


Banshi-te Rabintra Nazrul
 Organiser: Government Music College
 Venue: National Theatre Hall, BSA
 Date: June 14; Time: 6:30pm



Group Art Exhibition
 Title: 11th Anniversary Exhibition
 Organiser: Galleri Kaya
 Venue: Galleri Kaya, H-20, Rd-16, Sec-4, Uttara
 Date: June 6-26
 Time: 11am-8pm



An Evening of Rabintra Sangeet
 Artist: Ashraf Mahmud
 Organiser: Indira Gandhi Cultural Centre
 Venue: IGCC, Gulshan-1
 Date: June 13, Time: 6:30pm



Group Art Exhibition
 Title: Remixing Illusion
 Venue: Gallery Cosmos-2
 Date: June 1-15
 Time: 11am-7pm



Group Art Exhibition
 Title: Wings of Imagination
 Venue: Alliance Francaise de Dhaka, Dhanmondi
 Date: 5-15 June
 Time: Monday-Thursday 3-9pm
 Friday and Saturday 9-12am and 5-8pm



Five personalities accorded reception

ZAHANGIR SHAH, Manikganj

Manikganj Shilpakala Academy accorded a reception to five renowned cultural personalities of Manikganj district for their outstanding contributions. They were given certificates, medals and Tk.10, 000 each at a function at central Shaheed Minar in Manikganj recently.

The personalities who have won recognition are Kodom Ali (folklore), Robi Pal (jatra), AKM Azil Islam Shukku (art), Sunil Kumer Chakrabarty (music), and Korobi Ahmed Beauty (dance).

Jahid Maleque Swapan, local lawmaker and state minister to the Health and Family Welfare Ministry, handed the certificates, medals and cash to the recipients.

Later, a cultural function was held. The members of Manikganj Shilpakala Academy performed chorus and solo songs, dances and recited poetry.



BNSS holds Nazrul Utshab at BSA

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh Nazrul Sangeet Sangstha (BNSS) organised Nazrul Utshab marking 116th birth anniversary of the National Poet Kazi Nazrul Islam at National Theatre Hall of Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy on June 10.

The event featured solo and choral rendition of songs, recitation and dance presentations. A number of renowned and promising artistes of BNSS performed a diverse genre of Nazrul Sangeet. Artistes of BNSS set off the musical show with the choral song "Sangha Smarana Tirtha Jatra". Young artistes of the organisation also presented two choruses -- "Joy Houk" and "Rum Jhum Rumujumu Ke Bajaye."

President of the organisation Khalid Hossain rendered a monsoon melody "Rimjhim Rim Jhim Jhim" while general secretary of BNSS Khairul Anam Shakil performed a ghazal-ang song "Pashaner Bhangley Ghum".

"Our National Poet composed songs of varied genre and created several distinctive raga and taal. Nazrul's kavyageeti and raga-based melodies are very sweet but none can blossom that melody without proper rewar. I am hopeful about the promising artistes of BNSS who are showing their musical passion and potential with utmost

sincerity in every programme of the organisation," said Khairul Anam Shakil.

Nahian Durdana Shuchi melodically performed a raga Bageshree-based song "Harano Hiyar Nikunja Poth-e"; Mehruz rendered "Deshgoura Bijoy Deboraj", based on raga Deshgoura. Set on raga

Esho Nirojon-e". Nihar Dey Akash rendered a kirtan "Sakhi Sajaye Rakhlo", Mridula Samadder rendered "Sur-e O Banir Mala", based on raga Pilu, and Sanjay Kabiraj sang "Mor Na Mititey Asha".

Bhabna director Samina Husain Prema

Seema Islam recited parts of an epic poem "Kamal Pasha" at the event. Noted singers -- Suman Mazumdar and Bizon Chandra Mistry performed solos really very well

The performances of promising artistes Maksudur Rahman Mohit Khan, Nihar



"Ayna Bibi'r Pala" at Shilpakala today

A CORRESPONDENT

"Ayna Bibi'r Pala", a play based on the famous Mymensingh Geetika, will be staged today at the Experimental Theatre Hall of the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy. Produced by the troupe Natyadhara, it is about the society's injustice towards women in the ancient times, and how one woman stands up against it.



EX OFFICINA NOSTRA opens tomorrow

A group exhibition of prints at Bengal Art Lounge

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Ex Officina Nostra, a group exhibition of prints, opens at the Bengal Art Lounge tomorrow. The exhibition displays a whole range of recently-printed works by artists of established reputation or at the beginning of their creative journey. The subtle monochromes of Ashit Mitra, the bright colors of Jogen Chowdhury, the variations on religious symbols of Shimul Saha or the mysterious three-eyed face by Sukhamoy Majumder -- Ex Officina Nostra proposes to the viewer to chart new territories.

The term Ex Officina -- which translates from Latin as "from the workshop of..." -- was sometimes

TV WATCH

"BRISHTI BHEJA AKASH" on Channel i

A CORRESPONDENT

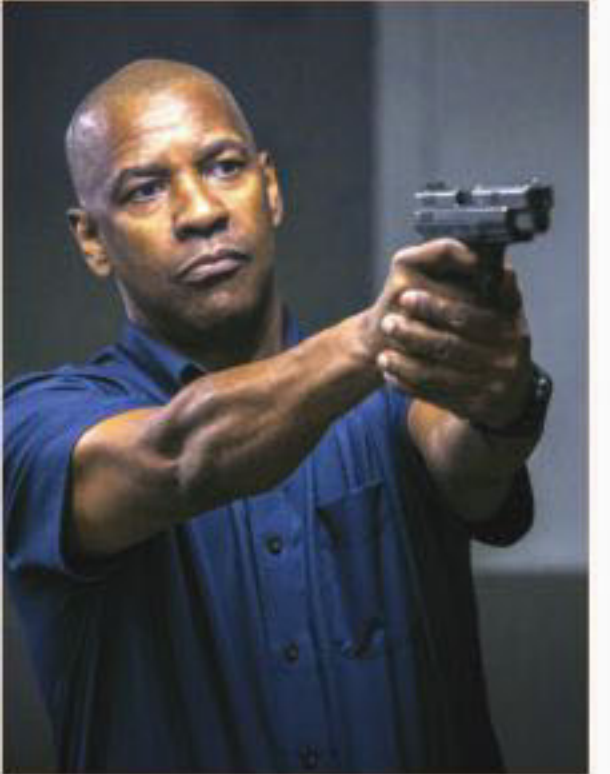
Bangla Film "Brishti Bheja Akash" will be shown on Channel I today at 3pm, as part of the weekend movie schedule "Robi E Shoptaher Chhobi". The film directed by Sohanur Rahman Sohan, casts Ferdous, Moushumi, Shakil Khan, Prabir Mitra and Afzal Sharif.



IT'S TRUE!



US pop star Taylor Swift found out in March that US examiners had misquoted one of her song lyrics in a grammar test that asked students to spot errors in pop lyrics. The line was from her 2009 song "Fifteen" After she posted the matter on Twitter, The Princeton Review then apologized for the error, and also offered Swift to pick a fan, who they would buy two tickets to one of Swift's shows in the USA.



Grace Moretz and Marton Csokas co-starred in the original, based on the 1980s TV series of the same name.

Antoine Fuqua ("Training Day") directed the first "Equalizer", produced by Escape Artists, co-financed by Village Roadshow and debuted at the Toronto Film Festival.

"The Equalizer 2" is the first film dated for Sept. 29, 2017.

Source: Variety

"Dil Dhadakne Do" takes box office by storm

If numbers are any indication, then director Zoya Akhtar's latest flick "Dil Dhadakne Do" is all set to hit the jackpot at the box office. As per trade analyst Taran Adarsh, the film has garnered more than Rs 65 crore in the first four days of its release -- 42.82 crore in the domestic market and 22.38 crore in the overseas market.

Based on the theme of a dysfunctional Punjabi family, "Dil Dhadakne Do" opened to mixed reviews, but a positive word-of-mouth helped it at the ticket window. Its business saw a huge jump on day two after a dismal opening day collection, and Sunday brought



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