

## YEAH, SPORTS. IT'S IN THE GAME.

BPL. Who's watching? Not me.

And I'm pretty sure you aren't. Cricket, and every other sport in Bangladesh, requires proper infrastructure – plans, support, and finally development – if we even want to have a seat at the table where the big boys talk. If we want to host international sporting events, regardless if we participate in it or not, there is no alternative to nurture the talent from the grassroots level. Even if we have to stoop to a level like in the book *There's Only Two David Beckham* by John O'Farrell; highly recommended.

The BPL I grew up to know and love is the Barclays Premier League of England. Monday Night Football, Nokia Football Crazy, and that adrenaline-filled Sportscenter – those were the beautiful days. The lion logo and Fire by Kasabian theme music were part of our lives.

The madness that is football rages on. In the famous words of Sir Alex, "Football, bloody hell!"

– Kazi Akib Bin Asad, Sub-editor, SHOUT



### APP REVIEW



# WRITER

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Platform: iOS, Android

Writer is a simple app meant for writing pretty much anything. It has a 4.1 rating on Google Play and works both on phones and tablets. You can use it to take small notes, make lists, and write whole articles or novels. The user interface is sleek and minimalistic. There aren't many options other than writing plain text which makes it easy to use and quite hassle-free. You can

also create separate folders to compartmentalise your documents, switch themes from light to dark, change the font and get basic document statistics. It is a lot like Google Keep, but simpler. Almost all the features are free except for a few that are available in the premium version, which of course requires you to pay a small amount. The app takes up very little space on your phone and is lighter than a lot of other similar apps. You can give it a go if you need to take notes and have limited space on your device.

## MIXTAPE

**CRAZE**

**GARY JULES**  
Mad World



**CARAVAN PALACE**  
Rock It for Me



**PINK GUY**  
Meme Machine



**GNARLS BARKLEY**  
Crazy



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## THIS WEEK'S HORRORSCOPE

### ARIES

Some people think they know you but they don't know you are an orange, do they?



### TAURUS

Escaping yourself is cute, but have you tried loving yourself?



### GEMINI

Only the brightest flowers should adorn your bedside table.



### CANCER

Most cars look the same but some cars look like a boat.



### LEO

Music is the treatment you need not the one you deserve.



### VIRGO

Dragging your past into your present is only going to make you miss watermelons.



### LIBRA

When will you learn that feathers don't suit you?



### SCORPIO

Carnivores love humans.



### SAGITTARIUS

Blue may be the warmest colour to some, but green is the truest neutral shade.



### CAPRICORN

Life goes on. It doesn't matter if you couldn't melt your butter on time.



### AQUARIUS

Rust can settle anywhere, even in your tear ducts.



### PISCES

Scale up your progress and you'll scale down on life.

