

Eid festivity spills on to the small screen

Eid spells fun with family and friends. When you finally manage breathing space from all that festivity you can depend on the television channels to offer you a feast of programmes specially earmarked for the festival. Here's what's on offer:



Film "Rajotto"; starring Bobby, Shakib; on Channel i, 2nd day, 10:30am.



Drama serial "Neel Koshto"; starring Apurba, Popy; Ekushey TV, Eid day-6th day; 11:20pm.



Drama "Swopner Shuru Jekhane"; starring Sajal, Shayna, Kalyan; on SA TV, Eid day, 8:40pm.



Tele-film "Hiya'r Majhe Lukiye Chhile"; starring Zahid Hasan; on Channel 9, Eid day, 3pm.



Talk show "Face to Face: Ananta Jalil"; on Desh TV, Eid day-7th day, 9pm.



Drama "Saar Kothar Dhar Beshi"; directed by Hanif Sangket; ATN Bangla, Eid day, 8:50pm.



Tele-film "72 Kakrail"; starring Riaz, Tisha; on Maasranga Television, Eid Day, 2:40pm.



Drama serial "Ubhochor"; starring Saju Khadem, Urmila, Hasin; on ntv, Eid day-7th day, 9:55pm.

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ATN Bangla

Tele-film "Mon Amar"
GM Saikat's tele-film "Mon Amar" will be telecast on ATN Bangla at 3:05pm on Eid day. Amin Khan, Nawshin, Mahmud Sazzad and others have donned various roles in it. It surrounds Ila, a strong-minded girl, who tries to help her friend Ratna, but in the process jeopardises her own chances of securing a job that she desperately needs. She eventually gets married, but misunderstands her husband and prepares to leave the country.

Tele-film "Shikar"
Special tele-film "Shikar", directed by BU Shubho and written by Shafiqur Rahman Shantanu, will be aired on ATN Bangla on the second day of Eid at 3:05pm. It casts Apurba, Zakia Bari Momo and Moushumi Hamid. It tells the story of righteous businessman Asif, who is trapped by a mysterious girl Mumu who helps him get a deal but in return later ask him to murder a maimed person.

Channel i

TV Play "Nayika"
Single-episode TV play "Nayika" will air on Channel i on the second day of Eid at 7:50pm. Written by Rabeya Khatun and directed by Abul Hayat, the play features Hayat himself, Wahida Mallick Jolly, Intekhab Dinar, Kusum Shikder and Ivana. The plot revolves around two sisters and their turbulent lives.

TV Drama "Goni Miya'r Coaching Centre"
Some 25 noted actors will come together on screen for TV drama "Gonmi Miya'r Coaching Centre" that will air at 9:35pm on the second day of Eid. Written and directed by Ferdous Hasan, the cast includes Sajal, Shayla Sabi, Serajul Islam, Dilara Zaman, Dr. Ejaz, Shirin Bokul and many others. The play is about a coaching centre for behavioural studies for adults. Goni Miya, the owner of the centre, is thrown into a dilemma when a local notorious youth wants to marry his daughter. Watch for more.

Ekushey TV

Special Tribal Show "Neel Paharer Gaye"
A special show "Neel Paharer Gaye", featuring art, heritage and culture of our indigenous communities, will be aired everyday at 9:30am. Starting from Eid day the three-episode programme has been produced by Sakhawat Liton.

Phono Live Studio Concert

Starting from Eid day, a six-day long Phono Live Studio Concert will be aired everyday at 12:30am. Every episode will feature popular songs of various decades, golden oldies, film songs and band music. Besides, popular world music will be performed at the programme. Produced by Reajum Monir Shaibal; Sajib and Susmita Sen will perform on Eid day; Anupama Mukti and Badsha Bulbul on the second day and Dithi Anowar and Apu on third day.

ntv

Tele-film "Shondha Tara"
Special Eid tele-film "Shondha Tara" will air on ntv on Eid day at 2:30pm. Directed by Ferdous Hasan, the film casts Intekhab Dinar, Sumaiya Shimu, Syed Hasan Imam, Serajul Islam and others. The tele-film centres on Dr. Robi, whose mother is gravely sick. Robi loves Dr. Sandhya but is afraid to tell his mother, because he is uncertain of her reaction. Meanwhile, Sandhya keeps pressuring Robi to tell his mother the truth.

Musical programme "Rock With Miles"
On the third day of Eid at 9:05pm, special musical programme featuring popular band Miles will be telecast on ntv. The veteran band will perform their biggest hits for the audience.



Talk show "Amader Kingbodonti"; guests Runa Laila and Alamgir; Banglavision, 3rd day, 3:05am.



Live Musical Programme "Shomoy Katuk Gaane Gaane"; featuring Dalchhut; on Boishakhi TV, Eid day, 11:15pm.

Banglavision

Mini-series "Formal-in Plus"

A special six-episode mini TV series named "Formal-in Plus" will go on air on Banglavision every night from Eid day at 9:40pm. Written and directed by Masud Sezan, it casts Zahid Hasan, Nipun, Mishu Sabbir and others. The comedy drama shows how simple-minded people are being deceived every day by sly people around them.

Serial "Sikandar Box Ekhon Banderban-ey"

A special TV series titled "Sikandar Box Ekhon Banderban-ey" will bring popular TV character Sikandar Box, played by Mosharraf Karim, to the screens for six evenings in a row starting Eid day on Banglavision. He will be joined by Shokh, Salahuddin Lavlu and Nawshaba. Sikandar plans to go to Banderban but finds it difficult to convince his wife to tag along. Eventually they do set out for the hilly place, but one amusing incident happens after another.

Desh TV

Musical programme "Eto Sur Eto Gaan"

A special live musical show titled "Eto Sur Eto Gaan" will air on Desh TV from Eid day to the 7th day, at 3pm. On the first day, artistes Aloke Sen and Anupama Mukti will perform songs of the legendary duo RD Burman and Asha Bhosle, and also interact via phone with the audience. Debleena Sur will host the programme.

TV play "Hello Abbajaan"

Single-episode TV play "Hello Abbajaan" will air on the second day of Eid on Desh TV at 7:45pm. Written by Mesbah Uddin Sumon and directed by Arif Ahnaf, it casts Sajal, Swarna and Rahmat Ali in various roles. Potato trader Khoda Box's son Montu Box wants to be a film star but his father does not allow him to do so. When he wants to have an affair with neighbor Chadni, his father still causes a hindrance. But Montu then gets his father addicted to Facebook, who then himself develops a special friendship with a middle-aged woman.



Drama "Ami Tumi Ebong Shey"; starring Iresh Zaker, Aparna Ghosh; Gtv, Eid day, 7:30pm.



Film "Most Welcome"; starring Ananta, Barsha; on Rtv, 2nd day, 2pm.

Boishakhi Television

Drama series "Gendu Chora Local Service"

Boishakhi TV will air six-episode TV series "Gendu Chora Local Service" every day from Eid day at 10:35pm. Written and directed by SA Haq Alik and casting Al Mansur, Azizul Hakim, Chitralakha Guha and Shoshi, it is about an infamous thief Gendu, who gets caught while trying to raid a upper class home. After his sentence is over, he is given a bus to drive so that he does not have to steal any more.

Musical programme "Hits and Beats"

A musical programme featuring top hits across genres of world music, particularly those which have won major awards, will be played at the programme titled "Hits and Beats". Naquib Khan will host the programme, produced by S Ali Sohel. It will air at 8:40pm on the third day of Eid.

Rtv

Mini TV series "Lathi Pagol"

Starting from Eid day, a six-episode mini TV series "Lathi Pagol" will be aired everyday at 8:40pm. Written by Masum Reza, the TV series is directed by Salahuddin Lavlu. The cast of the series includes Reaz, AKM Hasan and Jyotika Jyoti.

The series has as protagonist Sagai Mondol [of Habaspur village] who always carries a lathi (baton). Mondol, donned by Reaz, is unassuming and a role model for others. A village girl Suraiya falls in love with Mondol who refuses her romantic overtures and says that they will marry in the after life. Suraiya is married off to a man from a miserly family that treats her badly. On hearing of this, Mondol hatches a scheme to punish them.

Drama "Hartal"

Single-episode drama "Hartal", written by Animesh Aich and directed by Azad Kalam, will go on air on Rtv at 11:05pm on the third day of Eid. It casts Mosharraf Karim, Animesh Aich, Jyotika Jyoti and Dipanwita Halder. It surrounds a village simpleton named Jabbar who comes

to the city for his ailing wife's treatment, and is stuck in hartal, and hard reality of the city shakes him off his feet.

Maasranga Television

Tele-film "Road Trap"

Written by Wahid Ibn Reza and directed by Mabruur Rashid Banna, tele-film "Road Trap" airs on the second day of Eid at 2:40pm. Casting Salman Muktadir, Tawsif Mahub, Allen Shubbro and Hasin Rowshan, the film is the story of three friends who go on a drive and seem to hit a man on the road.

Celebrity Quiz Show "Mission Television"

A special quiz show titled "Mission Television" will air on Maasranga Television at 7:40pm on the third day of Eid. Guests Fazlur Rahman Babu, Azizul Hakim, Tropa Mazumder, Bijori, Tarin and Shaju Khadem will participate in the programme, where Kumar Bishwajit will perform.

Channel 9

Mini-series "Spy Agency"

Special mini-series "Spy Agency" will air on Channel 9 for six days from Eid day onwards at 6pm. Written by Shah Naimul Karim and directed by Shahid-un Nabi, it casts Riaz, Tarik Swapan, Bijori Barkatullah, Shahidul Islam Sachchu and Sazzad Reza. The plot revolves around Cezanne, whose lifelong dream is to become a spy. He starts a spy agency with his friends but nobody appoints them for any assignment initially.

Drama "Agontuk"

Single-episode TV play "Agontuk" will air on Channel 9 at 9:35pm on Eid day. Written and directed by Badrul Anam Soud, it casts Sadia Islam Mou, Jitu Ahsan and Shaju Khadem. It revolves around an unhappy couple who are on the verge of getting a divorce. Another man enters the scenario at the juncture, driving the situation to another direction.

Gtv

Special TV play "Chhayapori"

Gtv will air a special single-episode play titled "Chhayapori" on Eid day at 10:30pm. Written and directed by Humayun Sadhu, the play casts Rawnak Hasan, Swarna and Humayun himself, among others. Chhaya, the female protagonist, invites five of her friends on her birthday, from whom she intends to choose her life partner. The five men are themselves oblivious that they will be vying for her, as they are kept in the dark about Chhaya's plan.

Drama "Isharar Opekkhay"

Mesbah Uddin Sumon's TV play "Isharar Opekkhay" will be telecast on Gtv on the third day of Eid, at 7:30pm. Sajal and Mezbaben play the leads in the play, which revolves around romance in a corporate office between Russel and Anima. Russel's brother, who seems to be an expert in matters of the heart, starts coaching Russel after he fails to muster the courage to approach his love interest.

SATV

Live musical show "Grameenphone Utshabe Gaane"

A five-day live musical programme titled "Grameenphone Utshabe Gaane" will air on SATV, starting Eid day. Each episode will see three artistes perform songs of one eminent composer. On Eid day, Deblina Sur, Liza and Opu will perform songs of Sheikh Sadi Khan. The programme begins at 11:30pm.

Drama serial "Niyamot Saheb O Tar Bibigon"

TV serial "Niyamot Saheb O Tar Bibigon" will be telecast on SATV from the eve of Eid (tonight) to the fifth day of Eid, at 7:35pm. Directed by Aniruddha Russel, it casts Shahiduzzaman Selim, Shampa Reza, Bijori Barkatullah and Maznun Mizan. The serial is about Niyamot Ali Sardar, who has four wives.