

Giving children

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and use of robots in human life at the workshop.
On the closing day, excited students were seen playing with small robots that they assembled and coded themselves – like line follower, edge avoider and robotic arm. “I never thought building anything could be so enjoyable. If such workshop happens in our school again, I’ll make sure not to miss it,” said Shehtab Abdullah, a fourth-grader.

Tahmina Begum, mother of a student, expressed her heartfelt joy about the initiative.

“My daughter cannot concentrate on anything for too long. I was worried about it. But I saw a new side to her after this workshop. Now I know where her true interest lies,” said Tahmina.

All the students were given certificates by veteran journalist Abul Momen, who was a special guest at the closing ceremony.

He said, “Creativity and thinking are the most important things for a person. We will teach our children traditions of our country, but we must bring them up as citizens of 2018. Such initiatives will help them keep up with the time.”

Shila Momen, principal of the school, was present as special guest, while Abu Tayeb, chairman of CTGIT, presided over the event.



Launches remain docked at Barishal river port after operation of all types of water transport was suspended across the country following inclement weather due to formation of cyclonic storm “Titli” in the Bay. Inset, passengers including women and children stranded at the river port. The photos were taken yesterday afternoon.



PHOTO: TITU DAS

AL boisterous, BNP no-show

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associate wings of Chattogram hailed the verdict, while BNP men remained off the streets yesterday.

Chattogram Metropolitan Police (CMP) beefed up security across the city to prevent any untoward incident.

AL and BCL men took position at 17 strategic points, including Agrabad, Dewanhat, and GEC intersection.

Senior leaders of AL visited the spots, and later held a rally at AL party office at Darul Fazal Market area, where they hailed the verdict and demanded its immediate execution.

Addressing the rally, AL’s city unit General Secretary and Chattogram City Corporation (CCC) Mayor AJM Nasir Uddin said the criminals of August 21 grenade attack have faced the same fate of the killers of Bangabandhu and war criminals.

AL city unit acting president Mahtab Uddin Chowdhury, vice president Ibrahim Hossen Chowdhury Babul, joint general secretary MA Rasid were present, among others.

AL and BCL units brought out processions at different areas of the city while pro-AL lawyers also brought out a

procession at court building premises.

Police kept the BNP office of Nasiman Bhaban at Kazir Dewri area cordoned off since morning, and no BNP leaders or activists were found there. The party office was found locked from inside while visiting the office at around 1:00pm.

Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) (South) Shah Md Abdur Rauf of CMP said additional policemen were deployed in front of the office to fend off any subversive activities over the verdict.

[Our Chattogram, Bogura, Narayanganj, Barishal and Khagrachhari correspondents contributed to the report.]

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Media Fellowship on Conflict Sensitive Journalism

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The news media is increasingly faced with rumors, misinformation, manipulation or suppression perpetuated by interests seeking to profit from conflict, which can include socioeconomic, political, climate-induced and ideological disputes. The fellowship aims to give Bangladeshi journalists the resources to produce in-depth stories on important but complex topics such as the protracted Rohingya crisis in Cox's Bazar, which has had a multilayered impact on host and displaced communities.

Fellows will receive training, mentoring and financial support to produce stories on the human dimensions of conflict, focusing on victims of conflict, the causes of conflict and conflict resolution while maintaining professional standards of accuracy, balance and objectivity.

The overall aim is to contribute to media development consistent with the UN's Sustainable Development Goals and the Seventh Five Year Plan of the Government of Bangladesh.

Relevant information:
• Journalists working in newspapers, online media, television channels as well as free lance journalists would be eligible to apply for the fellowship programme.

• The duration of the Fellowship Programme is three months – November, December 2018 and January 2019.

• Each fellow would receive Taka100,000 (one lakh taka) during the Fellowship Programme as remuneration to cover costs of travel and other expenses for collecting the information.

• The successful fellows will be handed over cheques, certificates and crests at a ceremony in Dhaka.

The last date for application is 25 October 2018.
For more details and fellowship rules please visit - www.mediafellowship.bnnrc.net

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পোল্ট্রি মিডিয়া অ্যাওয়ার্ড-২০১৮

পোল্ট্রি ইন্ডুস্ট্রি নাজ করছেন এমন পেশাগত সাংবাদিক ও কলাম সৈনিকদের কাজের স্বীকৃতি, মূল্যায়ন ও তাঁদের নিষ্ঠার প্রতি শ্রদ্ধা জানাতে বাংলাদেশ পোল্ট্রি ইন্ডাস্ট্রিজ সেন্ট্রাল কাউন্সিল (বিপিআইসিসি) বিগত দু'বছরের ধারাবাহিকতায় এবারও “পোল্ট্রি মিডিয়া অ্যাওয়ার্ড” প্রদান করতে যাচ্ছে। অগ্রহীনের ১০ নভেম্বর ২০১৮ তারিখের মধ্যে প্রতিবেদনের কপি নিম্নবর্ণিত ঠিকানায় সরাসরি কিংবা ডাক যোগে জমা দেয়ার জন্য অনুরোধ করা হচ্ছে।

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Tender Notice for Purchase of Vehicle swisscontact

Swisscontact is a Zurich-based not-for-profit organisation in development cooperation. We are inviting sealed quotations from established vendors to supply one vehicle as per following specifications:

Reconditioned vehicle with body type: Microvan/ Microbus/MPV, engine displacement: 1800cc to 2500cc, and model year: 2010 – 2013.

Further information can be obtained by phone (+88 02 9882663) from Sunday to Thursday between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm. Sealed quotations (clearly written “Quotations of Vehicle” on top of the envelope) for the above-mentioned models along with a copy of trade license and VAT registration certificate must be submitted by 4:00 pm, 25 October 2018 to Coordinator Finance and Procurement (House-19, Road-11, Baridhara, Dhaka-1212). Swisscontact emphasises on good quality vehicles and reserves the right to accept or reject tenders without providing any reason.

FIVDB Friends In Village Development Bangladesh Tender Notice

Friends In Village Development Bangladesh (FIVDB) is going to procure items as per schedule below. These items will be procured for FIVDB's 'Strengthening Humanitarian Preparedness Response' project funded by UK aid and implemented in Camp-14 (Hakimpura), under Ukhiya Upazila of Cox's Bazar. FIVDB invites tender from reputed suppliers who have necessary licenses from the government of Bangladesh to execute such supplies.

Sl.	Item to be Procured	Quantity
1	a) LP Gas Stove (Single Burner with necessary accessories) and Cylinder Full of Gas b) 15,000 LP Gas Refills over next 5 months	3,000 set 15,000 refills
2	Compressed Rice Husk- Large Bars	11,13,525 KGS

Tender schedules will be available in the addresses below on working days from 10 am to 4 pm from 15/10/2018 to 23/10/2018.

- FIVDB Central Office, Doloipara, Khadimnagar, Sylhet 3103
- FIVDB Dhaka Liaison Office, 2/5 Humayun Road, Mohammadpur, Dhaka -1207
- FIVDB Cox's Bazar Office, Saymon Road, Moddhyom Baharchara, Cox's Bazar

Two separate tender schedules for item # 1 & 2 has to be purchased at a price of BDT. 1,000.00 each (Non Refundable). Bids filled in given format has to be submitted by post/courier in sealed envelope to reach the address FIVDB Central Office, Doloipara, Khadimnagar, Sylhet 3103 on or before 24/10/2018. Tender will be opened at 11:00 am on 25/10/2018 in front of bidders present (if any). Any incomplete or overwritten bid will not be accepted. Authority reserves the right to reject any bid or cancel the whole bidding process without explaining any reason.

A pre-bid briefing session will be held on 14/10/2018 at FIVDB Central office, Doloipara, Khadimnagar, Sylhet at 2.30 pm. interested suppliers are welcome to participate in the pre-bid briefing. No TA/DA will be provided. Tender schedules can also be purchased just after the briefing. Contact: 01763693788.

Save Meghna

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master plan of four Dhaka rivers have already been completed which will be approved in next taskforce meeting.

The seminar was presided over by Dr SM Manjurul Hannan Khan, additional secretary to the ministry of environment, forest and climate change.

Among others, Yasuharu Shinto, Charge de Affairs and Counsellor of Japanese Embassy in Dhaka and Manmohan Parkash, country director, Asian Development Bank, also spoke at the programme.

Highly

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challenging legality of a trial court decision to continue the case proceedings in her absence. In the petition, she prayed to issue a rule on the ACC and the government to explain why the lower court's decision should not be scrapped.

On September 20, a Dhaka court decided to continue the case's trial inside Old Dhaka Central Jail in her absence.

Advocate AJ Mohammad Ali placed arguments for Khaleda while Advocate Khurshid Alam appeared for the ACC.

Plan Int'l Bangladesh

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In Patuakhali, Tasnim, acting as president of the local Chamber of Commerce for a day, discussed how its board of directors can support youth and women entrepreneurs. The organisation's president Mohammad Mohiuddin meanwhile pledged to inspire women entrepreneurs in Patuakhali.

In Bhola, Sumaiya stepped into the role of Union Parishad chairman, and drafted a resolution to stop child marriage and sexual harassment and presided over a meeting of the sexual harassment prevention committee.

Meanwhile, Aznova took over the role of Barguna municipality mayor and urged councillors and civil society representatives to create a safer city for girls.

The mayor, Mohammad Shahadat Hossain, also pledged to prevent sexual harassment and child marriage in Barguna.

Orla Murphy, country director of Plan International Bangladesh, said through the campaign, the organisation is asking governments to take action to end violence, discrimination and injustice against girls and women.

Bangladesh slips

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powerful passport, according to the ranking, with visa-free access to 190 countries in the world. Singapore secured the second position with visa-free access to 189 countries. Passports of France, Germany, and South Korea, all of which have visa-free access to 188 countries, have been placed third.

Iraq and Afghanistan remained at the low end of the spectrum, providing visa-free access to 30 countries each, with Syria and Somalia just ahead with 32 visa-free destinations.

Among Bangladesh's neighbours, India and Pakistan placed 81st and 104th while Myanmar on the 93rd spot with Nepal 101st and Bhutan 86th position, the report revealed.

The statistics of the Henley Passport Index are based on exclusive data from the International Air Transport Association, which maintains the world's largest and most accurate database of travel information, and is enhanced by extensive in-house research.

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
Vacancy Announcement
Published on: 11 October 2018
Deadline for Application: 26 October 2018
The FAO Representation in Bangladesh is inviting applications of qualified and experienced candidates for the following positions to be filled as soon as possible:
1. National Fishery Expert
2. National Project Feasibility Analyst
Interested and qualified candidates will find the post descriptions from Bdjobs.com. Interested applicants are requested to send their General Profile Form (GPF) to the following address: FAOBD-Vacancies@fao.org by close of business on 26 October 2018.
All recruitment to FAO posts are made on a competitive and transparent basis. Candidates are encouraged to apply directly to FAO and follow the instructions on the above mentioned website. Please note that no intermediary is allowed to expedite or facilitate such process. All those who represent themselves as such are fraudulent and should be reported to FAO immediately.
Women candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.

ASIAN UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN
Vacancy Announcement
The Asian University for Women (AUW) is an independent international institution of higher learning for women from across Asia, currently looking for suitable candidate for the following position. We welcome applications from female candidates.
1. Deputy Registrar
Detailed information/job descriptions for above position is available at: <http://asian-university.org/career-opportunities/>
As an equal opportunity employer serving women, the Asian University for Women strongly encourages qualified women to apply. The position is based in Chittagong, Bangladesh. The review of applications will begin immediately. Only short listed candidates will be contacted. **Deadline:** October 25, 2018
www.asian-university.org

BIRDEM GENERAL HOSPITAL
(An Enterprise of Diabetic Association of Bangladesh)
122 Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
INVITATION FOR TENDERS
01. Name of Works
1) Supply, Installation & Commissioning of Electro-Medical Equipment for Operation Theater of BIRDEM General Hospital.
2) Supply and Laying of self leveling epoxy on floor and damp proof epoxy paint on wall of renovated operation theater complex.
02. Invitation Ref. & Date
BIRDEM/Pur.(L)/ 2018/11 Dated: 10 October '2018.
03. Details of Work
Package : 1 : Supply, Installation & Commissioning of Electro-Medical Equipment for Operation Theater of BIRDEM General Hospital
Lot-A : OT Light , Lot-B: OT Table , Lot-C: Anesthesia Machine Lot-D: Diathermy Machine , Lot-E: Patient Monitor ,Lot-F: Hospital Bed , Lot-G: Suction Machine
Package: 2 : Supply and Laying of self Leveling epoxy on floor and damp proof epoxy paint on wall of renovated operation theater complex.
04. Procurement Method
Open Tendering Method (OTM)
05. Source of fund
BIRDEM General Hospital
06. Date of selling tender documents :
Tender documents will be available from **11 October 2018 to 31 October 2018** on all working days (09.00 am–1.00 pm)
07. Price of tender Document
Tk: 5,000.00 (Five Thousand) only.
08. Tender closing date
01 November 2018 at 12.00 Noon
09. Tender opening date
01 November 2018 at 12.30 Noon (In presence of the tenderers or their authorized agent, if anybody available)
10. Name & address of the office selling tender documents
Procurement Section at Room # 230, 1st floor of OPD Building, BIRDEM General Hospital.
11. Name, designation & address of official inviting tender
Prof. Zafar Ahmed Latif
Director General , BIRDEM General Hospital
12. Eligibility of tenderers: (a) The tenderers should be manufacturer or their authorized supplier/distributor or dealer of the items. (b) Each Lot shall be evaluated separately. (c) The tenderers shall have valid trade license, TIN, VAT & Income Tax Certificate (d) Other conditions are mentioned in the Tender documents.
13. Prebid meeting: A prebid meeting will be held on **24 October 2018** in the room no. – 246 at 12.00 hrs.
14. Tender security
3% of the quoted amounts have to be deposited in the form of Demand Draft or Pay-order from any local commercial bank in favour of BIRDEM General Hospital for each lot separately.
15. a Evaluation will be done lot wise. Bidder may participate in any and / or all lots
b Lot wise detail specification, terms & conditions, warranty & After sales service shall be enumerated in the tender schedule.
16. BIRDEM authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.
17. In case of holiday or any unavoidable circumstance last date of dropping will be the next working day.
Prof. Zafar Ahmed Latif
Director General, BIRDEM General Hospital