

WHAT'S ON

Musical Evening
Title: Sovvota and The Seesaw Quartet
Venue: Jatra Biroti
Date: 27th July
Time: 7.30pm - 10pm



Music Festival
Title: Baul Shongheet
Venue: Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy
Date: July 26 - July 28



Art & Music Festival
Title: Good Vibrations
Venue: Lounge Comida
Date: July 27
Time: 2pm-9pm



Star Melodies Musical Evening
Title: Celebrating Birth Centenary of Abdul Ahad
Venue: The Daily Star Centre
Date: July 28
Time: 6:30pm



Art Exhibition
Title: 21st Young Artists' Art Exhibition 2018
Venue: Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy
Date: July 15-28
Time: 11am - 8pm



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Many Happy Returns, TAREEN!

SHAH ALAM SHAZI

Tareen has been a popular name in the world of showbiz for over twenty-five years now. She began her professional life as a child artiste on television. She has not just captivated the audience with her versatile roles on the small-screen, but has also made a mark in the field of modeling in her illustrious career.

Tareen also has a genuine love for dancing. She is still very dedicated as a dancer, so loves displaying her dancing prowess at various programmes.

Singing is also one of her many talents. "Even though I love to sing, I can hardly allocate any time to it as I am often busy with acting in different projects," says Tareen.

On the birthday of this multi-talented and elegant star, she is going on vacation for her big day. "I will miss my parents the most today. They are always the first ones to wish me," says Tareen.

Tareen has numerous exciting upcoming projects to her credit. The actor can be seen in a number of television serials, one of which is called *New York Theke Bolchi*. Tareen plays the role of a Non Resident Bangladeshi in that serial.



Joler Gaan performing at JU's Zahir Raihan Auditorium

Celebrating Life at JU

MD ASADUZ ZAMAN, from JU

Popular folk band Joler Gaan enthralled a large audience on Tuesday evening at Zahir Raihan Auditorium of Jahangirnagar University (JU) campus to mark the District tour of Standard Chartered-The Daily Star Celebrating Life.

Fronted by Rahul Ananda, the band's renditions included their popular hit songs including *Bakul Phul*, *Jhara Pata*, *Ma*, *Tomar Jonno Akash Vora Tara*, *Ursi Keno*, *Bristy Pore*, *Tomar ak Hate Debo*, and many more. The band dedicated one of their songs to eminent 'Natyacharya' Selim Al Deen, who was formerly a professor of the university.

Earlier in the day, a photography exhibition with 43 winning photographs of

Celebrating Life- 2018 was held at the corridor of the auditorium of the University campus.

JU Vice-chancellor, Prof. Farzana Islam inaugurated the daylong event as chief guest. She expressed special thanks to The Daily Star for organising such events for years. She said, "These arrangements inspire the young generation to have more creative activities and refrain from negative thoughts."

Convener of Standard Chartered-The Daily Star Celebrating Life, Rafi Hossain along with Prof. Sheikh Md. Monzurul Huq, president of JU Teachers Association Prof. Nurul Alam, JU Proctor Sikder Md. Zulkarnine, Prof. Rasheda Akhter, Prof. Sohel Ahmed, Prof. Hanif Ali Prof. Bashir Ahmed, director of TSC were present during the inauguration.

New issue of 'DOT' launched



ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT DESK

The issue 4, Volume 3 of DOT, the only international standard art and architecture magazine of the country was launched recently at the Department of Architecture, BUET. Twelve consecutive issues of this quarterly have been published since its inception in September 2015. The concluding issue of volume 3 was unveiled at a ceremony in presence of the students, faculty members and other eminent individuals in the field of art and architecture. As part of its regular events, the ceremony also included the 11th cycle of "Shah Cement DOT Student Design Awards" distribution among the winners. Delvistaa Foundation endeavours the publishing of a specialised magazine of this stature regularly that showcases the commendable works of art and architecture of the country to record and bring forward their expertise under the editorship of renowned architect and artist Mustapha Khalid Palash.

In his speech, Palash urged the policy makers to initiate enhancement of the quality of urban life that really simulates with the necessity and demands. Among others, Professor Dr Khandaker Shabbir Ahmed, Head, Dept. of Architecture, BUET, Professor Dr Kazi Azizul Mowla, Associate Professor Architect Nazmul Imam, renowned artist Kanak Chanpa Chakma and Brand Manager of Shah Cement Ltd Tasnuva Haider expressed their best wishes to DOT and its team for undertaking such challenging efforts. The event was concluded with a vote of thanks from the General Secretary of Delvistaa Foundation Architect Shahzia Islam Anton. The programme was conducted by Architect Rezaur Rahman.

Maiden Int'l Action Art Fair under spotlight

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Club for UNESCO of Piraeus and Island arranged the first International Action Art Fair at Chalkida in Evia Island, Greece. Several Bangladeshi painters and artists from other countries attended the fair held last month. Club for UNESCO invited well-known Bangladeshi artists -- Shamim Subrana, Afroza Jamil Konka, Dilruba Latif, Shohana Shahreen, Fahmida Khatun, Maksuda Iqbal Nipa, Bipasha Hayat and

Nazia Andalib Preema to participate in the art fair.

Artists portrayed artworks following their own styles with their favourite forms and colours. They depicted the nature and ambience of Greece.

Ambassador of Bangladesh in Greece Md. Jashim Uddin, Piraeus Turkish Consul General in Greece Oya Yazar and Ioannis Maronitis attended the occasion as honourable guests. The participating artists visited many historical places in Greece.



'Dan Cake Presents Legacy of Rock N Roll' is coming to Sylhet tomorrow. Arbovirus, Avoidrafa, Powersurge, Mechanix, Radioactive, Echoes, Savagery and H2504 will be performing. The concert will be held at the Celebrity Hall, Hotel Star Pacific in Sylhet. Gates will open at 2:30pm and the show will go on from 3:00pm to 10pm. Tickets for the concert are BDT 250 each. The Daily Star is the media partner for the concert.



'Festival', an exhibition by Muktochokh opened on July 20 with critical acclaim. Muktochokh is a photography club under the renowned Pathshala South Asian Media Institute. This club is organised and managed by Pathshala students and tutors. The exhibition will continue till July 27, 2018.

SOURCE: PATHSHALA SOUTH ASIAN MEDIA INSTITUTE



ONEK DIN POR -Armeen Musa

SADI MOHAMMAD SHAHNEWAZ

Onek Din Por
Likhte giye bhule gelam tomar golar shor
Trans:
"Time goes around
Yet when I try to write, I forget how you sound"

Few modern musicians can harness emotion in their compositions as well as Armeen Musa. *Onek Din Por* is a product of Armeen's musical fidelity and emotional intelligence. The artiste claims that this was one of the most spontaneous compositions that she has ever made: "Two years ago, I was scrolling through my news feed when I saw a Facebook status by Rajib Ashraf," says Armeen, "I made a song out of it within an hour."

The simplistic presentation of the music video, where Armeen Musa is seen strumming her acoustic guitar in her sari-clad elegance only accentuates the beauty of the *Onek Din Por*. The heartbreaking, yet brilliant melody of separation is obvious, and very genuine.

You can listen to *Onek Din Por* on Bongo's YouTube page.

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