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NAT'L YOUTH HOCKEY Dhaka blank

Chittagong SPORTS REPORTER

Dhaka, Jessore and Naogaon notched up victories in the Agrani Bank 26th National Youth Hockey Competition at the Maulana Bhasani Hockey Stadium yesterday.

Dhaka blanked Chittagong 5-0 in the last match of the day with Mohammad Raihan scoring twice and Miran, Tanjim and Shihab netting one goal apiece. Jessore edged past Mymensingh 1-0, thanks to a 68th minute strike from Sajal Goldar while Naogaon scraped past Satkhira 3-2 on penalty shootout after the regulation time yielded a 1-1 draw.

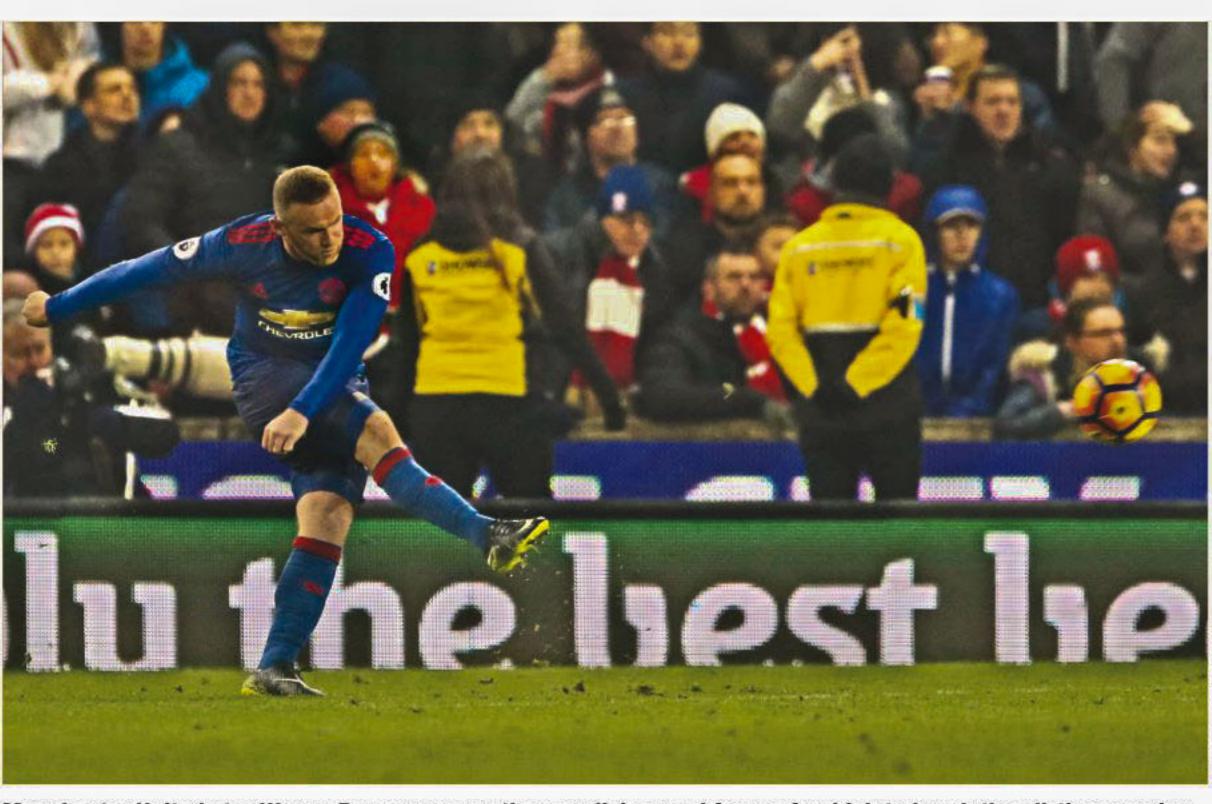
Balotelli slams Bastia fans

AFP, Nice

Italian striker Mario Balotelli slammed Bastia fans and accused them of making "monkey" chants throughout Friday's 1-1 draw against Ligue 1 leaders Nice in Corsica.

"Yesterday the result against Bastia was right...We will do more work to try to get our objective. The referee was good too," Balotelli wrote on his Instagram account, alongside the image of a black square.

"But I have a question for French people. Is it normal that Bastia supporters make monkey noise and 'uh uh' for the whole game and no one of the 'discipline commission' say anything?



Manchester United star Wayne Rooney scores the equalising goal from a freekick to break the all-time scoring record for United during their Premier League encounter against Stoke City at the Britannia Stadium yesterday.

Rooney breaks MU record

United rescue a draw; Swansea stun Liverpool

AFP, London

Premier became
Manchester

Wayne Rooney League Manchester United's alltime leading scorer in dramatic fash-

ion as his last-ditch wonder goal rescued a 1-1 draw at Stoke, while Liverpool's title challenge suffered a major setback in a shock 3-2 defeat against Swansea on Saturday. Rooney surpassed Bobby

Charlton's tally of 249 goals for United when he struck with a superb effort deep into stoppage-time at the Britannia Stadium.

The 250th goal of Rooney's glittering United career was just the 31-year-old's fifth of a difficult season and came as a

timely reminder of the striker's class after he was relegated to the role of a fringe player for long periods this term.

It was also much needed by United,

who had fallen behind in the 19th minute when Juan Mata deflected Erik Pieters' shot into his own net. Jose Mourinho sent on Rooney in the 67th minute and the England star, who

had gone two games without a goal since equalling Charlton's record in an FA Cup win over Reading on January 7, wasted his first chance to make history when he headed wide from six yards.

But Rooney refused to be denied and, with Charlton watching from the stands, his magic moment arrived four minutes into stoppage-time when he curled a superb free-kick past Stoke goalkeeper Lee Grant and into the top corner.

Rooney's wonder goal extended United's unbeaten run in the league to 13 matches, but lost in the euphoria of his landmark strike was a disappointing result that leaves his team three points adrift of the top four.

"It means a hell of a lot. It is a great honour and I'm very proud," said Rooney, who signed for United from Everton in 2004.

"It is not something I expected when I joined. The players who have played

for this club have been world class. "I'm proud to play for this club. To be

all-time top goalscorer is a huge honour." At Anfield, Jurgen Klopp's thirdplaced side wasted a chance to close the gap on leaders Chelsea in an errorstrewn display that left them without a win in their last three league games.

Choton leaves camp

SPORTS REPORTER



Bangladesh under-16 national women's football team coach Golam Rabbani Choton and his assistant Mahbubur Rahman Litu left

the ongoing training camp yesterday after a disagreement with Bangladesh Football Federation's (BFF) technical and strategic director Paul Smalley.

Both coaches, who had guided Bangladesh to the final round of the AFC Under-16 Championship last year, refrained from joining the reception ceremony at the BFF House accorded by Envoy Group yesterday afternoon.

It was learnt that during a meeting on Saturday morning in presence of BFF president Kazi Salahuddin and women's wing officials to discuss the development of the camp, Smalley had criticised Choton's coaching system, which compelled Choton and Litu leaving the meeting and eventually heard is absolutely false and rumour." leaving the camp.

Choton and Smalley during the meeting

over training," confirmed a BFF official on condition of anonymity.

"What we have learnt is that Smalley and goalkeeping coach Ryan Sandford have been overseeing training for the last few days and they forced the players to do hard physical training which the players failed to adopt. I think the interference of Smalley could have annoyed Choton and Litu," the official added.

The official, though, also claimed that the issue has been resolved.

"We talked both coaches and resolved the issue. I hope they will join the camp tomorrow," he said.

However, a different version came from Mahfuza Akter Kiron, the deputy chairman of BFF's women's wing.

"Both coaches asked me for a vacation today [Saturday] citing personal reasons which is why they didn't join the reception ceremony," Kiron said. "What you have

Neither Choton nor Litu could be "There was some disagreement between reached, despite repeated attempts, for a comment on the issue.

Ramos brace lifts Real

AFP, Madrid



Real Madrid captain Sergio Ramos struck twice within eight first-half minutes to get the European champions back to winning ways with a 2-1 victory over Malaga at the Santiago Bernabeu on Saturday.

Madrid's 40-game unbeaten run had come to a crashing halt with back-to-back defeats to Sevilla and Celta Vigo in the past week, but after a nervy start Ramos ensured they opened up a four-point gap at the top of the table.

Ramos opened the scoring with a towering header from a Toni Kroos corner on 35 minutes.

And the Spanish international soon took his career tally to 50 La Liga goals by bundling home another Kroos delivery despite standing in an offside position.

Juanpi got Malaga back into the game just after the hour mark and could even have snatched a point but for a fine save from Keylor Navas to deny Chory Castro soon after.

Second-placed Sevilla and Barcelona, a

further point adrift in third, can close the gap when they travel to Osasuna and Eibar respectively on Sunday. Whilst Ramos was riding to Real's rescue,

Cristiano Ronaldo endured another forgetful afternoon in front of goal and was even whistled by the Madrid fans early on after a sluggish start to 2017.

Ronaldo shot straight at Carlos Kameni with just the Cameroonian to beat and Karim Benzema headed just over as Madrid started brightly.

However, the hosts suffered an early injury blow when left-back Marcelo limped off with a thigh injury and could have been behind midway through the first half when Castro's driven effort came back off the post.

