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#### WHAT'S ON



Praner Khela Organiser: Bengal Foundation Venue: Bengal Shilpalaya, hanmondi Date: September 19 Time: 6:30pm

Solo Painting Exhibition Title: An Urban Treat in Rural Artist: Anukul Chandra Majumdar Venue: Shilpangan, Dhanmondi Date: Sep 12-25 Time: 12pm-8pm





Solo Painting Exhibition tle: Gods and Beasts nue: Bengal Art Lounge : Sep 12-Oct 7







Exhibition Title: Figuration Collector: Abul Khair Venue: Bengal Shilpalaya, Date: Sep 4-20, Time: 12-8pm

Selective Artworks

Tapestry Exhibition Artist: Tajul Islam and Laxman Sutradhar Venue: Gallery Chitrak Date: September 11-20 Time: 10am-8pm





**Group Art Exhibition** Title: The Anonymous Date: Sep 8-Oct 1 ime: 5pm-9pm



## First Karnaphuli Folk Triennial 2015 concludes

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............ The first Karnaphuli Folk Triennial 2015, jointly organised by Santaran Art Organization and Gallery Charja, concluded yesterday. It shed light on eight traditional folk and popular art trends -- Madhubani painting, Patachitra, Thanka painting, Paubha painting, Mithila painting, Cinema banner painting, Rickshaw art (appliqué) and traditional alpana of Chittagong -- of three countries: Bangladesh, India and Nepal. The international triennial featured

two group exhibitions -- one in Chittagong's Artist Rashid Chowdhury Art Gallery, Institute of Fine Arts, University of Chittagong and another at National Art Gallery, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy in Dhaka. Professor Emeritus Anisuzzaman inaugurated the exhibition as chief guest on September 13 while Professor Nisar Hossain, Dean, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka, attended the event as special guest.



Apart from the exhibitions, Dorjee Gurung Lama (Dorjee Karmarong), a famous Thanka Painter of Nepal, conducted a workshop on traditional Thanka and Paubha painting of Nepal at Gallery Charja in Dhaka.

The triennial also included a seminar and presentation both in

Chittagong and Dhaka. As part of the event, Oriental Painting Study Group facilitated two seminars along with visual presentations at Lecture Theatre, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka. A Dhaka University lecturer Sanjay Chakraborty and art historian Shawon Akand presented two essays on the subjects "Traditional Alpana of Chittagong" and "Present State of Folk and Traditional Art and a Way of Progress and Persistence" respectively on September 14. The second day's (September 15)

seminar featured presentations by Santaran and artist Mustafa Zaman delivering lecture on the topic "Reflection of Folk, Popular and Traditional Forms in Contemporary Art and Idea" at the same venue. The seminar and presentations were held in Chittagong as well.

Folk and popular art reflects an entire gamut of sensibilities. As such, they bring into view important cultural heritage of a nation.

# to play Rubi Roy

A CORRESPONDENT

Popular television actress Richi Solaiman will be seen portraying Rubi Roy, the titular character from RD Burman's classic song "Mone Pore Ruby Roy", in Eid special single-episode television play "Rubi Roy".

The play is being directed by Shourjo Dipto Surjo who has also written the screenplay. Shooting is currently on in the capital's Uttara.

About the play, Richi said, "I'm not working in too many plays since I want to have free time for my family. As a matter of fact, I was under tremendous pressure during Eid-ul-Fitr; that's why I am working selectively. I have weakness for the name Rubi Roy and I am working with great enthusiasm. I hope the audience will appreciate it."

The play will air on ntv during Eid.



#### AASHIQUI gets uncut

### censor clearance



A CORRESPONDENT

The much-anticipated India-Bangladesh joint production "Aashiqui", set for release this Eid, has received censor clearance without any scenes requiring to be cut. The movie, produced by Jaaz Multimedia (Dhaka) and Eskay Movies (Kolkata), is expected to release in 120 halls in the country. The film will also see a simultaneous release in West Bengal. Directed by Abdul Aziz and Ashok Pati, it marks the big screen debut of Nusraat Faria, who will be seen alongside Tollywood hero Ankush. Other cast members include Rajatav Datta, Sourav Das and Rebecca, and a cameo by yesteryears Dhallywood heartthrob Moushumi.

# NEWSbytes

#### New "In The Heart of the Sea" trailer released

Chris Hemsworth trades in his Asgardian hammer for a harpoon in this December's "In the Heart of the Sea", and the actor has unleashed a new trailer for our enjoyment. It's full of intense drama on the open ocean, man's struggle for survival against a gargantuan agent of Mother Nature, and gorgeous imagery all around.



In lieu of a traditional trailer unveiling on YouTube, Hemsworth released the third "In the Heart of the Sea" trailer on his Twitter feed. The film is directed by Ron Howard and takes inspiration from the true story behind Moby Dick. It focuses on the men who steered the Essex, a whaling ship based out of New England that encountered a mammoth-sized white whale in 1820.

While "Moby Dick" centered on the most dramatic aspect, the actual event itself, "In the Heart of the Sea" promises to also dive into the aftermath. Hemsworth's Owen Chase, the ship's first mate, is seen in the trailer to wash up on unknown shores after the whale lays waste to the Essex.

Joining Hemsworth on this voyage are Bejamin Walker, Cillian Murphy, Ben Whishaw, Brendan Gleeson, Jordi Molla and Tom Holland.

"In the Heart of the Sea" will be released on December 11.

Source: Cinemablend

"Bajirao Mastani toughest film of my career" ... Deepika

Bollywood actress Deepika Padukone feels her upcoming film "Bajirao Mastani" was more draining than "Ram Leela". In Sanjay Leela Bhansali's "Bajirao Mastani", Deepika plays the role of Mastani, the second wife of Maratha general Peshwa Bajirao.

"It has been the toughest film of my career. I don't like to talk about the effort one has put into, as eventually what is portrayed on screen matters," Deepika told reporters. "I worked very hard for this film. When we did

'Ram Leela' it was emotionally and physically draining film, but now, 'Ram Leela' feels easy and effortless in comparison," the 29-year-old actress said. Deepika revealed that besides shooting for long

hours, the team had to devote lot of time for the film's preparation. "We shot for 10-14 hours, did horse riding, fight lessons, dance rehearsals and dialogue sessions. Bhansali was involved every time," she said.

Some portions of the film are yet to be shot, which Deepika says will be completed by this month-end.





