

# STAR WEEKEND

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## THE SECRETS OF HER KITCHEN

FAYEKA ZABEEN SIDDIQUA

SKETCH: YAFIZ SIDDIQUI

Born on May 7, 1931, Siddiqua Kabir is a household name. It would be difficult to find anyone in Bangladesh who loves cooking and eating but has never heard of Siddiqua Kabir or her popular cookbook "Ranna Khaddo Pushti." Moreover, she popularised Bengali cooking amongst the younger generation with her very famous show on Ntv – Siddiqua Kabir's Recipe, which ran from 2003 - 2012.

Fans and admirers were heartbroken when Siddiqua passed away due to old age complications on January 31, 2012. She is still remembered with love and lots of affection. On the occasion of her 85th birth anniversary, the Star Weekend looks into the secrets of her kitchen and offers some snippets from the inspirational life that she lived. Turn to pages 8 and 9 for the full story.



### 4 WE CAN'T TURN A BLIND EYE

Reveals the dire situation of child labour in Bangladesh and how it is neglected at the country's policy level.

### 5 LADIES-IN-REIGNING

Talks about the four Bangladeshi girls who were chosen to be shadow ambassadors for four foreign embassies in the country.

### 6 THE SPIRIT OF FEARLESS SPEAKING

Is about Podium, a free idea sharing platform where students get the opportunity to hone their public speaking skills.

### 13 FOOTPRINTS OF THE POET

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