

HILBURN



ARIES (MAR. 21- APRIL 20)

You've been in a rut and you need to do something that will help you break the pattern you've fallen into. Your lucky day this week will be Sunday.



TAURUS (APR. 21- MAY 21)

Do not expect too much from others. Someone left a real mess for you to sift through. Your lucky day this week will be Thursday.



GEMINI (MAY 22-JUNE 21)

You may want to plan physical activities that will help burn off some of their excess energy. Travel will initiate new friendships. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.



CANCER (JUNE 22-JULY 22)

You can get a promotion if you put in a little extra detail. Your boss is not delighted with your work lately. Your lucky day this week will be Monday.



LEO (JULY 23-AUG 22)

Use your intellectual approach to get the best results. Be careful when dealing with superiors. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday.



VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 23)

Your questions will help you ferret out secret information. Someone around you may not be trustworthy. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



LIBRA (SEPT. 24-OCT. 23)

You will be emotional regarding your personal life. A long discussion is in order if you wish to clear the air. Your lucky day this week will be Sunday.



SCORPIO (OCT. 24-NOV. 21)

Get together with friends and catch up on reading and letter writing. You must get out and mingle. Your lucky day this week will be Monday.



SAGITTARIUS (NOV. 22-DEC. 21)

You will communicate easily and should be able to develop new friendships. Don't say things that could be damaging later on. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 20)

Expressing yourself in novel ways should lead you down new avenues. Family members may put unreasonable demands on you. Your lucky day this week will be Monday.



AQUARIUS (JAN. 21-FEB. 19)

You can change your living arrangements. Your personal partner may be less than willing to accommodate you today. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.

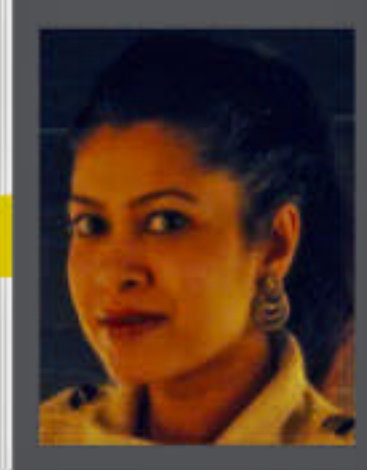


PISCES (FEB. 20-MARCH. 20)

You may want to get involved in some kind of creative group. Monitor your budget carefully to avoid unnecessary stress. Your lucky day this week will be Sunday.

THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY

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Give it all you got!

Date: Thursday, August 20

Time: 9:00pm

Venue: Mozzaria

Arranged by Excalibur Entertainment at Mozzaria, The City Bank Capital powered "Give it all you got" event is an evening where the Stone Free belts out songs from your time and mine, songs that don't see the light of day in today's music channels, but the music you have at home on CDs that are collecting dust. That's what it's all about. Stone Free gives it all they have. Mozzaria will lay out a sumptuous buffet of SIAM's Thai cuisine for the night. Tickets are Tk. 1500/person inclusive of concert and dinner. Wear comfortable shoes and dress down because it's going to be a hot smokin' evening of retro that will have you singing throughout the night.

Pond's presents The Lustrous Runway-6th Edition

Date: Friday, August 21

Time: 7:00pm - 10:00pm

Venue: Ball room, Radisson Blu Water Garden Hotel Dhaka

Pond's presents The Lustrous Runway is the heart of the Bangladesh fashion industry, bringing everyone - the fashion design-

ers, retailers, make-up artists, hair stylists, choreographers and models- under one roof. It is a platform second to none, instrumental in fulfilling personal aspirations of fashion designers. With designers turning to the world of art for inspiration, this season brings you exquisite design pieces bound to transform your wardrobe. An exciting blend of local young talents and iconic international brands are here to showcase this season's trend predictions. The list of personalities is as follows. From Bangladesh, the list comprises of Nova Genuine Swarovski, Rubize, Nisha Ali and Sasha Exclusives. From India we have Jyoti Sachdev Iyer, Komal Sood, Jyotsna Tiwari and from Pakistan there is Shamsha Hashwani. Tickets are available at Brews & Bites at 2,000BDT. Tickets are limited and will be given on a first come first serve basis.

YOGANIKA @Jatra Biroti

Date: Saturday, August 22

Time: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Venue: Jatra Biroti, 60 Kemal Ataturk Ave, 1213 Dhaka

An hour to celebrate the beauty of yoga stretches and music! Do dress comfortably. Yin Yoga by Anika Rabbani Music is being

presented by @ Don. Yin yoga can be done by anyone, of any age and with any abilities. The idea is to hold basic yoga stretches for a few minutes and thereby release tension and tight muscles by effectively using the breath. Anika is a certified instructor. The music played by Don shall be deep, relaxing, moody beats that are not in hurry. This is an hour long programme in between other acts. Join them to get your peaceful groove on!

American Center Cinema: The Blind Side

Date: Wednesday, August 19

Time: 3:00pm

Venue: The American Center, Plot No -1, Progati Sharani, J-Block, Baridhara, Dhaka (Opposite from the U.S. Embassy Dhaka, next to Notun Bazar by the Maa O Shishu Clinic)

American Center is screening The Blind Side, an America film on the story of Michael Oher, a homeless and traumatised boy who became an All American football player and first round NFL draft pick with the help of a caring woman and her family. Cast: Quinton Aaron, Sandra Bullock, Tim McGraw. The film show is FREE and open for all!

EVENT

Two-day indigenous fair held in Dhaka

9 August marks International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples. Dhaka, through various social and cultural organisations, has observed the day. To illustrate, a two-day fair promoting indigenous cultures and products took place at the premises of Bangla Academy. The fair was organised by Manusher Jonno Foundation.

The event was a very colourful and vibrant one and the products sold like hot cakes. And why wouldn't they, given that they were a rich and diverse assortment of unique and much-cherished indigenous products.

"There are many hidden treasures in our Hill Tracts, in places like Rangamati," said Shaila Binte Amin, a visitor in the fair. "Not many of us can find time to go there ourselves -- at least not regularly. Fairs like this bring us closer to such cultures and their treats."

Papayas, for example, were sold out when Shaila came in the fair. There were a wide array of fruits and vegetables. For example, bananas, which are distinct in some indigenous areas, made it to the stalls of the fair. The turmeric of Rangamati was another attraction for the customers.

Characteristic edibles were not the only



highlight of the fair. Indigenous people boast a long heritage of unique craftsmanship, making products for daily use with natural materials, like 'haat pakha' made of bamboo.

Many people attended the event wearing indigenous attires, which contributed

to the necessary vibe of the fair.

And with amazing things on the display, the fair indeed gave a sneak peak of the fascinating culture and craftsmanship of the indigenous people.

- LS Desk

Photo: Muhammad Al Fahad

CHECK IT OUT

Shoilpik's monsoon wardrobe

With fresh monsoon colours, Shoilpik's monsoon collection is worth checking out. The wardrobe includes shalwar kameez, saris, tops, fatuas, panjabis, shirts and tee shirts. The attires, which

boast modern motifs, are both comfortable and have great aesthetic appeal. They have been made through handwork, screen print, block, embroidery and 'karchupi'.

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