

WHAT'S ON

Solo Art Exhibition
Artist: Monirul Islam
Venue: Gallery Chitrah, Dhanmondi
Date: May 27-June 15
Time: 10am-9pm

Solo Nazrul Sangeet Evening
Singer: Dr. Fakir Shohedul Islam
Venue: Indra Gandhi Cultural Centre, Gulshan 1

Film Screening
Film: Go Fast
Venue: Auditorium, Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi
Date: June 3
Time: 6pm

19th National Art Exhibition
Organiser: Shilpakala Academy
Venue: National Art Gallery, Shilpakala Academy
Date: May 28-June 17

Solo Painting Exhibition
Title: Essence of Mystery
Artist: Tarak Mahadi
Venue: La Galerie, Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, Dhanmondi
Date: June 3-16

Solo Art Exhibition
Artist: Mustapha Khalid Falah
Venue: Dhaka Art Centre, R-7 A JH-60, Dhanmondi
Date: June 17-July 1
Time: 11am-9pm

Photography Exhibition
Title: Frozen in Time
Venue: Goethe-Institut Bangladesh, H 10, Rd 9, Dhanmondi
Date: May 26-June 4

Ceramic Art Exhibition
Organiser: Harappa
Venue: Drik Gallery, Dhanmondi
Date: May 28-June 4
Time: 3pm-8pm



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GOING BACK TO CLAY

Ceramic and terracotta exhibition at Drik

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Starting from May 28, an eight-day ceramic and terracotta exhibition is on at Drik Gallery, Dhanmondi.

The exhibition features a range of works by traditional potters from different parts of the country.

The collection highlights an array of styles, techniques, colours and textures -- from household items like wall panels, tiles, functional tableware, light shades, crockery, fountains, garden decorations and masks to purely aesthetic miscellaneous pieces.

A visitor will also find a touch of Indus Valley and Egyptian civilisations as replicas of artefacts excavated from the ancient city of Harappa, and busts of Tutankhamun (arguably the most famous Egyptian pharaoh), Anubis (one of the most well recognised deities of ancient Egypt) are also on display.



Tagore portraits along with several high relief artworks stand out. The terracotta works on display are a blend of folk and oriental, with the latest urban fusion concepts.

New styles and several fusion works are also on display to attract urban enthusiasts.

The journey of the organisation, Harappa, began back in 2006, when a group of friends -- Nazmul Haque (chairman), Afsar Ahmed (marketing director), Khandakar Mamun Al-Hasan (managing director), Sudipto Mallick (creative director), Probal Kumar Saha (packaging director) and Rudra Naser (in-house designer and production director), all sharing a passion for arts -- took the initiative to promote traditional pottery.

The terracotta is an important functional art and is said to be the first creative expression of any civilisation. Bangladesh has had thousands of years of rich heritage in clay sculpture and traditional pottery.

The exhibition is open to all from 3pm to 8pm every day, till June 4.

UPDATE

Asaduzzaman Noor to host "Ke Hote Chay Kotipoti"



Noor (left) with Anisul Haque.

STAFF CORRESPONDENT
The recent announcement that "Ke Hote Chay Kotipoti", Bangla version of the mega-popular game show "Who Wants to be a Millionaire", will soon go on air on Desh TV has already created a buzz in the country.

Cultural fiesta in Kishoreganj

TAFSILUL AZIZ, Kishoreganj
A six-day district cultural fair concluded in Kishoreganj on May 28. The Kishoreganj District Administration had arranged the fair at the local Shilpakala Academy premises.

Rice Cakes Galore Pitha Utshab in Satkhira

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Satkhira
A daylong traditional Pitha Utshab (rice cake festival) was held at Satkhira Shilpakala Academy premises on June 1.

No photo did justice to Madhubala's beauty

The name Madhubala conjures up many spectacular images of the iconic actress. Her beauty, grace, comic timing -- everything about her has turned into a legend over the last 40 years.



portrayal and slowly grew into the role, imparting to it shades of her own personality.

known, well-loved character and make it successful once again. All doubts were put to rest when Madhubala's Anarkali emerged on the screen pulsatingly alive, vibrant and three-dimensional.

Table with TV channels and programs: ATN BANGLA, CHANNEL i, ntv, Z Studio.

Table with radio stations: abc radio FM 89.2, 99.00, 12.00, 03.00, 05.00, 07.00, 09.00, 11.00, RADIO FOOTRI.

Kobi O Rajkanya On Desh TV at 09:45pm Single Episode TV Play

Inglourious Basterds On HBO at 09:30pm Genre: Drama/War

Oloshpur On Rtv at 09:05pm Drama Serial

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Table with Drama Serial: ATN BANGLA, CHANNEL i, ntv, Boishakhi TV.

Table with News Bulletin: ntv, ATN BANGLA, CHANNEL i.

Table with Talk Show: ATN BANGLA, CHANNEL i.