

**WHAT'S ON**

**Dewan Gazir Kissa**  
Troupe: Nagorik Natya Sampraday  
Venue: Experimental Theatre Hall, BSA  
Date: 20 September  
Time: 7pm



**Longitude Latitude 6**  
Solo Exhibition by Manir Mrittik  
Title: Rupture of the earth  
Venue: Bay's Bellavista, Plot: 96,  
Road: 11, Block: C, Banani  
Time: 2pm-8pm



**Tapestry Exhibition**  
Artist: Tajul Islam and Laxman Sutradhar  
Venue: Gallery Chittrak  
Date: September 11-20  
Time: 10am-9pm



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



**Solo Painting Exhibition**  
Title: Gods and Beasts  
Artist: Ronni Ahmed  
Venue: Bengal Art Lounge  
Date: Sep 12-Oct 7  
Time: 12pm-8pm




# JOY GOSWAMI captivates Chittagong readers

## The poet finds his muse in silence

PHOTO: STAR

**PRANABESH CHAKRABORTY, Chittagong**

"Writings start from silence and the real enemy of writing is talking," Joy Goswami, an acclaimed contemporary Bangali writer, said as he mixed with readers and literature enthusiasts of the port city at a programme on Friday evening.

"I have never gone to a war; I am not a warrior. I have not gone on an expedition to any jungle or mountain nor have I sailed through an ocean. I am an ordinary householder. I have tried to write what I could not tell," said the poet.

Baatighar, the largest book shop in the country which is situated at Chittagong Press Club (CPC) Bhaban in the city, organised the programme titled "Amar Jibon, Amar Rachana"

(My Life, My Writings) at CPC auditorium. On the occasion, poets, writers, educationists and readers thronged the CPC premises since afternoon.

The programme started with Goswami reciting his own poem "Hridi Beshe Jai Olokanonda Jole".

Earlier, poet Bishwajit Chowdhury, who emceed the programme, recounted memories of Goswami at Krisnanagar in West Bengal. Artiste Shatanu Biswas rendered a song "Kanthal Chanpa" welcoming the poet. Baatighar owner Dipankar Das also spoke.

Goswami, later recited 12 poems like "Ma ar Meyeti", "Benimadhab", "Nun" and "Amar Dotara" before a captivated audience.

Following the recitation, the poet narrated his life story. The 61-year old poet said that most of his literary works were created while he was walking on the roads, or travelling on a bus or tram.

"With changing times, I too have changed," said the poet.

In reply to a reader's question, the poet said literature cannot directly change violations of humanity. "Arts and literature try to eliminate rays harmful for humanity. Music and arts tell us about love and love for all," he added.

So far 35 of Goswami's books have been published. "I do not expect, anyone to read all my books," he added.

The programme closed with three more

# TV WATCH "Superstar" on Maasranga

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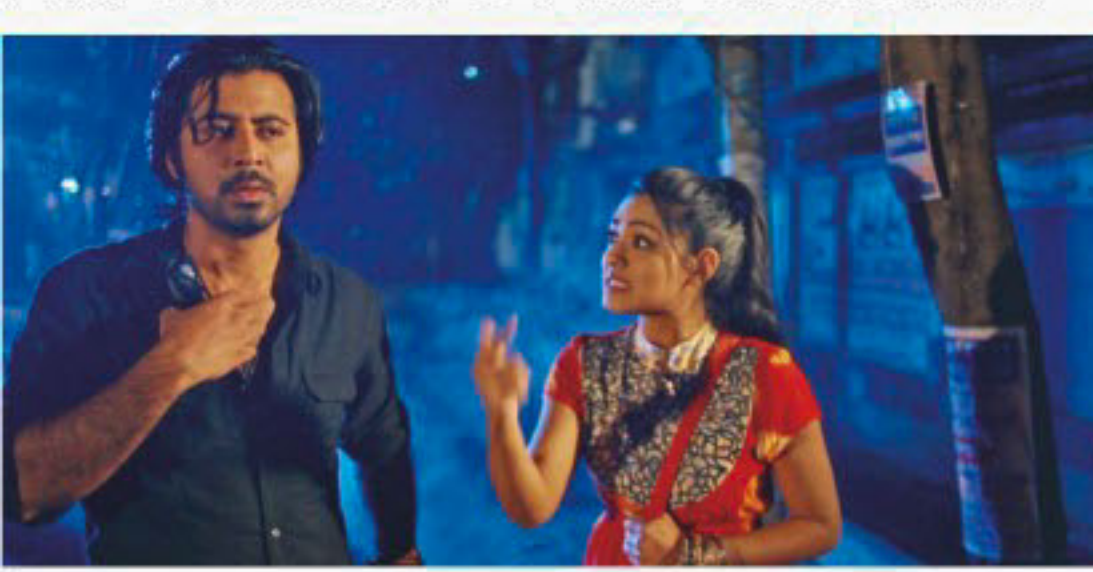
Break-less TV serial "Superstar" airs on Maasranga TV every Sunday through Wednesday at 11pm on Maasranga TV. Written and directed by Rayhan Khan, it boasts a formidable cast featuring Tauqir Ahmed, Tania Ahmed, Mehzbaben, Nayeem, Toya, Evana, Tawsif, Arfan, Faruq

Ahmed, Sazu Khadem and others.

The plot of "Superstar revolves around a shooting unit going abroad to make a film. It has been shot in a number of picturesque locations in Thailand, while three new songs have been made for the series. SI Tutul, Samina Chowdhury, Nancy and Naomi have lent their voices to the songs, arranged by Tutul himself.



# Tisha, Nisho in "E Ek Audbhut Bhalobasha"



**A CORRESPONDENT**

Leading television actors Tisha and Nisho will be seen in single-episode television play "E Ek Audbhut Bhalobasha". Written by Sagor Jahan and directed by Ratan Ripon, the play narrates the story of college classmates played by Tisha and Nisho. The latter has liked Tisha since those days. After a long time, they coincidentally meet at a restaurant and Nisho somehow learns that Tisha is going to commit suicide. He starts following Tisha and eventually saves her life. The play will air on Maasranga Television during Eid.

# Ranbir-Deepika look perfect in "Tamasha" poster

Bollywood actors Ranbir Kapoor and Deepika Padukone's adorable chemistry shines in the official first look of "Tamasha", which was unveiled on Saturday.

In the poster of the Imtiaz Ali-directed film, the duo who dated each other for a year, is seen laughing with their arms around each other.

As they take a stroll along a lane, various characters from mythology and romantic stories provide the intriguing background, bearing a tagline - "Why always the same story?"

The images of these characters were shared by Imtiaz in a teaser poster along with a little poem few days ago.

Deepika and Ranbir are reuniting after their coming-of-age romantic film "Yeh Jawaani Hai Deewani" in 2013.

"Tamasha" is both the stars' second movie with the director following

Deepika's outing in 2009 rom-com "Love Aaj Kal" and Ranbir's multiple award-winning stint as a musician in "Rockstar".

"Tamasha", about the journey of someone who has lost their edge in trying to conform to the society, will hit theatres on November 27.



# EVEREST Quiz Contest

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6. Razib Chandra Bhowmick, Motijheel
7. Salvana Ahmed, Mohammadpur
8. Shubarna Ahmed, Mohakhali
9. Azmiri Sultana, Baro Moghbazar
10. Samir Rahman, Dhanmondi

### QUIZ-02

01. Which film category EVEREST falls in?
02. Who is the director of EVEREST?

# NEWS bytes

## Next "Resident Evil" film decides cast

Screen Gems has rounded out its cast for the next installment in the "Resident Evil" franchise, by setting Iain Glen, Shawn Roberts, Ruby Rose, Eoin Macken and William Levy to join Milla Jovovich and Ali Larter in "Resident Evil: the Final Chapter."

Constantin Film will produce the film, which goes into production in Johannesburg and Cape Town, South Africa this month.

Picking up immediately



After the events of "Resident Evil: Retribution", "Final Chapter" finds humanity is on its last legs after Alice is betrayed by Wesker in Washington DC. As the only survivor of what was meant to be humanity's final stand against the undead hordes, Alice must return to where the nightmare began - Raccoon City, where the Umbrella Corporation is gathering its forces for a final strike against the only remaining survivors of the apocalypse.

In a race against time, Alice will join forces with old friends, and an unlikely ally, in an action-packed battle with undead hordes and new mutant monsters. The film bows in cinemas in January 2017.

Source: Variety

**Prominent singer Runa Laila performs at the logo unveiling ceremony of United Commercial Bank (UCB) at the capital's Bangabandhu International Centre. Rezwana Chowdhury Bannya also sang at the event on September 17, which additionally featured theatrical presentations by Bangladeshi and Hungarian artistes.**

# GREATEST SHOWMAN ON EARTH pushed back

Fox has made several key changes to its release calendar, including pushing back biopic "The Greatest Showman on Earth", starring Hugh Jackman as circus impresario PT Barnum, from Christmas 2016 to Christmas 2017.

Instead, director Tim Burton's "Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children" will open on December 25, 2016.

It's likely that "Greatest Showman on Earth", directed by Michael Gracey, is being relocated in order to accommodate the next outing in Fox's "Wolverine" franchise, dated for March 3, 2017 and directed by James Mangold. Both movies are in pre-production.

Fox also dated three new films, including Bryan Cranston and James Franco comedy "Why Him?", which will hit cinemas November 11, 2016. Set over the holidays, Cranston stars as a Midwestern dad who travels with his family to visit his college-aged daughter, only to find himself in a battle for her affections with her brash new tech billionaire boyfriend.

Supernatural horror film "The Other Side of the Door", directed by Johannes Roberts, will open in cinemas February 26, 2016.



On January 13, 2017 Fox will unfurl "Hidden Figures", directed by Ted Melfi. The period space-race drama is inspired by the real-life tale of a group of African-American female mathematicians who helped put astronaut John Glenn into orbit.

Friday's shuffling also involved two titles from Jeffrey Katzenberg's DreamWorks Animation. "Boss Baby" had been scheduled to open January 13, 2017, but now moves to March 10, 2017, a date previously belonging to DWA's "Captain Underpants". Fox and DWA haven't announced a new date for "Captain Underpants".

Source: The Hollywood Reporter

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