

**WEATHER FORECAST**

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES	DHAKA	MYMENSINGH	CHITTAGONG	SYLHET	RAJSHAHI	RANGPUR	KHULNA	BARISAL	COX'S BAZAR
	H 34.2   L 28.6	H 29.2   L 21.0	H 28.0   L 24.4	H 26.7   L 23.2	H 37.3   L 28.1	H 31.5   L 24.5	H 36.5   L 29.0	H 34.3   L 28.6	H 33.0   L 29.0

Rain accompanied by temporary gusty or squally wind is likely to occur at many places over Khulna, Barisal and Chittagong divisions and at a few places over Rangpur, Rajshahi, Dhaka, Mymensingh and Sylhet divisions with moderately heavy to heavy falls at places over the country till 6:00pm today, Met Office said. The sun sets in the capital today at 6:43pm and rises tomorrow at 5:11am.

## Infant stolen from Barisal hospital

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal

A three-day-old boy was stolen from Sher-e-Bangla Medical College Hospital yesterday.

Salma Begum of Khorki village in the district gave birth to the boy at the hospital on Thursday.

When the child's father Anwar Hossain Khan returned from outside after taking his seheri around 6:00am, he found that his son was stolen and the patient next to their bed at the maternity ward was also traceless, said Director of the hospital Dr SM Sirajul Islam.

"This incident could have taken place between 4:30am to 6:00am. We are trying to examine the CC camera footages," he added.

Officer-in-Charge of Barisal Kotwali Model Police Station Awlad Hossain Khan said a case was filed and a woman was detained in this connection.



It is hard to imagine that this water hyacinth-infested water body is the Bongshi river. The lifeline is also under threat due to pollution, grabbing and illegal sand lifting from its riverbed while the authorities concerned continue to turn a blind eye. The photo was taken recently near Nayarhat Bridge at Dhamrai on the outskirts of the capital.

PHOTO: PALASH KHAN

## NEWS IN brief

### SC admin sues unknown persons for FB remarks on chief justice

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Supreme Court administration yesterday filed a case with Shahbagh Police Station against some unknown persons for posting "adverse" comments on Facebook about the judiciary including Chief Justice Surendra Kumar Sinha.

Abu Bakar Siddique, a court-keeper of the SC, filed the case under Section 57 of the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Act, Additional Registrar of the High Court Division Sabbir Faiz told The Daily Star.

Without elaborating, he said police will now find out who are involved in making the "adverse" comment on Facebook about the judiciary and the chief justice.

### Death anniversary of Lutfunnessa

CITY DESK



Today is the 17th death anniversary of Begum Lutfunnessa Ibrahim, wife of late justice Mohammed Ibrahim.

On this occasion, a milad mahfil will be held at her residence in the morning.

Food will be distributed among the destitute and floral wreaths will be placed at her grave in the capital's Banani graveyard.

### HC okays ad-interim bail to Khokon

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court yesterday granted an ad-interim bail to BNP leader Khairul Kabir Khokon for the next six months in seven criminal cases filed in 2007 and 2015.

The court also issued seven rules asking the government to explain why Khairul, a joint secretary general of BNP, should not be granted regular bail in the cases.

The HC gave the orders and rules following seven petitions filed by Khairul seeking bail in the cases.

Khairul's lawyer Advocate Zainul Abedin told The Daily Star that his client cannot get released from jail following the HC orders of bail, as he is shown arrested in three other cases.

Advocate Sagir Hossain Leon, another lawyer for Khairul, said among the seven cases, two were filed in 2007 on charge of extortion and five were in 2015 on charges of arson and vandalism.

### Death anniversary of Atiqur Rahman

CITY DESK



Today is the 29th death anniversary of Atiqur Rahman, an organiser of the Liberation War and founder president of city unit of Jatiya Samajtantrik Dal (JSD), said a press release.

Relatives, friends, colleagues and admirers are requested to pray for the salvation of his departed soul.

## Man, aide to die for killing sister

COURT CORRESPONDENT

A Dhaka court yesterday sentenced a man and one of his accomplices to death for killing his sister over returning of borrowed money in Bangshal area of Old Dhaka on August 5 of 2015.

The convicts are Akbar Hossain, victim's brother, and Tofazzal Hossain Jewel. Akbar was present in the court while Jewel was absent.

According to the prosecution, Akbar and Jewel strangled Asma Akhter Asia, 60, as she asked for the money which Akbar took from her as a loan. Later, a case was filed against the duo in this connection.

## RUPGANJ ARMS RECOVERY Water being pumped out of lake

OUR CORRESPONDENT, N'ganj

Police yesterday started pumping out water from the lake at Narayanganj's Rupganj out from where they claimed to have recovered a huge cache of firearms and ammunition, including two rocket launchers and 61 Chinese submachine guns (SMGs) on Friday.

Divers of fire service searched the lakebed on Saturday but did not find anything. "We will pump all the water out of the lake to check whether any arms are still left," Islami Hossain, officer-in-charge of Rupganj Police Station, told The Daily Star.

Earlier, police arrested an alleged drug dealer Sharif Mia, and his cohorts Shahin alias Sanu, Rasel, Shanto, Murad and later the law enforcers recovered the arms.

The Detective Branch yesterday filed a case with the police against six persons, including the five and one Hridoy Mia, who is absconding, in this connection.

Meanwhile, a Narayanganj court granted eight-day remand for the arrestees.

## Ex-BCL leader killed over land dispute in Savar

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Savar

A former leader of Bangladesh Chhatra League was killed and five others injured in a clash over a piece of land in Jamshing area under Savar municipality yesterday.

CM Badsha Faisal, 35, son of Sayeduzzaman of Emandipur area, is a former joint-convenor of BCL Savar Thana unit.

Dr Shohel Rana, emergency medical officer of Enam Medical College Hospital, said Faisal died being struck by a harpoon.

Police and witnesses said there had been a longstanding dispute between Faisal and Felu Mia over the land in the area near Shukurjan High school.

Yesterday, around noon, Faisal and his men had started setting up boundary walls on the land. Around 2:00pm, Felu and his brother Yakub along with their men showed up at the spot and attacked Faisal and his

## CASE AGAINST OISHEE HC to deliver verdict today

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court will deliver a verdict today on the death reference and appeals in a case filed against Oishee Rahman for killing her father Mahfuzur Rahman, a police officer, and her mother in 2013.

The HC bench yesterday fixed the date as it had already concluded hearing arguments from the counsels.

A trial court sentenced Oishee to death on November 12, 2015.

Oishee later challenged the lower court verdict.

On August 16, 2013, the bodies of Mahfuzur, inspector of Special Branch of Police, and his wife Swapna Rahman were recovered from their Chamelibagh house in the capital.



Over 100 students and teachers of Jahangirnagar University form a human chain in front of the university's Shaheed Minar yesterday to press home their eight-point demand. The demands include withdrawal of cases against 42 students who were allegedly involved in vandalising the vice chancellor's residence on May 27 following the death of two of their fellows in a road accident.

PHOTO: STAR

## DU suspends 5 BCL men

DU CORRESPONDENT

The Dhaka University authorities yesterday suspended five BCL men for assaulting a master's student on Thursday.

They are: Ariful Islam; Kazi Tanvir Ahmed; Shamchita Bridge Pranta; Ahsan Habib Sajib, and Abu Yunus.

"The five students were suspended for assaulting a student at Bijoy 71 Hall on Thursday night," confirmed DU acting proctor Prof Amzad Ali. On Thursday, Ismail Hasan, a master's student of linguistics department, was beaten up by BCL leader Ariful and his associates at the dorm over a trifling matter.

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## Govt not responsible

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Jatiya Press Club.

"We've already given nod to the 9th Wage Board, but it remained stuck not from the government side, rather from the owners' side. Here, I see so many owners and I believe they'll do their part," she said.

Sheikh Hasina said, "... I want every owner to abide by the wage board...I know there're some owners who follow it and there're others who don't." She also said the electronic media should also come under the purview of the board.

Turning to the criticisms of the government by the media, she said these days there are so many criticisms and many writings against the government both at home and abroad. Referring to the criticisms in the media against the government, Hasina said her government believes in press freedom. "Could you do such thing during others' rule? You can say whatever you want in talk shows with true and untrue words and we don't obstruct you as we've created the environment for flourishing the private TV channels. Otherwise, where could such talk shows have been run?" she questioned.

Highlighting various steps taken by her government for the welfare of the media industry and journalists, she said the newspaper industry has been declared as a services industry so that it could avail various facilities. Information Minister Hasanul Haq Inu, PM's Media Adviser Iqbal Sobhan Chowdhury, and president and secretary general of a faction of BFUJ Monjurul Ahsan Bulbul and Omar Faruq also spoke at the programme.

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