

NEWS bytes

HEROES coming back to TV

Tim Kring kicked off the "Heroes Reborn" panel at Comic-Con Sunday afternoon in San Diego, the very place the original hit TV series "Heroes" launched nine years ago.

"We've had a long rest and a good night sleep and we're ready to save the world again so if you found something about the show that you loved, something that you were passionate about the first time, then I very humbly ask you to give 'Heroes Reborn' a chance," Kring said.

The challenge is that since we came along, we looked like nothing else on TV, and now huge shows



are out there that we have to compete with," Kring added on the panel, which brought on surprise guests Masi Oka and Jimmy Jean-Louis, who are returning to NBC's new series.

The new series will see the new Heroes in danger. "We left with Claire Bennett exposing these powers to the world, her coming out, so now everyone knows about these powers," Kring said. "The entire world knows about these powers and it's not such a good thing."

Source: Internet

IT'S TRUE!



Tapestry workshop concludes at Shilpakala



Workshop conductors and participants with Liaquat Ali Lucky.

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

A 12-day tapestry workshop concluded on July 12 at Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy (BSA). BSA together with Tapestry and Painting Studio jointly organised the workshop at its National Art Gallery.

Artist Tajul Islam conducted the workshop, while BSA instructors Pradyut Kumar Das and SM Mizanur Rahman assisted him. A total of 27 participants from various institutions including Faculty of Fine Arts of University of Dhaka, alongside two artists – Samina Nafiz and Afroza Jamil Kongka took part in the workshop.

BSA Liaquat Director General Ali Lucky, BSA's Fine Art Department director Mohammad Anwar Hossain and Tajul Islam attended the certificate giving ceremony on July 12. "The sincerity of the

participating artists will hold the art heritage of tapestry," Said Liaquat Ali Lucky.

Tapestry is a form of textile art, traditionally woven on a vertical loom. However, it can also be woven on a floor loom. It is composed of two sets of interlaced threads, those running parallel to the length (called the warp) and those parallel to the width (called the weft); the warp threads are set up under tension on a loom, and the weft thread is passed back and forth across part or all of the warps. Tapestry is weft-faced weaving, in which all the warp threads are hidden in the completed work, unlike cloth weaving where both the warp and the weft threads may be visible.

Jute and colourful cotton are the main elements for weaving tapestry. Apart from having its artistic value, tapestry has its everyday use in wall mats, prayer mats, shataranji and carpet.

Deepika in "Fault in our Stars" adaptation



Riaz-Badhon in "Fushmontor"

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Film star Riaz will be seen alongside television actress Badhon in Eid special tele-film "Fushmontor". Written and directed by Masud Sezan, the tele-film encircles Sujon, an ordinary youth who borrows money from everyone but doesn't pay back. One day Sujon realises that there are many hypocrites who are earning money without much qualification or effort. Sujon tries to learn a mantra which will bring him money. When he does get a lot of money in his hands, he doesn't know what to do with it anymore.

Aside from Riaz and Badhon, the tele-film casts Dr. Ejaz, Mishu Sabbir, Shamima Naznin, Milan Bhattacharya, Nur Alom Nayan and others.

The play will go on air on Banglavision on the 4th day of Eid at 2:10pm.



Mosharraf Karim in GHUM BABUR BIYE

A CORRESPONDENT

Popular actor Mosharraf Karim has paired up with Lux-Channel i Superstar Jebin for the first time for six-single episode television play "Ghum Babur Biye".

Written by Shah Mahmud Naimul Karim and directed by Shahid Un-Nabi, the play is currently being shot in Savar near the capital.

"Ghum Babur Biye", a comedy, encircles Mosharraf Karim who falls asleep at regular intervals. Jebin will be seen as his colleague

in the play.

About the play, Mosharraf Karim said, "I am shooting it at the eleventh hour because the script is so interesting. Jebin has the potentials to establish herself as a very good actress."

Jebin on the other hand said, "I am grateful to the director for casting me alongside a versatile actor like Mosharraf Karim. I tried hard to portray the role properly and I hope the audience will appreciate it."

The play will go on air on Channel 9 from the first to the sixth day of Eid.



"The Fault in Our Stars", originally a best-selling book written by John Green in 2012 was adapted into an English film by the same name in 2014. The English film, about a young cancer patient girl forced by her parents to attend a support group, where she subsequently meets and falls in love with a young boy who has also suffered from cancer, went onto becoming a big grosser at the box office.

While the story will remain more or less the same, the Hindi adaptation, directed by Homi Adajania and produced by Dinesh Vijan, will use humour to deal with the heavy subject. TNN reports that one of the top industry heroines, Deepika Padukone, has given her consent to be a part of the film, directed by one of her closest friends. Deepika will finish promoting Sanjay Leela Bhansali's dream project "Bajirao Mastani" this year's end, and then get on to shooting "The Fault In Our Stars" adaptation, which is expected to release sometime next year.

Source: TOI

"Deadpool" trailer wows Comic-Con



Ryan Reynolds' superhero slump may be over. Not only had the actor been trying to shed the disappointment of "The Green Lantern" since 2011, Reynolds had also been eager to get his X-Men spinoff, "Deadpool" into theatres for over a decade. But for just a few minutes on Saturday night, the 38-year old actor was able to put the past

behind him.

The first trailer for "Deadpool," his R-rated superhero film, received a long standing ovation at Comic-Con, along with "One more time!" chants from the buzzing fans in Hall H. Reynolds and director Tim Miller, looking genuinely stunned, gave each other high fives as they took their seats to watch it again.

"For one I think it's an absolute miracle that a studio let us make 'Deadpool' let alone a Rated-R 'Deadpool,'" Reynolds said of Fox's willingness to greenlight the film.

The "Deadpool" trailer, set to premiere this week online, featured explosive action sequences, several f-bombs, and even a sex scene.

Joining him onstage were co-stars TJ Miller, Morena Baccarin, Brianna Hildebrand, Ed Skrein and Gina Carano.

"(It's) the most faithful adaptation of a comic book to a movie I've ever seen," Reynolds said of the film, which opens Feb. 12, 2016. "I've only ever done one other proper, actually not proper, superhero movie," he said, throwing shade on "The Green Lantern", which stumbled at the box office.

Source: Variety



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