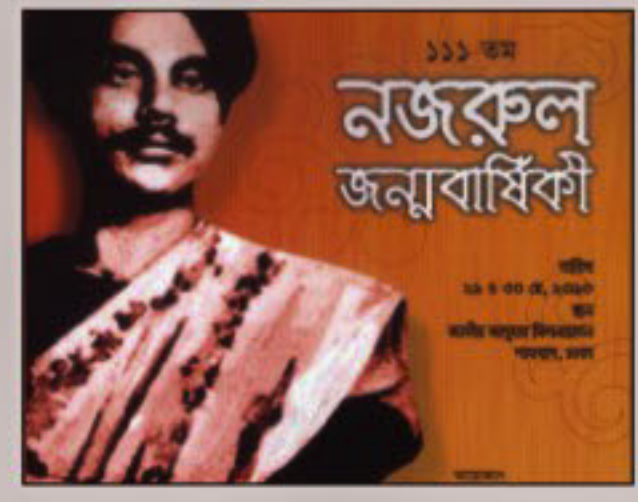


## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

**Nazrul Anniversary**  
 Organiser: Nazrul  
 Sangeet Shilpi Parishad  
 Venue: Main Auditorium, National Museum, Shahbagh  
 Date: May 29-30  
 Time: 6:30pm onwards



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



**Annual Art Exhibition**  
 Organiser: Faculty of Fine Arts (FFA), DU  
 Venue: FFA premises  
 Date: May 20-31  
 Time: 11am-6pm



**Installation Exhibition**  
 Title: Khacher Bhor Auchen Wrishti  
 Venue: National Art Gallery, Shilpakala Academy  
 Date: May 26-June 8  
 Time: 11am-7pm (Fridays 3-8pm)



## Strengthening family ties with Gambhira

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Rajshahi

Chapainawabganj's popular folk performing art form *Gambhira* is being employed in a campaign to improve family ties and thus strengthening of social bond in Rajshahi and its three neighbouring districts. The campaign styled 'Nana-Natir (Grandfather and grandson's) Gambhira Show' took its slogan as 'Through love, help your sons and daughters to choose the right path'. Based on the theme, shows of *Gambhira* were held at all the nine upazilas of Rajshahi between May 22 and 27. The shows are scheduled to be held at 32 venues of 26 upazilas of Rajshahi, Chapainawabganj, Natore and Pabna districts. Bangladesh Centre for

Communications Programmes is implementing the campaign with assistance of Proyas Folk Theater Institute, an association of Proyas Manabik Unnayan Society, a Chapainawabganj based NGO. M Hasib Hossain, executive director of Proyas said, we noticed that social and family bonds are gradually getting loose due to different social and economical realities and that is why, crimes are increasing and children are going to astray. "So the breach in family relation must be mended up for better families and happier societies", he said. Through the *Gambhira* Shows we are trying to portray the message for family members in societies to stay united through funs and frolicking, he added. The organisers explained



Performers during a Gambhira act. PHOTO: STAR

that they focused on fathers, as it was observed that they are the dominant figure in the family. If fathers take a little interest away from their jobs and dedicate some of it to their families, the distance would come down radically.

## Barack Obama to honour Sir Paul McCartney

Ex-Beatle Sir Paul McCartney will receive the third Gershwin Prize for Popular Song from the Library of Congress from US President Barack Obama. The singer will perform at the White House as he will receive the honour. He will appear next week, with the show being broadcast in the US over the summer. The president and first lady are hosting the show in the East Room on June 2, reports The Telegraph. In 2009, the prize-awarded to musicians for a lifetime of song-writing-- went to Stevie Wonder.



Barack Obama and Sir Paul McCartney

## Creating exquisite reality through the lens

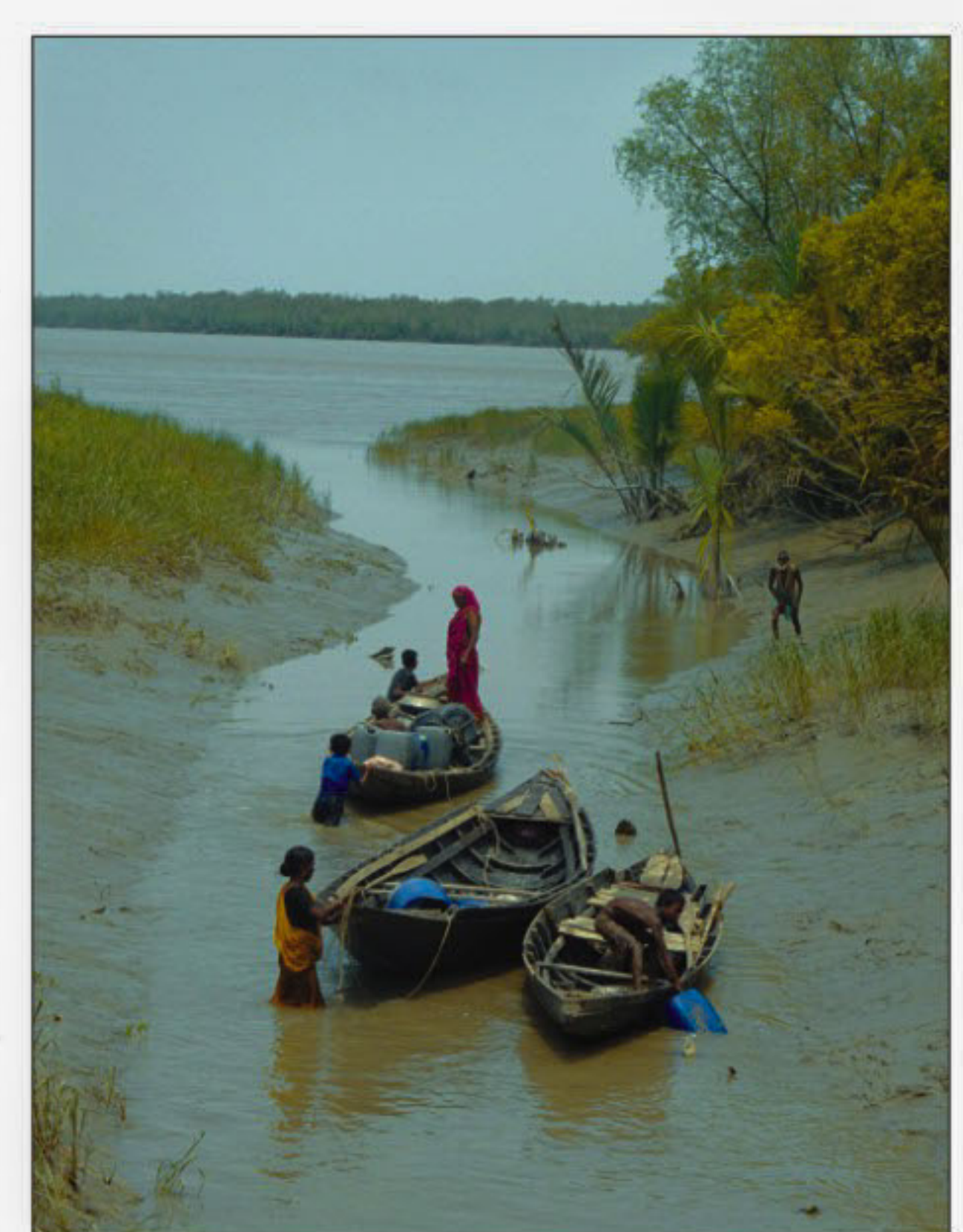
### Updates on "LUMIX Click to Fame"

Hundred pictures from a pool of 6500, the search for the 10 finalists and finally a winner -- a fairy tale through images. The first reality show on photography of the sub-continent "LUMIX Click to Fame" is in full swing. The jury comprises of renowned photographers of the country, Munira Morshed Munni, Dr. Md. Rashid-un-Nabi Shuvro (EFIAP), Hasan Saifuddin Chandan (EFIAP) and Khademul Insan. Eminent photographer of the

country, Anwar Hossain is the online judge of the event. The top ten finalists had embarked on photography assignments to different parts of the country trying to discover the beauty of Bangladesh through the eye of the camera, says a press release. The first trip was to Cox's Bazar, where the talented photographers clicked away at the golden sands, blue waters of Inani, the water festivals of the Rakhains and all the

marine magnificence their eyes laid on. Their next destination was the largest mangrove forest in the world, Sunderbans. Despite the bounty of nature, the roars of the Royal Bengal Tigers and endless variations of wildlife, Sunderbans is yet to be recognised as one of the tourist hot spots. The ten finalists of "LUMIX Click to Fame" used their imagination and shooting skills with LUMIX FZ 35 cam-

eras with 18x zoom to capture the enigmatic wilderness. With every journey, the numbers of contestants are dropping down by two per week. But this harsh reality did not really deter the energy of the remaining contestants, as they went to Sylhet -- an area that invigorates the soul with the lush tea gardens, the waterfall at Madhobkundo, the rocky terrains of Jaflong and the Eco Park at Lawachora. Two pictures -- both of Jaflong by Tamim and Afzal -- will likely lure the global trekkers to Bangladesh. With three weeks of moving around in Bangladesh, the last photo assignment for the six surviving contestants were to frame Smriti Shoudho at Savar and Shaheed Minar as well as the architecture of Panam Nagar in Sonargaon. Faisal Nazim, one of the contestants from Chittagong commented, "It was indeed a challenge for all of us to shoot pictures of Shaheed Minar or Smriti Shoudho from a different perspective, as these monuments have been shot a thousand times."



Photographs by Monir and Pranabesh.

The road to glory is drawing nearer. The winner will receive a Lumix GH1, cash reward of Tk 1,50,000, be the brand ambassador of Panasonic Lumix, get a photo exhibition sponsorship up to Tk 1,50,000 and internship in two of the leading magazines.

## Rabindra-Nazrul birth anniversary observed

QUAMRUL ISLAM RUBAIYAT, Thakurgaon

Rabindra-Nazrul birth anniversary was observed on Wednesday at Panchagarh Shishu Academy in Panchagarh. Marking the occasion, the Panchagarh Shishu Academy organised a day-long programme, including song and art competitions for children. In the morning a painting competition was held at Shishu Academy premises. Over 100 school children from different educational institutions participated in three groups in the competition. After the art competition, song competitions were also held in three groups on Tagore and Nazrul. In the afternoon, a discussion was held, with District Child Affair Officer Akhtaruzzaman in the chair. Later, prizes were distributed among the winners. A cultural programme was held where local child artists rendered patriotic, folk songs and dances. The children also recited different Rabindra-Nazrul poems at the programme. Nowrin Chowla Habib, Humayara Tasnim, Fahmida, Rimjim Roy, Prapti, Mithila, Bibek, Dristi, Pian, Spondan and Mim performed at the programme.

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

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                 07:30 Planet Earth                  09:30 My Shocking Story 5                  10:30 Destroyed In Seconds</p> <p><b>BBC WORLD</b></p> <p>09:30 Peschard's People: AR Rahman                  12:00 BBC World News                  12:30 World Business Report                  04:30 World Business Report                  05:00 GMT with George Alagiah                  06:30 World Business Report                  06:45 Sport Today                  07:00 World News Today with Lyse Doucet                  08:30 World Business Report                  09:30 Click                  10:00 The Hub with Nik Gowing                  11:45 Sport Today</p>
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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-I**  
 News (Bangla): 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 2:00 pm, 9:00 pm, 10:30 pm, 12:30 am

**ATN BANGLA**  
 NEWS (Bangla): 7:00 pm, 10:00 pm, 11:00 pm, 1:00 am, 4:00 am  
 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

**ntv**  
 News (Bangla): 7:30am, 12:02pm, 2:00pm, 1:30pm, 5:00pm, 7:15pm, 10:30pm.

**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

7:30pm, 10:30pm, 1:00am

**Studio Concert: Amar Ponna**  
 On Rtv at 11:10pm  
 Live Musical Programme  
 Tonight's Band: Shironamhin

**Becoming Jane**  
 On Zee Studio at 7:00pm  
 Genre: Biography/Drama  
 Cast: Anne Hathaway, James McAvoy

**Chandmukh**  
 On Channel I at 2:30pm  
 Telefilm  
 Cast: Chanchal Chowdhury, Tahsin

**abc radio fm 89.2**

06:00 Bhorer Janalay  
 09:00 Mukhorito Jiboney  
 12:00 Danun Dupurey  
 03:00 Duranto Bikelley  
 05:00 Shondhatara  
 07:00 Shajer Maya  
 09:00 Raat-er Akashey  
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**RADIO FOORTI**

08:00 Addabazi  
 11:00 Raat Bhor Gaan

12:00 Boier Poka  
 02:00 Foorti Unlimited  
 06:00 Bumper to Bumper  
 10:00 Club Foorti  
 01:00 Back to Back music

**RADIO TODAY**

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