

# STAR WEEKEND

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"Whenever you are confronted with an opponent, conquer him with love," said Mahatma Gandhi, and how true his words are!

The people of Bengal fought for liberation and freedom – not only with strategies, guns and grenades, but also with poetry, words of inspiration and melodies that were strong enough to move mountains.

As we celebrate our victory today, let us remember the many lyricists, composers, musicians and artists, who never failed to stir the masses through their timeless words and tunes in Bangladesh. Turn to pages 7-9 to learn more about these compositions.



## SONGS OF VICTORY

ELITA KARIM

SKETCH: YAFIZ SIDDIQUI

### 3 A GLIMPSE INTO ZAHIR RAIHAN'S FILMS

Talks about eminent filmmaker Zahir Raihan's noteworthy contribution in Bangladeshi film.

### 4 CAMPUS HERO CAFÉ: ELIMINATING STIGMA TOWARDS SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

Talks about the initiative called 'Campus Hero Café', which has been running to reach young adolescents with the correct concepts of sexual and reproductive health rights.

### 10 STORIES FROM '71: REMINISCES MIZANUR RAHMAN KHAN BIR PROTİK

Is the story of Mizanur Rahman Khan Bir Protik, who was awarded with the title 'Bir Protik', for his courage, and outstanding performance during the liberation war.

### 13 A TALE OF A TRAGEDY

Talks about the history behind our Martyred Intellectuals Memorial, situated at Rayerbazar, Mohammadpur.

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