DAWC hosts fundraising art exhibition

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Art lovers on Friday gathered at the Edge Gallery at Gulshan-2 for "Women in the Arts", a fundraising exhibition featuring artworks of 22 leading women artists in Bangladesh.

The event was organised by Dhaka American Women's Club (DAWC), with support from Edge Foundation and the Swiss Embassy, said a press release.

All proceeds will go to programmes working with

young women artists and children's arts. Ferdousi Priyobhashini, the sculptor and freedom

fighter who passed away last month, was conferred on special honour during the event.

The keynote speakers included US Ambassador Marcia Bernicat, Swiss Ambassador René Holenstein, DAWC President Taheerah Haq, Minaal Chowdhury from Edge Foundation, and Priyobhashini's daughter Fuleshwary Priyanandini.

BAF Shaheen School wins ISPI football championship

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

BAF Shaheen School and Government Laboratory High School have respectively become champion and runner-up

in this year's ISPI inter-school six-a-side football tournament. The final match and prize giving ceremony was held at Bangladesh Handball Federation Indoor Stadium on Thursday, said a press release. Twenty-four reputed high schools of Dhaka city participated in the five-day tournament, sponsored by Ispahani Foods Ltd.

Omar Hannan, general manager of Ispahani Tea Ltd, was present on the occasion as the chief guest.

Event for urban planning held at Kuet

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Khulna

The Department of Urban and Regional Planning (URP) of Khulna University of Engineering and Technology (Kuet) organised a daylong event on urban planning at the Student Welfare Center on the campus Friday.

Undergraduate students from different universities participated in the event, "PLANNATION 2018", which included segments like debate and writing competitions. Seminars on sludge management and prospect of planning profession were also held.

At the inaugural session, Kuet Vice Chancellor Dr Muhammed Alamgir and Director of Department of Environment, Khulna Habibul Haque Khan also spoke.

Candidates

2nd Edition

FROM PAGE3 Shujan Secretary Badiul Alam Majumder conducted the programme. He sought promises from the

voters that they would vote for candidates with clean image who are not involved in corruption and crimes. In Gazipur, Returning

Officer Rakib Uddin Mondo said police will have to consult with them before carrying out any drive before the Gazipur City Corporation (GCC) election.

He was talking to reporters at his office in the city.

Rakib said he will talk to the deputy commissioner and the district police superintendent in this regard.

Asked whether the arrest of 45 Jamaat leaders including its district ameer is tantamount to the interference in the election atmosphere, he said they are investigating the matter

Election to Khulna and Gazipur city corporations are scheduled to be held on May 15.

KCC is formed with 31 general wards and 10 reserved wards with around 4.93 lakh voters. GCC is formed with 57 general wards and 19 reserved wards with around 11.64 lakh voters.

Two lakh

FROM PAGE 3 local Malaysians are working for recruitment of migrant workers.

He also said the ministry has sent a proposal to prime minister for paying incentive to migrant workers as recognition of sending remittance through legal channels.

It will be effective with finance minister's concern, he said, adding the incentive will help increase the remittance flow.

Dr Perween Hasan, vice chancellor of CWU,

remembered Simeen's contribution towards

sentative of Nari Pakkha, were also present.

Simeen Mahmud, head of Gender Studies

Cluster and coordinator of Centre for Gender and

Social Transformation at Brac Institute of

Governance and Development of Brac University,

passed away on March 19 at a hospital in the US.

She studied statistics at DU and medical demog-

raphy at London School of Hygiene and

Tropical Medicine. She joined BIDS in 1974 as staff

Scuffles expose simmering

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out both groups from the mosque," the DC said. "Outsiders will not be able to stay inside the mosque. If anyone wants to attend prayers, they can."

The mosque sources said a meeting will be held with Home Minister Asaduzzaman Khan Kamal to resolve the crisis once he returns from abroad.

The conflict between the two factions started at the last Biswa Ijtema, the second largest Muslim congregation after the hajj. Hefajat-e-Islam first tried to prevent

Saad's arrival because they were strongly opposed to his participation in the Ijtema. Their opposition stemmed from allegations of what Hefajat leaders claimed to be "controversial statements about the Quran and Sunnah" that Saad had made.

They demanded an apology from Maulana Saad for the "statements" if he wished to attend the Ijtema.

Finally, the top leader of the Tabligh

Jamaat Maulana Saad, who had been conducting the Akheri Munajat (concluding prayers) for the last three years, had to return to New Delhi without joining this year's Biswa Ijtema. Earlier, the two groups clashed at least

four times, centring on Saad's speech. The home minister mediated between the two factions. According to the mosque sources, there

are 11 Shura members. Of them, five members are led by Maulana Jubayer and six others by Wasiful Islam. They are followers of Maulana Saad. Recently, Saad appointed two new Shura members, with which the other group did not agree. On Thursday, several thousand students

against the Maulana Saad group, started gathering at Kakrail Mosque. On Friday morning, the anti-Saad group led by Maulana Jubayer held a meeting and

Saad preach any sermon in Bangladesh. Tension arose inside the mosque. Police

friends found him lying on the floor uncon-

College Hospital. He needed four stitches in

his head, they added. There were also injury

marks all over his body. Contacted, Kisku

admitted the incident. He said, "Jihad did the

They took him to Rajshahi Medical

scious. He was bleeding, they said.

same to me two years ago."

Simeen's works a beacon of light

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tion. Police also recovered two mobile phone jammers from the mosque. Police said it is still under investigation to know who set up the jammers inside the mosque. Meanwhile, there was a gathering of

were deployed to avoid any untoward situa-

Dhaka district Tabligh Jamaat in Zinda Bahar mosque in Old Dhaka yesterday.

After the gathering, the followers of Maulana Saad decided to protest the incident. Around 1,000 people then came to Kakrail Mosque around 9:30am.

"While we were trying to enter the mosque, the Qawmi madrasa students obstructed us. Heated words were exchanged and they also beat up a few followers of Maulana Saad," said Jahangir Alam, a follower of Saad.

After police got all the protesters out of the mosque premises, Saad's followers beat up one of the madrasa students, named Jakaria.

Yesterday afternoon, this correspondent found some foreign guests and murubbis staying inside the mosque. Other people from both groups were leaving the area.

The Tabligh Jamaat, known as a nonpolitical global religious movement, came into being in 1927 in India. Maulana Ilyas Kandhalvi founded the religious movement, which has an estimated 7 to 8 crore followers in more than 150 countries, majority of whom are based in South Asia.

According to sources at Kakrail Mosque, considered the headquarters of the Tabligh Jamaat in Bangladesh, all decisions regarding Ijtema and selection of Shura members are made after consultation with the organisation's headquarters in Nizamuddin Markaj (centre) in New Delhi, India.

Maulana Saad played a key role in those from 10 to 12 Qawmi madrasas, who are consultations. But it did not happen this year as the Shura members in India and Bangladesh have a sharp division over Saad's "controversial statements".

A rift in Tabligh's leadership has been announced that they will not let Maulana going on in India for the last two years but there had been no problems in Bangladesh until this year's protest by Hefajat.

When asked, Jihad admitted that he

had some "issues" with Kisku. "He might

have beaten me for that," he added. He

did not elaborate any further. Faisal

Ahmed Runu, BCL general secretary of RU

heard about the incident and actions will be

Proctor Prof Lutfor Rahman said he

unit, said, "We will look into the matter ... "

taken if any written complaint is filed.

We must break free

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the birth of India and Pakistan, liberals and nationalists have had their limitations in forgoing the concept of personal ownership and embracing the establishment of communal ownership.

The nearly two-hour lecture branched out into various aspects of political history of the subcontinent, including the emergence of India and Pakistan, and eventually Bangladesh. "Subhash Chandra Bose was out and out a Bangalee. He came into politics under the leadership of Chittaranjan Das, who tried to keep the politics of Bengal separate from the politics of India. But his untimely demise put a brake on that," Prof Serajul said.

"Subhas Bose eventually practised Indian politics. If he could have kept the two separate, the history of the Partition could have been different," he added. Prof Serajul said the class division question must be

solved. "In undivided Bengal, we could not solve the nationalist equation of 52 percent Muslims and 48 percent non-Muslims; in Pakistan it became 56 percent Bangalees and 44 percent non-Bangalees, and now in Bangladesh it is 20 percent beneficiaries and 80 percent deprived.

To solve this, he said, "We must break this societal system; not to create anarchy, but to liberate creativity and create equal opportunities and rights for all, and to create a new world of communal ownership."

"The fundamental failure to launch pro-people politics that will dismantle the class system has brought us at a crossroads, and it will only get worse," Prof Serajul said. He concluded by saying that nationalists have given all

they could, and what needs to be done now, must be done by communists.

Minor, 4 others killed

In Dinajpur, motorcyclist Anowarul Islam, 32; Rabiul Islam, 30, and Abdul Hye, 34, were killed and Yunus Ali, 55, critically injured in Dinajpur Sadar upazila, police said quoting locals.

A head-on collision between two speeding motorcycles caused the accident at Jaliyapara village under Dinajpur Sadar upazila, killing two on the spot and injuring three others.

Locals rescued the injured and took them to M Abdur Rahim Medical College Hospital, where another injured died. Meanwhile in Chittagong, Audi Ribeiro, 60, was killed under the wheels of a truck in Chairman Bari area in the port city yesterday, police said.

The body was sent to Chittagong Medical College Hospital for autopsy.

Rowdiness, underage

public memory, he said, citing the recent death of Rajib, a college student, who succumbed to his injuries after being sandwiched between two competing buses on Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue.

He also pointed out that pedestrians often cross busy roads while talking on mobile phones or with their headphones on,

which is another prime reason behind accidents. A number of high officials were present on the occasion.

Prisons will turn into

FROM PAGE 3 languishing in jail without trial, victims of human trafficking, or people who are unable to get justice, are being given legal assistance at the

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