



# "MUSAFIR" FINALLY RELEASED

After being delayed for a few months, Arefin Shuvo's "Musafir" finally hits the silver screens. The reactions about Shuvo's latest appearance were positive as the fans were coming out of the halls, after watching the Ashikur Rahman

helmed film which was just released yesterday. Newcomer Marjaan Jenifa was also glamorous on the screen along with the stellar supporting cast which included the likes of Misha Showdagar, Tiger Robi, Cindy Roling and others.

Shuvo appeared dashing as a trained assassin and the action-thriller lived up to the expectations of excitement which was previously promised by the director, who also wrote the story and the screenplay.

## SHAFIN releases two new songs online

Popular band musician and Miles frontman Shafin Ahmed recently released two new tracks through an online platform. The new songs have been published on account of the Bengali New Year, with titles "Abar Tora Manush Ho" and "Second, Minute, Ghonta."

Both the tracks have been written and composed by the singer himself and have been published by online publishing platform ME Label. The tracks can be downloaded from around the world through iTunes, Amazon and Google Play.



## Chaplin Film Festival comes to an end



The week-long 'Charlie Chaplin Film Festival' marking the 127th birth anniversary of the silent movie legend closed its curtains at the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy yesterday. The festival began last Saturday, April 16th.

Born on April 16, 1889, Sir Charles Spencer "Charlie" Chaplin, KBE was an English comic actor, filmmaker, and composer who became a worldwide icon through his screen persona "the Tramp" and is considered one of the most important figures in the history of the film industry. The Department of Dance and Film of BSA organised the festival in the International Digital Cultural Archive of Jatiya Natyashala. The start of the event was marked with the screening of the film 'Chaplin U-turn' on Saturday while his famous films 'Modern Times,' 'In the Gold Rush,' 'Laughing Gas,' 'The Fireman', 'A Dog's life', 'A Woman', 'The Bank', and 'The Immigrant' were screened at 6:30 pm throughout the week.

## BRIHONNOLA has prizes revoked

The three national awards "Brihonnola" was awarded back in 2014 from the categories of Best Film, Best Dialogue and Best Story have been revoked owing to the accused plagiarism of the film's story. It was accused that the story from "Gaachti Bolechilo" by novelist Syed Mustafa Siraj of Kolkata, has been plagiarised and used under the director Murad Parvez's name. After the accusations were proven true, the decision was taken

to revoke the awards for the film. In addition to that, the director has been asked to return the Government grant of BDT. 24 lac, which they previously received for producing the film.

The Best Film Award will be given to "Nekabbor'er Mohaproyan," while "Meghmallar" writer Akhtaruzzaman Iliyas will receive the award for Best Story. Zahidur Rahman Anjan will receive the award for Best Dialogue for "Meghmallar."

