

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

**Photo Exhibition**  
To mark Int'l Day of Tourism  
**Title:** Tourist Sights of Moscow and Moscow Region  
**Venue:** Modern Language Institute, DU  
**Date:** September 2-28



**Dress Exhibition**  
**Title:** Woman and Flower  
**Venue:** Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, 26, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi  
**Date:** August 20-September 2  
**Time:** 3pm-9pm



**Eid Exhibition**  
**Venue:** Drik Gallery, H-58, R-26 Dhanmondi  
**Date:** August 29-31  
**Time:** 11am-8pm



**Solo Photography Exhibition**  
**Title:** Just For You  
**Photographer:** Anwar Hossain  
**Venue:** Dhaka Art Centre, R-8/A, Dhanmondi  
**Date:** August 20-31  
**Time:** 3-8pm



## Music competition for children in Khagrachhari

JASIM MAJUMDER, Khagrachhari

Ten child artistes have been selected in the first round of a music competition that began on August 25 at the Upazila Complex under Rangarh in Khagrachhari district.

Hill Star Musical Group, a leading cultural organisation of Khagrachhari, is holding the competition, titled 'Chhotoder Shera Kantho Protijogita-2010'. UNDP-CHDF has financed the programme.

Senior artistes Abul Kashem, Kajol Sarker, Jibon Roaza, Erina Chakma, Amalendu Majumder and Arun Sharma formed the panel of judges, selecting the contestants from the first round.

Kraneure Marma, president of Hill Star Musical Group, said that they have taken this initiative to bring out the talented young artistes from grassroots level of the district. The second round will begin after Eid in the hill town of Khagrachhari.



Child artistes who have been selected in the first round of the contest.

## TV Watch

### Telefilm "Jol Jotsna" on ATN Bangla



A scene from the tele-film.

A CORRESPONDENT

Telefilm "Jol Jotsna" will be aired on the Eid day on ATN Bangla at 3:45 pm. Mohon Khan has written and directed the telefilm.

The story of the film follows Ratul and his family. Ratul is content with his family -- mother and younger sister Shimu. He runs a guesthouse that is named after his mother. One day a stranger, Shanto, arrives. Ratul and Shimu are reluctant to take the guest in, but their mother takes special care of Shanto.

Shanto wants to introduce his wife Diya to Ratul's mother. The story gets a twist when one day Diya approaches Ratul's mother. Their meeting unveils an untold story from the past.

The cast of the film includes Shoaeb, Nasim, Mim, Trisha and Keya Chowdhury.

### Faruque Ahmed on "Raat Biratey" tonight

A CORRESPONDENT

Popular comic actor Faruque Ahmed is tonight's guest on the street show "Raat Biratey". Anchored by Majnun Mizan, the show will be aired tonight at 11:25 pm on Banglavisión.

Apart from enjoying the serenity of Dhaka at night and wandering the familiar streets, Ahmed will share memorable incidents and hilarious stories with the viewers.

Kaonain Saurav produces the programme.



Faruque Ahmed (left) with the host of the show.

## A blend of eastern and western elements

### Mahadi's second solo album launched

A CORRESPONDENT

Second solo album of singer Mahadi was launched at Hotel Sundarban in the city on August 29. Titled, "Onnorokom", the album has been produced under the banner of Gaanchil.

Managing director of Gaanchil, artiste Kumar Bishwajit; musician Nakib Khan, adviser of Gaanchil; lyricist Asif Iqbal; composer and music director Prithwi Raj and Mahadi along with noted musicians Prince Mahmud, Ibrar Tipu and other members of Gaanchil were present at the album launch.

Nine songs -- all written



(From left) Prithwi Raj, Mahadi, Asif Iqbal, Kumar Bishwajit and others at the album launch.

by Asif Iqbal -- were composed by the up and coming composer Prithwi Raj. Mahadi has recorded eight songs while Prithwi sang "Bhoy."

Music of the album

fuses eastern essence with western aesthetics.

The title song of the album, "Onnorokom" is footed on Raga Bilawal while other songs like "Shomoy," "Birat,"

"Mohamanobik," "Rajkumari," "Maya," "Tumi" are based on Ragas Kirwani, Maand, Bhairavi, Mishra Kirwani and melodic minor (guitar) respectively.

## Kantajiu river journey: An age old religious tradition

KONGKON KARMAKER, Dinajpur

Last Monday, thousands of devotees gathered on both sides of the 30 km long Dhepa River to have a dip. A traditional Hindu celebration to mark the river journey of Lord Kantajiu, the devotees offered prayers as the idol made its way by river from Kantanagar temple to the historic Dinajpur Rajbari temple. The idol of Kantajiu was placed on a decorated boat, while devotees offered prayers, food, fruits and milk to the deity.

In addition, the Kirtaniyas who had come from different parts of the country recited verses and rendered religious songs. Crowded temples were tastefully decorated and



Thousands of devotees gathered on both sides of Dhepa River on the occasion.

several programmes of sankirtan and bhandaras

were held. At Shri Krishna Mandir at Barabandar, thousands of devotees

thronged the temple.

A special puja was also performed at Rajbari Temple in Dinajpur, which attracted thousands of

devotees from the district.

Every year, the idol is brought to Rajbari Temple a day before Janmashtami celebrations.

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

<p><b>ATN Bangla</b></p> <p>01:25 Kothamala 03:45 Jhotpot Iftar 04:30 Jantey Chai 05:10 Kerat Competition 10:45 Bihongo Katha 12:30 Grameenphone Lead News</p> <p><b>Channel i</b></p> <p>01:05 Ebong Cinemar Gaan 01:30 Hridayer Gaan 03:45 Boi Ebong Boi 06:00 Ramjanul Mubarak 07:50 Channel i Shera Kantho'10 12:00 Grameenphone Aiker Shangbadpotro</p>	<p><b>ETV</b></p> <p>03:30 Drama 04:30 Elating Belating 05:25 Taja Ekusher Shandha 05:45 Jhotpot Iftar 06:20 Rojadar 07:50 Shiam O Shustotha</p> <p><b>Desh TV</b></p> <p>04:30 Bazarey Notun 05:30 Durpaath 06:25 Atto Dharshan 11:00 Desh Sangbad 12:30 Gazi Group Total Sport</p>	<p><b>Banglavisión</b></p> <p>03:00 Cinebit Shadakalo 04:10 Amader Jibone Ramjan 06:00 Hamd, Naat O Ajan 11:25 Raat Biratey 12:30 Bashudha Cinemar Gaan</p> <p><b>ATN News</b></p> <p>11:30 Sports Insight 02:15 Amader Katha 05:15 Pramanno Shomoy 07:30 Saat Rang (Live) 08:30 Ekdin Protidin 09:00 News Hour</p> <p><b>HBO</b></p> <p>10:00 The One 12:30 The Dark Knight 03:30 Flirting With Forty 07:30 Angus, Thongs And Perfect Snogging 09:30 American Ninja 11:30 Underworld: The Rise Of The Lycans</p> <p><b>Zee Studio</b></p> <p>08:30 The Guardian</p>	<p>01:30 Deja Vu 05:00 The Long Weekend 07:15 Fireflies in the Garden 09:30 Scream 3 12:10 Ladder 49</p> <p><b>Star Movies</b></p> <p>10:00 City Of Ember 11:45 The Brothers Bloom 01:45 Meet Dave 07:00 High School Musical 3: Senior Year 09:00 Dragonball: Evolution 10:30 Army Of Darkness</p> <p><b>Star World</b></p> <p>11:30 Moment Of Truth 01:30 Lost 03:30 Ugly Betty 05:00 Friends 07:30 Glee 10:30 Criminal Minds 12:00 The Simpsons</p> <p><b>Cartoon Network</b></p> <p>08:30 Toon Toast 12:30 Harry Ptter and the Chamber of Secrets</p>	<p>04:00 Cookie Treat 04:30 Pokemon DP 06:00 Ben 10 08:30 Dragon Ball 10:30 Richie Rich</p> <p><b>CNN</b></p> <p>12:00 World Report 03:00 Larry King Live 08:00 International Desk 09:00 The Brief 10:00 Prism 10:30 World's Untold Stories 12:00 Quest Means Business</p> <p><b>BBC World</b></p> <p>11:00 BBC World News 02:30 HARDtalk 05:00 GMT with George Alagiah 07:00 Impact Asia with Mishal Husain 10:00 The Hub with Nik Gowing 11:30 World Business Report 12:00 World News Today with Zeinab Badawi</p>	<p><b>Discovery Channel</b></p> <p>12:00 How Do They Do It? 12:30 Man vs. Wild 07:30 Surviving The Drought 09:30 Man vs. Wild 10:30 I Shouldn't Be Alive 11:30 A Haunting</p> <p><b>Travel and Living</b></p> <p>11:30 La Ink 06:30 Crüefest 12:30 La Ink</p> <p><b>Ten Sports</b></p> <p>11:00 US Open 2010 H/L's 12:00 Moto GP 2010 Highlights 01:00 Micromax Cup: 7th ODI H/L's 03:00 Indian National Rally Championship 03:30 UEFA Champions League 2010/11 H/L's 06:30 UEFA Champions League Magazine Show 08:00 WWE After Burn 09:00 US Open 2010: Men's &amp; Women's (Live)</p>
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<p><b>ATN Bangla</b></p> <p>06:00 Islami Sawal O Jobab</p> <p><b>Channel i</b></p> <p>09:45am Grameenphone Tritio Matra 12:30pm Citycell Taroka Kathon</p>	<p><b>ETV</b></p> <p>10:10pm Galpo Shalpo Gaan</p> <p><b>Desh TV</b></p> <p>11:45 Shoja Kotha <b>Banglavisión</b> 09:05pm Porompورا</p>
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<p><b>ATN Bangla</b></p> <p>08:00pm Madhabi Vira 08:40pm Tomato Ketchup 09:20pm Poush Phaguner Pala</p> <p><b>Channel i</b></p> <p>5:15pm Koushol 11:30pm All Out</p> <p><b>ETV</b></p> <p>08:20pm Ek E Shunya</p>	<p><b>Dosh</b></p> <p>09:30pm Jahur Ali Jahuri</p> <p><b>Desh TV</b></p> <p>08:15pm Shubhra 09:45pm Khoar 10:30pm Metro</p> <p><b>Banglavisión</b></p> <p>08:15pm Mad Bhai 09:45pm Fifty Fifty</p>
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<p><b>abc radio fm 89.2</b></p> <p>06:00 Bhorer Janalay 09:00 Mukhorito Jiboney 12:00 Darun Dupurey 03:00 Duranto Bikeley 05:00 Shondhataro 07:00 Shajer Maya 09:00 Raat-er Akashay 11:00 Golper Shesh Nei</p>	<p><b>RADIO TODAY</b></p> <p>07:15 Good Morning Dhaka 11:00 Musti Unlimited 01:00 Today's Adda U Turn 04:00 Tobey Tai Hok 11:00 Raat Bhor Gaan 12:00 Today's Happy Moments</p>	<p><b>RADIO FOORTI</b></p> <p>07:30 Hello Dhaka 10:00 Morning Express 12:00 My Time 01:00 No Tension 04:00 Dhaka Calling 01:00 Back to Back music</p>
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**Khoar**  
On Desh TV at 09:45pm  
Drama serial  
Cast: AKM Hasan, Chanchal Chowdhury

**Underworld: The Rise Of The Lycans**  
On HBO at 11:30pm  
Cast: Michael Sheen, Elizabeth Hawthorne

**Mad Bhai**  
On Banglavisión at 08:15pm  
Drama Serial  
Cast: Zahid Hasan, Shamim Zaman, Humaira Himu