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# No let-up in question leak

Hand-written questions found hours before the SSC math exam

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

SSC question paper for maths was leaked yesterday, like it was done in the case of Islamic studies, English and Bangla tests.

Ministers had accused "dishonest teachers" of taking photos of question papers and leaking them but yesterday the SSC Mathematics questions were leaked at a time when the scripts do not reach the exam centres.

Images of handwritten questions circulating social media sites and messenger groups made it clear that there were other actors involved.

Yesterday's Secondary School Certificate Mathematics questions were found in a Facebook messenger group at 5:56am, hours before the questions reach the centres.

By 8:32am, solved problems in the "Kha" set question paper -- including MCQ and broad questions -- were circulating in the internet.

After yesterday's exam, this correspondent compared the questions of the test with the screenshots of the leaked ones and even the handwritten one.

They were identical.

Although the law enforcers detained some people in connection with the recent question leaks, they could not track down the main players. The leaks continued and all questions of this year's SSC exams held so far had been leaked.

"I got the MCQ part around 9:00am on my mobile phone along with the answers ... I hope I will get 30 out of 30," an SSC examinee told this correspondent at an exam centre near Farmgate after the test.

Another examinee wishing not to be named said students matched their answers according to the questions, huddling together near the exam centre in the morning.

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Defying orders of the Department of Environment, used engine oil from ships being buried under a layer of sand on the Karnaphuli near the runway of Chittagong airport yesterday. The Daily Star published a picture, inset, of the dumping earlier this month.

PHOTO: RAJIB RAIHAN



North Korea invites South president

US wary of Pyongyang's 'charm offensive'

AFP, Gangneung

North Korean leader Kim Jong Un invited the South's President Moon Jae-in for a summit in Pyongyang, Seoul said yesterday, even as the US warned against falling for Pyongyang's Olympic charm offensive.

The invitation, delivered by Kim's visiting sister Kim Yo Jong, said Kim was willing to meet the South's leader "at the earliest date possible", said a spokesman for the presidential Blue House.

An inter-Korean summit would be the third of its kind, after Kim's father and predecessor Kim Jong Il met the South's Kim Dae-jung and Roh Moo-hyun in 2000 and 2007 respectively, both

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# Israel hits Iranian targets in Syria

Warns not to play with fire after Syrians down its fighter jet

AFP, Jerusalem

Israel yesterday warned Iran and Syria against "playing with fire" and struck a dozen Syrian and Iranian targets inside Syria after an Israeli fighter jet crashed under fire from Syrian air defences in a severe increase in tensions.

The confrontation was the most serious between arch foes Israel and Iran since the

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## SIX YEARS INTO SAGAR-RUNI MURDER

# Probe itself a mystery

RAFIUL ISLAM

Saleha Monir has never visited her son and daughter-in-law's graves.

She is afraid that she would not bring herself to tell her son that the killers have not been punished.

"What will I tell the departed soul? That there is no justice for us?" the grieving mother of slain journalist Sagar said.

After the journalist couple Sagar and Runi were killed six years ago, Saleha thought she would not see the graves until the killers got caught. Now, the



66-year-old woman, who has difficulty walking due to age-related complications, wonders whether she would ever get to see the graves.

The cries of journalist associations and bereaved family members for justice fell on deaf ears in the last six years. Investigators do not even bother to tell the mother what, if anything, they had found.

"Justice is a far cry as I do not even know the names of the killers yet. I fear I would not get

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## ACCIDENT, A MATTER OF TIME

A gaping hole on a busy street near the capital's Malitola intersection is inviting a mishap. A large slab covering it had been removed over two weeks ago. The photo was taken yesterday.

PHOTO: RASHED SHUMON

## Bangladeshi detained for stabbing man in Melbourne

Police call it 'IS-inspired'

AFP, Melbourne

A young Bangladeshi woman was yesterday charged with stabbing a man in the neck while he slept in Melbourne in what Australian police described as an "Islamic State-inspired" attack.

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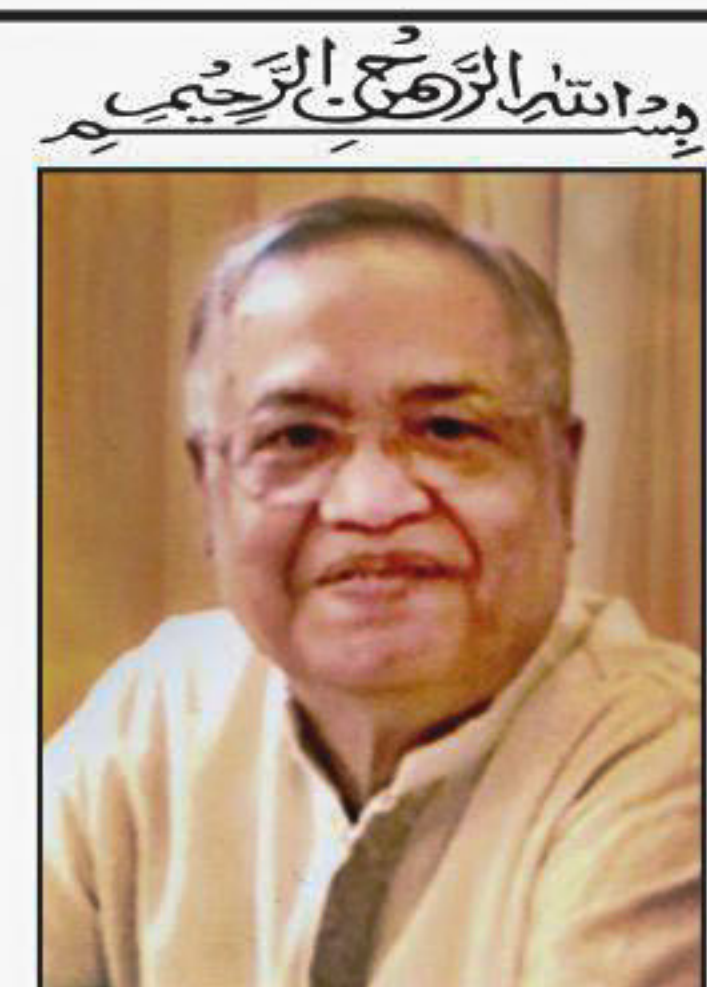
**SIBL Foundation Hospital & Diagnostic Center**

**PRAYER TIMING FEBRUARY 11**

Fazr Zohr Asr Maghrib Esha

AZAN	5-25	12-45	4-30	5-57	7-15
JAMAAT	6-00	1-15	4-45	6-01	7-45

SOURCE: ISLAMIC FOUNDATION



**Prof. A.H.M. Ahsan Ullah**

28th February 1937-11th February 2014

Treasured thoughts of one so dear,  
Often bring a silent tear;  
Thoughts of scenes long past,  
Years roll on but memories last.

Too dearly loved ever to be forgotten.

**Prof. Fukhrun Nisa**

Kamal-Doly  
Abrar-Ayman

Dr. Sonia-Ishtiaque  
Anisha-Ayana

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**LATE HASNA ABEDIN**

FOUNDER AND FORMER CHAIRPERSON  
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY-BANGLADESH

Remembering the kindness and compassion of  
late Hasna Abedin, Founder and Former Chairperson of AIUB

On the Occasion of her First Death Anniversary  
February 11, 2018

In loving memory of the one who bound us together with her warmth and affection, and, therefore, will remain in our hearts and minds forever. May Almighty grant her eternal peace in heaven.

"Members of AIUB Family"



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বাংলাদেশ ব্যাংক

অননুমোদিত প্রতিষ্ঠানের সাথে লেনদেন হতে বিরত থাকার বিষয়ে সতর্কীকরণ বিজ্ঞপ্তি।

অনলাইনে পেমেন্ট সুবিধা দেয়া হয় মর্মে কিছু প্রতিষ্ঠান কর্তৃক সম্প্রতি বিভিন্ন সংবাদ মাধ্যম এবং ইন্টারনেটে বিজ্ঞাপন প্রচার করা হচ্ছে যা বাংলাদেশ ব্যাংকের গোচরীভূত হয়েছে।

সর্বসাধারণের অবগতির জন্য জানানো যাচ্ছে যে, বৈদেশিক মুদ্রা নিয়ন্ত্রণ আইন, ১৯৪৭ মোতাবেক শুধুমাত্র বাংলাদেশ ব্যাংক কর্তৃক অনুমোদিত প্রতিষ্ঠানই বৈদেশিক মুদ্রায় লেনদেনের প্রাধিকারপ্রাপ্ত। বাংলাদেশ ব্যাংক কর্তৃক অনুমোদিত নয় এমন প্রতিষ্ঠানের সাথে বৈদেশিক মুদ্রায় লেনদেন না করার জন্য জনসাধারণকে অনুরোধ করা যাচ্ছে।

## Dangerous ice cream!

ODDITYCENTRAL.COM

Describing an ice cream as hot might seem strange, but when talking about the Respiro del Diavolo (Devil's Breath), it's actually an understatement. Made using an assortment of hot chillies, the bizarre treat scores over 1.5 million units on the Scoville scale of hotness, making it the world's most dangerous ice cream.

Respiro del Diavolo was brought to Glasgow,

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