

Boy stabbed dead 'by playmates'

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

A teenage boy was stabbed to death allegedly by his playmates during a clash over a cricket match in Dhaka University area yesterday.

The victim – Arif Miah, 14 – was a factory worker living in Nazimuddin Road area.

Abul Hasan, officer-in-charge of Shahbagh Police Station, said Arif, 14, Star that a group of teenagers, including Arif, was playing cricket near Shahidullah Hall of DU around 4pm.

At one stage, someone stabbed the boy as they locked in an alteration.

He was rushed to Dhaka Medical College Hospital where he died around 10pm, he said.

The OC said they are trying to find the culprits.

Death anniv. of Aminul Islam

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Today is the 11th death anniversary of Md Aminul Islam, a lawyer and member of the then East Pakistan Civil Service (Judicial), says a press release.

On the occasion, a dola and will be held at various mosques and madrasas in Sherpur.

His relatives, relatives and well-wishers have been requested to pray for the salvation of the departed soul.



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Participants of the Dhaka Half Marathon set off from the starting point of the competition, at Hatijheel's Police Plaza in the capital yesterday. Runners' group Dhaka Run Lovers organised the event in cooperation with Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation, where some 1,200 people took part. Winners and finishers in two categories – 21.1km half marathon and 7km mini marathon – were handed prizes and medals after the event.

Protests are part of democracy

Says info minister on Ducusu polls

OUR CORRESPONDENT, CG

Information Minister Hasan Mahmud yesterday said protests are a part of democracy, referring to the demonstrations surrounding the Dhaka University Central Students' Union (Ducusu) polls.

Contestants who protested alleged irregularities at the elections got the maximum votes in their respective constituencies, which proved that the election was fair, he said at the inaugural ceremony of the Titas Fair 2018 at MA Aziz Stadium Gymnasium field in Kirti Dewari area of Chattogram city.

"There were some irregularities during the polls, which the university authorities admitted and took immediate measures to rectify. Even then, some

parties are consistently trying to create controversy about the election," he said. BNP was trying to "fish in muddy water" around the issue, but "failed naturally," the minister remarked.

"Left-leaning parties also tried to drive away Chhata League. But right- and left-leaning parties together could not defeat Chhata League," the minister said.

On another note, Hasan Mahmud said BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia is in jail as per the order of the court. "She is not a state prisoner. She can only be freed through legal fight; there is no other way," he added.

Abdul the insurance fair, Hasan said the whole insurance sector might suffer due to the dishonesty of a few organisations.

"Public harassment caused by a few creates distrust. If this doubt is removed, the sector will obviously flourish," he said, adding the government was working to transform the country into a welfare state.

He also urged to bring labourers into the purview of insurance, so that they do not have to be at the mercy of their employers.

Ashadul Islam, secretary of financial institutions at the finance ministry; Selina Afroz, chairman of Jibon Bima Corporation; and Md Abdul Mannan, Chattogram divisional commissioner, were present among others. Md Shafiqur Rahman Pathay, chairman of Insurance Development & Regulatory Authority Bangladesh, presided over the programme.

GLOBAL STRIKE FOR CLIMATE

School students rally against climate change



Shal Climate Strike

Students, their guardians and teachers bring out a procession, demanding action on climate change and its adverse effects.

PHOTO: STAR

OUR CORRESPONDENT

Despite it being the weekly holiday, children of Barishal city gathered at their respective schools and held rallies yesterday, demanding a safe future and protection against climate change.

They also brought out a procession from Ashwin Kumar Hall to Shahed Minar, demanding climate change.

Funnie of Bangladesh is more vulnerable due to climate change and its effects.

"We demand climate justice against this risk," said Arif Jaber, a student.

"Ensure our safety; we want implementation of the Paris treaty," he added.

Sohanur Rahman, chief coordinator of YouthNet for Climate Justice, said children

of different countries walked out from their classrooms – as part of a school strike – demanding assurance of actions against climate change from policymakers.

Although schools were closed on Friday, children of Barishal brought out the processions in solidarity.

Deputy Commissioner of Barishal SM Ajor Rahman said such kinds of awareness-raising programmes should be arranged more often, to start a public discussion.

"This is just the start. We will continue more programmes on this issue," said Sakila Islam, one of the organisers.

YouthNet for Climate Justice arranged the programme with assistance from Barishal City Corporation.



Donors posing with certificates at the inauguration of Liberation War Museum's (LWM) fundraising campaign at the museum auditorium yesterday. From now on, anyone can donate to the museum through a bKash assisted payment gateway from anywhere. LWM Trustee Mdofidul Haq, bKash CEO Kamal Qudir and CMO Mir Nawbut Ali handed over the certificates to the donors.

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Contributions to LWM made easy by bKash

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From now on, people from any corner of Bangladesh can make donations to the Liberation War Museum (LWM), via mobile financial service – thus contributing to the museum's efforts in preserving the history of their

As part of the museum's latest fundraising campaign, bKash, a mobile financial service, joined in with the launch of a payment gateway on the LWM website. The event was held at the auditorium of the museum in Dhaka yesterday, says a press release.

Using the payment gateway, anyone can make financial contributions. Name, email and amount of money will be required to complete the process, and bKash will not charge individuals for said donations.

More details are on the website: liberationwar-museumbd.org/blash/

Liberation War Museum Trustee Mdofidul Haq, bKash Chief Executive Officer Kamal Quadir and Chief Marketing Officer Mir Nawbut Ali were present at the programme.

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1 Ministry/Division

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15 Eligibility of tender

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16 Brief description of works

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17 Brief description of related services

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18 Price of tender documents

Price of tender documents

19 Identification of lots

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20 Lot No.

Description/Name of works

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BNP leader Delwar's 8th anniversary of death today

UNB, Dhaka

BNP and its associate bodies will observe the 8th death anniversary of its former secretary general Khandaker Delwar Hossain.

Besides, Khandaker Delwar Hossain Smriti Parishad and Manikganj unit BNP will also mark the day.

BNP Secretary General Mirza Fakhrul Islam Alamgir along with other central leaders will offer fatafathe and place wreaths at Delwar's grave in Manikganj's Pachuria.

They will also join a mild mahfil at the late BNP leader's Manikganj residence after Zohr prayers.

A small mahfil will also be held at BNP's Bhupayan central office at 1pm.

Mirza Fakhrul issued a message yesterday, recalling Delwar's contributions to the party.

Born in Manikganj on February 1, 1933, Delwar was elected MP four times and became chief whip of Jatiya Sangsad. A freedom fighter, Delwar was involved with BNP since its birth.

Moments before she was sent to jail in 2007, BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia had nominated Delwar the party secretary general expelling Abdul Manan Bhuiyan.

Delwar was also elected party secretary general in the party's 5th national council.

He died of old age complications at Singapore's Mount Elizabeth Hospital on March 16, 2011.

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Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA)

Entrepreneurship Creation and Skill Development Project

Plot # E-6/B, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207, Bangladesh

Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) for Procurement Consultant

1 Ministry/Division	:	1 Prime Minister's Office.
2 Agency	:	2 Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA).
3 Procuring entity name	:	3 Project Director, Entrepreneurship Creation and Skill Development Project, Plot # E-6/B, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207, Bangladesh.
4 Procuring entity district	:	4 Dhaka
5 Expression of Interest for Selection of	:	5 Individual Consultant (National) (Lump-Sum).
6 Title of Service	:	6 Procurement Consultant for BIDA.
7 EOI Ref. No.	:	7 03.08.2660.014.011.19-198
8 Date	:	8 15.03.2019
9 X INFORMATION	:	9 Selection of Individual Consultants (SIC).
10 FUNDING INFORMATION	:	10 Budget and source of funds
11 Development partners	:	11 GOB.
12 PARTICULAR INFORMATION	:	12 Project/programme name
13 Project/programme date and time	:	13 Entrepreneurship Creation and Skill Development Project.
14 INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT	:	14 EOI closing date and time
15 Brief description of assignment	:	15 Procurement Consultant for 06 months. The consultant shall work closely with the Project Director in all the procurement matters includes providing support to help implementing the project.
16 Experience, resources and delivery capacity required	:	16 Minimum 08 years' experience of supply chain, business and project procurement related cross functional working experiences with PPR 2008.
17	:	17 Bachelor degree in Engineering/CT or Master degree in any other discipline.
18	:	18 Professional certification in supply chain management will be preferred.
19	:	19 Sound understanding of PPA 2006 and PPR 2008.
20	:	20 Working experience in engineering and/or capacity building project will be preferred.
21	:	21 Demonstrative capacity to work in a team environment.
22	:	22 Analytical working knowledge of English & proficiency in computer application (MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint etc.).
23	:	23 Knowledge in practical areas/aspects of procurement (e.g. procurement of goods; various forms of contracts; selection/contracting of consultant services; preparation of bidding/contract documents; for the procurement of goods, works, services; public procurement policies; sustainable procurement; advanced contract management etc.).
24	:	24 Experience in the preparation of bidding documents/Requests for proposal for procuring of goods, works and services as well as evaluation of the same.
25	:	25 Knowledge and understanding of the e-Government Procurement (e-GP).

Other details (if applicable) :

Association with foreign firms :

Not encouraged.

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