



## Studio 6/6

Art offers an escape from the unending chaos of the world and the artists are the guardians of this tranquil realm.

Studio 6/6 is an initiative by the painter Mr. Najib Tareque, who wanted to create a platform for artists of different talents, to exhibit and share their very own experiences.

This artists' hub which was initially just used by the painter as his very own studio, has been tailored according to strict specifications. The studio was launched in 2015 when the co-founder, Ms. Taiara Farhana Tareque, saw the potential of the open space in her terrace, and decided to turn it into a hope for new ideas and unknown talent. For this initiative, the studio has earned great appreciation

from artists all over Dhaka.

A year after its initial launch, the studio has hosted workshops, exhibitions and small scale events featuring musicians, painters etc. In 2016, great shows like Art Makes Us Human, Iqra and Misdirection were hosted here. Each of the unique shows have highlighted the spirit of art and the love for it. A few months ago, the studio decided to start hosting workshops and is currently hosting a standup comedy workshop and other courses on sound engineering, miming, copywriting and scriptwriting.

All in all, this is the first active year for Studio 6/6.

When talking to the co-founder, Miss Tareque, about their journey and expectations regarding the

place, she says, 'We are just starting out. My friend Kamrul and I, with a bunch of really talented individuals, have embarked upon this journey together. This is only a crucial year for us. If we survive, I know that we can make great things happen.'

The studio is open for new workshops and event ideas from talented individuals. If you think you have an idea and are not getting a platform to share it, contact the studio, via their Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Studio6by6/?ref=ts>

So, come on people let's make art happen!

By Mormee Mahtab

### CHECK IT OUT

## Friends at Favola

With Friendship Day just around the corner, Le Méridien Dhaka is gearing up to present yet another unique engagement for the residents of the capital. It is going to host a three-day screening of the best episodes of the '90s classic sitcom, Friends, in the hotel's Italian restaurant Favola, from Friday August 5 till Sunday August 7 (12pm to 4pm; 7pm to midnight)

Even more exciting is that in order to ensure a sense of nostalgia when watching this iconic television series, Le Méridien Dhaka management will work around the setup of Favola to match the ambience of Central Perk Café, the set where much of the show had been filmed and the characters used to hang out.

And you enjoy unlimited pizzas and a bonus glass of soft drink, at Tk 1200 only. For reservations, please call +8801990900900.

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