

NEWS FLASH

Ecstasy at Bashundhara City

For the fashion forward city dwellers, Ecstasy has opened up its flagship store on the seventh floor of Bashundhara City. This new store boasts of trending patterns, latest designs and the best of western wear. Ecstasy's Tanjim and Zarzain brands are also featured here with their line-up of casual and party wear.

The modern 12,000 square feet store is the perfect destination for the trend seekers. Anyone can find their favourite products here. Shopping for the best of Ecstasy has been made easier, all under one roof.

Check out ecstasybd.com

Log on to [facebook.com/liveinxtasy](https://www.facebook.com/liveinxtasy)

Day trip to Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Safari Park

On this World Tourism Day 2017, TripZip is launching an exclusive 'kids and moms day trip' to the Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Safari Park.

The Safari Park, situated in Gazipur, will be offering day long activities for children as well as an opportunity to reconnect with nature. Visitors can check out the Core Safari, Nature Observation Centre, Elephant Gallery, Parrot Aviary, and Dhanesh Aviary etc.

For booking, call: +880 1949 555888

Contact: 29/30, Block #C, Tajmahal Road, Mohammadpur, Dhaka- 1207

For more information, log in to

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/tripzip.tour>

Dinner with a view

Four minutes from Bashundhara 'Teensho feet' road, Lake City Restaurant and Party Centre is serving up scrumptious local, Thai, Chinese, Continental, and Indian delicacies. Not only the food, the restaurant's design and mesmerising interiors are bound to give visitors an experience to remember.

It also has a kid's zone and two spacious hall rooms, big enough to host weddings, birthdays, conferences, and cultural programmes.

Visit them at: Lake City Concord, Khilkhet, Dhaka-1229

For booking and any other information, call: 9849350 or

www.facebook.com/LCCRESTARURANT/

Samdani Architecture Award winner announced

The Samdani Art Foundation has announced the winner of the inaugural Samdani Architecture Award. In early 2017, the award invited, through open calls, individuals or groups of 3rd and 4th year Bangladeshi Architecture students to propose new models for learning in abandoned urban spaces across Bangladesh, using ecologically sustainable and locally sourced materials and technology.

The winning proposal was selected by an international jury that included Aurélien Lemonier (National Museum of the History of Immigration, Paris, France); Jeannette Plaut (Constructo, Santiago de Chile); and Shamsul Wares (Department of

Architecture, State University of Bangladesh).

From 135 registrations, Maksudul Karim's design, Chhaya Tori, which translates as Shadow Boat, was selected and will be unveiled at the heart of the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy as the Dhaka Art Summit 2018's Education Pavilion (to be held in February 2-10, 2018).

Karim's design utilises traditional Shampan boat building techniques—synonymous with Bangladesh's fishing communities—bringing traditional rural Bangladeshi construction techniques into the urban environment. Using bamboo as its primary construction material, Chhaya



Tori (Shadow Boat) will float above ground level on bamboo supports, covered with a shade (known locally as choi) erected using traditional bamboo inter-weaving techniques, allowing natural light to fall into the internal teaching space.

Karim will be awarded the inaugural Samdani Architecture Award during DAS 2018, and receive funding towards further studies. He is a level 3, B.Sc. Architecture student at Premier University in Chittagong.

For further information please visit samdani.com.bd or dhakaartsummit.org <https://www.facebook.com/DhakaArtSummit/>

Project exhibition at Alliance Française de Dhaka

La Galerie, Alliance Française de Dhaka is hosting 'River Rhapsody: Museum of Rivers and Canals', a project exhibit undertaken by third year architecture students of the Department of Architecture at BRAC University. They took the challenge of building public awareness through the design of a Museum of Rivers and Canals along the Karnafuli River in old town Chittagong.

Guided by professors Adnan Morshed and Abul Fazal Mahmudun Nobi, six student groups responded to this design challenge by combining research, aesthetics, and a deep sense of environmental ethics.

The exhibition will be open to all until 20 September 2017. Visiting Hours: Monday to Thursday from 3:00pm to 9:00pm; Friday and Saturday (9:00am to 12:00 noon and 5:00pm to 8:00pm). Closed -Sunday.

Brothers Furniture opens new showroom

One of the top ranked furniture companies in Bangladesh, Brothers Furniture Ltd now has a showroom in Uttara. Situated at Sonargaon Janapath Road, Uttara, the showroom contains a collection of world class furniture.

Address: House #8, Sector #11,

Sonargaon Janapath Road, Uttara

Hotline: +8801926680802

For offers visit,

<https://www.facebook.com/Brothersfurnitureltd>

Check out more information and other show rooms at: brothersfurniture.com.bd

Radisson receives Trip Advisor Certificate of Excellence

From the start of their commercial operation in 2015, Radisson Blu Chittagong Bay View joined the world's renowned guest review site, TripAdvisor for guest feedbacks.

This year, Radisson Blu Chittagong Bay View received the TripAdvisor 2017 Certificate of Excellence.

TripAdvisor has 535 million reviews and opinions covering the world's largest selection of travel listings worldwide

over, 7 million accommodations, airlines, attractions, and restaurants.

Radisson Blu Chittagong Bay View has 241 rooms, banquets, restaurants and swimming pool. It also the facilities of accommodations, banquets, seminars and meetings.

For bookings and other information, visit radissonblu.com/en/hotel-chittagong

Check out offers and other news at: <https://www.facebook.com/RadissonBluChittagongBayView>



Puja Collection