakiba Khatun, also spoke at the event.

President of the Manipuri Sahitya Sangsad, poet AK Sheram,

chaired the discussion. General secretary of the organization, Nambram Sankar, conducted the programme.

Noted dance artiste, Tamanna Rahman and Anil Kishon Sinha, poet Anwara Azad and indigenous activist Rakhi Mrong were also present at the event.

Professor Mesbah Kamal formally inaugurated the programme which began with the rendering of the national anthem in the morning.

A colourful procession was also taken out in the city. Later, wreaths were placed at the Sylhet Central Shaheed Minar.

Manipuri children took part in a writing contest on Manipuri language.

Manipuri songs were rendered at the concluding function, conducted by Nongpokloi Sinha, while Chingkhoi Angom and Pronoti Sinha recited poems. The traditional Manipuri dances were directed by the chief of Academy for Manipuri Culture and Arts, Shantona Devi.

Liam Gallagher plans to make Beatles film biopic

Liam Gallagher is set to make a film about the final years of The Beatles.

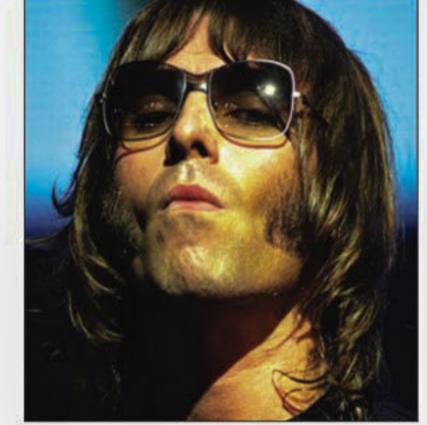
The former Oasis frontman is planning to adapt The Longest Cocktail Party, a memoir written by the Beatles' "house hippy" in the 1960s, Richard DiLello.

The biopic is about the "wild rise and fall" of the band's record company Apple between the heady days of 1968 and the break-up in 1970.

The singer's older brother Noel is also said to be a fan of the book, describing it

as "brilliant". Liam Gallagher's film company, In 1 Productions, will work with UK Independent Revolution Films.

A spokesman for In 1 Productions said: "This will be a film with humour and affection, providing an insider's look at what it meant to be a young man caught up in the wild swirl of the music business,



Oasis recorded a version of The Beatles' hit I Am The Walrus.

celebrities and the tail end of the swinging 60s in London."

The Gallagher brothers have made no secret of their love for The Beatles.

For their album The Masterplan, the band covered the popular Beatles hit I Am The Walrus and to celebrate 40 years since the release of Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band, they recorded a version of Within You Without You.

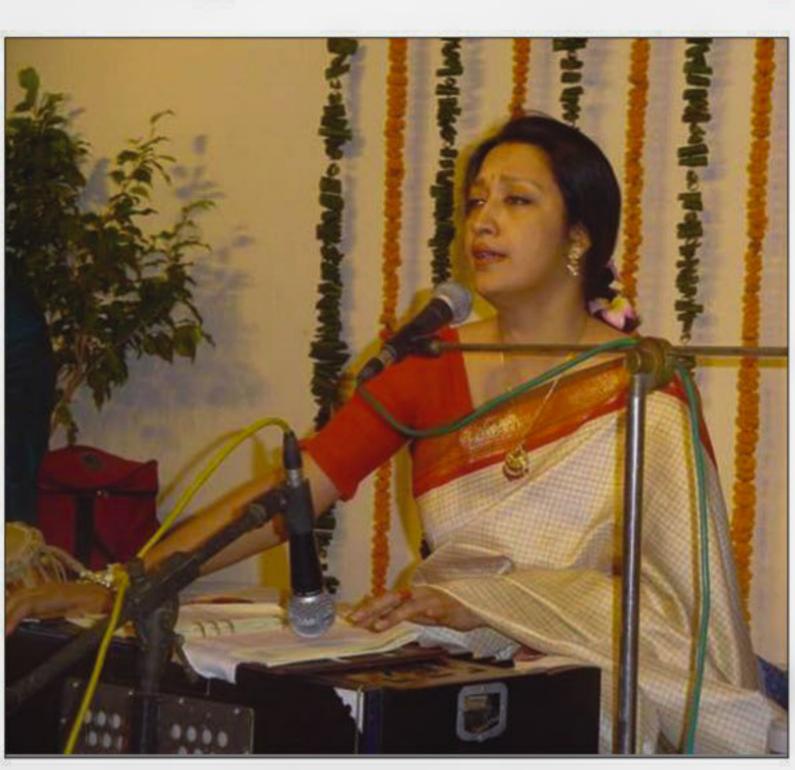
While promoting that album, Noel said: "The Beatles were of their time... you can't compare a band from today with one from the 1960s. Music doesn't mean as much today as it did in the 1960s.'

Oasis broke up in 2009 after Noel quit the band, saying he could no longer work with Liam.

Source: BBC

Solo performance by **Shama Rahman**

Indira Gandhi Cultural Centre, High Commission of India, Dhaka celebrated Rabindra Jayanti (birth anniversary) with a musical soiree featuring renowned Bangladeshi artiste Shama Rahman on May 7 and screening of documentary on Rabindranath Tagore at the Centre on May 8, says a press release. Shama Rahman's renditions of Rabindra Sangeet "Ohe Shundaro Momo Grihey Aaji," "Aaji Godhuli Logoney," "Ei Madolo Gogoney," "Chokher Alo-e Dekhechhilem Chokher Bahirey," "Je Chhilo Amar Swaponocharini," "Shudhu Tomar Baani Noi Go" and more received rounds of applause from the music enthusiasts attending the musical programme. Shama Rahman was accompanied by Gazi Abdul Hakim and Pinu Sen Das on flute, Dipon on guitar and Iftekhar Hossein Sohel on keyboard.



For Riya Sen, Tagore is the perfect man



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PALLAB BHATTACHARYA, New Delhi

Actress Riya Sen might have been linked by the grapevine to Salman Rushdie but for her Rabindranath Tagore symbolises the perfect man.

Riya, granddaughter of screen legend Suchitra Sen, says she is a true Bengali at heart who adores Tagore. "I grew up reading Tagore and none expresses the emotion of love like he did and he understood women so well. He is the perfect man everyone dreams of, including me," Sen says.

The actress, who is known more for being a screen siren after making her Bollywood debut with N Chandradirected "Style", will be seen next in a deglamourised role in Rituparno Ghosh's "Noukadubi", based on Tagore's novel, in which she shares screen space with her sister Raima. Incidentally, Raima was featured in Ghosh's previous movie "Chokher Bali", also an adaptation of the Nobel laureate's work.

Though Riya began her acting career as a child in Bengali film "Bishkanya" [in 1990s], she did not keep herself confined to Tollywood. She has done films in Hindi, English ["Jhankar Beats"], Tamil, Telugu and Malayalam.

The actress says she never felt the pressure of living up to the reputation of her grandmother as an actress.

Among Riya's forthcoming Hindi films is an untitled one by eminent director Ketan Mehta.

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09:30 **Eight Below** 11:45 Benny & Joon **HBO** 12:00

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STAR SPORT

Almost Anything Goes 12:30 Maxis Football Extra Barclays Premier League 09/10 Tape 02:00hrs FIA F1 World Championship Highlights 2010 Engine Block 2010 Score Tonight

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Fifty Fifty On Banglavision at 9:45 pm **Drama Serial** Cast: Mosharraf Karim, Tazin Ahmed



Eight Below On Zee Studio at 9:30 pm **Genre: Adventure** Cast: Paul Walker, Wendy Crewson



Dhupchhaya On ntv at 9:45 pm **Drama Serial** Cast: Shojol, Prova



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