

Anti-rabies project starts in Dhaka

CITY DESK
 Obhoyaronno -Bangladesh Animal Welfare Foundation and Humane Society International (HSI) launched a rabies prevention and humane dog population management programme "Shetu" in Dhaka north yesterday.
 The launch held at the newly constructed dog sterilisation facility in the Mohakhali Market area, was attended by Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) Mayor Annisul Huq and HSI Country Director Maya Barlo-Rizvi.
 While giving the keynote presentation, Rubaiya Ahmad, the chair of Obhoyaronno, spoke about various benefits of this programme.
 In April this year, Obhoyaronno, HSI and DNCC reached a memorandum of understanding (MoU), according to which DNCC was responsible for providing space for the sterilisation facility and two vehicles, while HSI is contributing about \$200,000 for the project and has appointed a programme manager to help Obhoyaronno implement it effectively.
 According to a recent HSI dog population survey, there are approximately 37,000 dogs in the city. Between 2012 and 2014, around 10,000 dogs were sterilised and vaccinated by Obhoyaronno. However, to break the transmission cycle of rabies and to receive the full benefits of this programme, at least 80 percent of the city's total dogs have to be vaccinated and sterilised, mentioned the statement.



Recipients of "Investigative Journalism Awards-2016" with guests in the awards giving ceremony at the office of Transparency International Bangladesh in the capital yesterday. PHOTO: TIB

Poultry sector needs to be duty-free

CITY DESK
 To achieve economic growth, it is needed to eliminate malnutrition among mothers and children, as it is impossible to establish a self-dependent country without a healthy nation, speakers told a discussion.
 The Department of Livestock and Bangladesh Poultry Industries Central Council (BPICC) organised the discussion at the capital's Jatiya Press Club, marking World Egg Day on Friday.
 Addressing as the chief guest, Fisheries and Livestock Minister Mohammad Sayedul Haque said the government is working to increase the per capita egg consumption to 140 annually.
 Mentioning that his ministry has taken initiatives to increase milk production, Haque said it is also working to develop poultry sector, as 45 percent of animal protein comes from it.
 The minister announced to observe a national livestock week from the next year.
 BPICC President Mashur Rahman said poultry farmers are suffering losses due to an increase in the prices of raw materials and production cost. He urged the government to withdraw import duty on the raw materials and promote egg consumption through state-owned media.
 A colourful procession was brought out from Jatiya Press Club to Matshya Bhaban.
 Some 500 people including government officials, poultry farmers, industrialists and entrepreneurs attended it.
 One lakh eggs were distributed among the poor and one lakh posters were put up in different cities.

11 cops get new postings

STAFF CORRESPONDENT
 In a reshuffle in the police administration, the government yesterday transferred 11 senior officials to new postings.
 According to a home ministry circular issued yesterday, Deputy Inspector General (DIG) Atiqul Islam of Police Headquarters replaced DIG Mallick Fakhrul Islam of highway police, who was shifted to DIG of Special Branch (SB) of police.
 Additional Commissioner Sheikh Mohammad Maruf Hasan of Dhaka Metropolitan Police (DMP) was transferred to Barisal Range as DIG.
 Additional commissioners Mainul Hasan of Sylhet Metropolitan Police (SMP) and Saidur Rahman of Barisal Metropolitan Police (BMP) were posted as Additional DIG of Police Bureau of Investigation (PBI).
 PBI's Additional DIGs Abul Kalam Azad and Mahub Alam were made Additional Commissioner of BMP and Commandant (additional DIG) of Police Training Center in Rangpur respectively.
 Sheikh Omar Faroque, PIC commandant SEE PAGE 5 COL 5

INT'L DAY FOR ERADICATION OF POVERTY Brac renews vow to end the scourge

CITY DESK
 Today is the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty and to commemorate the day Brac has renewed its vow to remove the scourge of extreme poverty, said a press release yesterday.
 "...We renew our commitment to eradicate poverty using an approach founded on human rights and participation of the poor," it read.
 As of December 2015, 17 lakh ultra-poor families have been covered by Brac's Targeting the Ultra Poor programme, which employs a holistic package of tools to enable families to "graduate" from extreme poverty into sustainable livelihoods.

Bangladesh condemns attacks on Myanmar BGP


DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT
 Expressing concern over the loss of innocent lives in clashes in Myanmar, Bangladesh underscored the need for arresting perpetrators and bringing them to justice.
 Taking note of attacks on the Border Guard Police posts in Rakhine on October 10 and clashes that followed, Bangladesh yesterday said it finds these developments in Rakhine "disturbing" and unequivocally condemns the attacks.
 In a press statement, the foreign ministry said Bangladesh as a responsible neighbour on its own had sealed off the borders with Myanmar in the early hours of October 10 to deny the perpetrators escape.
 Bangladesh apprehended two Rakhine Muslims and handed them over to the Myanmar authorities within a day.

Court dismisses extortion

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 of the capital's Mohammadpur for the past 50 years and recently built an eight-storey building there.
 When he went to move in on October 9, two of the accused, Md Mamun Hossain, a real estate company's official, and Md Sohel, a local, barred him, saying he required permission of the OC, Jamal Uddin Mir.
 The OC and the remaining two accused, Sub-inspector Mohammad Rajib and Assistant Sub-inspector Mohammad Khorshed, arrived and the five demanded that Kutub pay Tk 45 lakh to enter.
 Rajib and Khorshed took him inside the building's garage, beat him and threatened to kill him in crossfire when he refused to comply. Kutub managed to gather and hand over to the OC Tk 2 lakh to get released, says the statement.

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8th Death Anniversary

 The 8th Death Anniversary of former Ambassador Major General Quazi Golam Dastgir, KAAO, psc will be held after Maghrib (Monday October 17), in his residence at House 36 (New), Road 11 (New), Dhanmondi R/A. Relatives, friends and well-wishers are requested to please attend and join in prayer for him.
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 Reference: LGED/XEN/BARI/ET-2013/4353 Dated: 13/10/2016
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Executive Engineer
 LGED, Barisal

33pc migrate

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 if migrants can go and work safely, they would be able to send back remittance.
 So, it is important to ensure a safe medium for migration and enhance migrants' skills, she added.
 Senior Secretary to the Home Ministry Mozammel Haque Khan and Prof Tasneem Siddique, founder chair of the Refugee and Migratory Movements Research Unit, also spoke.

Five men of

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 looted 21 houses, and abducted six children and 15 women, whom they confined to Patuakhali Circuit House and raped for 10 days. The tribunal yesterday fixed November 17 to decide whether it would take the charges into cognisance.

EDCL ESSENTIAL DRUGS COMPANY LIMITED
 395-397, Tejgaon Industrial Area
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 Ref No: EDCL/PD-Gopalganj/ICT/SDMM/2016/820 Date: 16 October, 2016
Amendment of Tender Notice (Amendment No -1)
Project Title : Establishment of Essential Drugs Company Limited (3rd Plant), Gopalganj
Tender Name : Supply, Erection, Testing, Commissioning, Balancing, Qualification and Validation of Machinery & Equipment of Solid Dosage Manufacturing Facilities for Pharmaceutical Plant.
Ref. No : EDCL/PD-Gopalganj/ICT/SDMM/2016/21, Dated: 10 August, 2016

Notice Sl. No	Subject to be Amended	Existing as	Shall be Amended as
14	Tender Last Selling Date and Time	19 October, 2016, Time : 05:00 PM (Local Time)	30 October, 2016 at 05:00 PM (Local Time)
15	Tender Closing Date and Time	20 October, 2016, Time : 03:00 PM (Local Time)	31 October, 2016 at 03:00 PM (Local Time)
16	Tender Opening Date and Time	20 October, 2016, Time : 03:30 PM (Local Time)	31 October, 2016 at 03:30 PM (Local Time)

All other terms & conditions shall remain unchanged.
(Prof. (Dr) Ehsanul Kabir)
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