

# Misinterpretation

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different causes behind youths getting embroiled in extremism and over a hundred recommendations. Those will be available to all within days.  
Misinterpretation of religion, shrinking scope of differing opinions in politics, unhealthy competition due to market economy, and alienation induced by addiction to social media are among the main reasons driving youths to extremism, he mentioned.  
Speaking as special guest, Monjurul Ahsan Bulbul, chief executive officer of Ekushey Television, said, "Bangladesh was born with the philosophy of harmony. We all have individual responsibilities; we can't only hold the state liable."  
Pointing to the responsibilities of politicians, he said, "Politics has to be transparent and logical that will guide the youths towards the right path."  
SAMPRETI (Social Action and Mobilisation for Prevention of Radicalisation and Extremism through Enhanced and Targeted Interventions) is a project of MJF that operated in six districts of Dhaka division, and works to enhance harmony and tolerance among students of colleges, universities and madrasas.

# Don't use titles

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But they do not mention those before their names or in the official proceedings.  
"In this situation, it is not desired and expected that lower court judges... will mention the degrees before their names in their judgements, directives and order-sheets," it said.  
The HC observed that the controls of administration members and other cadres are delegated to the executive and appointing authorities concerned, who have a different system in this regard.  
So, making any comment by the judiciary about using higher degrees before names of administration officials and other cadres will be unexpected.

# Advance bus ticket

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He later bought a ticket for August 9.  
Talking to this reporter, Mosharraf Hossain, general manager of Hanif Paribahan, said the allegation of the passenger was not true as the rush of holidaymakers will reach its peak on that day [August 10].  
"No one left our counter empty-handed. Most people prefer night coaches. Perhaps, some had to change their schedule as we cannot offer everyone tickets to night coaches," said Mosharraf.  
The turnout of ticket seekers was huge in the morning, which started to thin out later in the day. The situation was almost same at the bus counters in Kalyanpur.  
Romesh Chandra Ghosh, chairman of Bangladesh Bus Truck Owners Association, said the ticket sale on the first day was good, despite the rain.  
He said their association is monitoring whether any bus operator is charging extra fare.  
Ahead of Eid, Bangladesh Railway will begin sale of advance train tickets from July 29 at several stations in the city.

# Rohingyas to hinder

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Many refugees came with horrific accounts of killings, sexual violence and arson. UN investigators say the evidence warrants the charges of genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes.



**A SENSELESS ACT...** Deb Dholaiakhal in Jurain has gone through a lot over the years. The canal has been shrunk to a narrow drain. It is also clogged up in many parts due to indiscriminate dumping of waste. The authorities concerned in an effort to save the waterbody cleaned it last month, but people have started using it as a dumping zone again. The photo was taken recently.

PHOTO: ANISUR RAHMAN

# Road accidents

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Hospital for treatment.  
Mahfuzar Rahman, officer-in-charge of Kurigram Police Station, said the family members were going to a relative's house around noon.  
After the accident, one of them died on the spot while the injured were taken to the hospital where two of them died, added the police official.  
Police seized the minibus, but the driver fled the scene, OC Mahfuzar said.  
The auto-rickshaw driver was referred to Rangpur Medical College Hospital as his condition kept deteriorating.  
In Bogura, a private mobile operator employee died as his motorbike was crushed under a speeding truck at Erulia on Bogura-Naogaon highway on Thursday.  
Police said the deceased was identified as Rabiul Islam, 35, from Gobardhanpur village of Sadar upazila.  
The pillion passenger on his motorcycle survived uninjured, police said.

# Considering everything

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waste collection at night. I have also made it mandatory to collect waste every day.  
I've introduced a hotline for residents to lodge complaints. A visible change has been brought about in the city. So considering everything, I think, I'm successful.  
TDS: Many people criticise the lack of coordination among CCC and other service providers. City dwellers suffer for this. They ask why CCC gives permission to different organisations to dig up roads so frequently.  
Nasir: Massive development works are undergoing in the city by different organisations. Consequently, people are suffering. I feel saddened and embarrassed for this.  
When a project like pipeline installation by Wasa is passed in Ecneq, I have to give them permission to dig up roads. It would be better if all service providers could sit together before undertaking their respective projects. In developed countries, such projects are done under one

umbrella. If that can be applied here, the issue of lack of coordination could be addressed duly.  
TDS: Allegations have been raised over ongoing beautification works. Are those going on in a planned way? Many alleged that shops are being constructed over drains and footpaths.  
Nasir: Who raised such allegations? Are they town planners? There is difference of opinions among town planners. We have been implementing beautification works under supervision of experts. As we have some limitations, we are outsourcing those to private organisations. They have to do the maintenance works and shops are being built to bear the maintenance cost. But those are being done as per experts' suggestions so that city dwellers won't have to face any problem now or in future.  
TDS: Were you able to address the waterlogging issue -- it was your main electoral pledge?  
Nasir: Yes it was. It's a major problem that cannot be addressed in a

year or two. A development proposal was signed with a Chinese company to initiate a project on government-to-government basis, so that people can benefit in the long run.  
But a mega project in this regard was initiated by Chattogram Development Authority last year; what can I do now? Yet, I've taken initiatives to improve drainage system so that rainwater can recede fast. I've also taken approval from the government to excavate a new canal in the city.  
TDS: What are your priorities in the remaining year of your tenure?  
Nasir: I would immediately repair all roads left in a battered state by service providers.  
Bayezid Bostami Road would be widened and development works on Port Connecting Road and Agrabad Access Road would be completed soon. The city footpaths would be widened and freed from encroachment.  
The ongoing major projects would be completed and civic amenities for citizens would be further enhanced.

# 44 more dengue

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unit (ICU), they said.  
Talking to The Daily Star, Dr Abu Hena Mostafa Kamal, in-charge of the ICU, said, "We can't say he began recovering, but his condition is stable now."  
The hospital doctors expressed their anxiety as a huge number of people are likely to return home in the northern districts from Dhaka during Eid-ul-Azha, expected to be celebrated on August 12.  
Dr Ferdous said any dengue infected person can spread the disease by getting bitten by local mosquitoes. "We advise those coming from Dhaka to use mosquito nets on an urgent basis."  
IN PABNA  
A total of 15 people diagnosed with dengue in the last four days, were admitted to Pabna Medical College Hospital, hospital sources said.  
Most of them travelled to Dhaka recently, they said.  
Dr Ranjan Kumar Dutta, assistant director of the hospital, said the number of dengue patients is increasing. They are facing difficulty to treat such patients as the healthcare facility has no diagnosis arrangement.  
"When a patient comes, we have to transfer them to private clinics for test," said Dr Ranjan. "We have already requested the health directorate to provide us with necessary equipment for diagnosis."  
Civil Surgeon Dr Mehedi Iqbal said official process is underway for examination whether there is Aedes mosquito in the district.  
Over the diagnosis equipment, the civil surgeon said, "We have already talked to the health ministry about the matter. Until the crisis is resolved, the patients will have to rely on private hospitals for test."  
IN CHATTOGRAM  
Seven more patients infected with dengue were admitted to various private hospitals and clinics in the port city yesterday, said Civil Surgeon Azizur Rahman Siddique.  
With the newly admitted patients, a total of 48 patients have been affected with dengue fever so far in this season in government and private hospitals in Chattogram, he said.  
Most of the dengue patients went to Dhaka recently, he said, adding that they suffered fever several days after they had come from Dhaka.  
UNB from Bogura reports, the authorities of Shaheed Ziaur Rahman Medical College yesterday confirmed that it had identified 16 dengue patients in the last four days.  
Twelve others with symptoms of dengue fever were also being treated at the hospital, said SZMC Deputy Director Dr Musa Al Mansur.  
[Our correspondents from Rajshahi, Pabna and Chattogram contributed to the report]



Diploma Chikitsak Niyog o Karmasangsthan Bastabayan Committee formed a human chain in front of Jatiya Press Club in Dhaka yesterday, demanding employment of diploma doctors at hospitals and clinics after creating posts for them.

PHOTO: STAR

# Novera Deepita's

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and a host of friends and well-wishers.  
To mark the day, Novera Deepita Memorial Trust has arranged elaborate programmes.  
The Trust will award "Novera Deepita Memorial Scholarship" to the student achieving the highest marks in BA (hons) examinations under DU's Department of Mass Communication and Journalism next month.  
The awardee will receive Tk 25,000. Other programmes include prayers at Novera's grave in Azimpur cemetery at dawn, donation to orphanages, doa and milad mahfils.  
A book titled "Novera Nirupoma Deepita Deepannita", edited by her mother Adila Bakul, was published in 2015.

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The objective of this conference is to strengthen monitoring of the renewable energy systems under TR/KABITA Program. Various stakeholders under Dhaka Division including Government officials related to TR/KABITA and representative of IDCOL partner organizations participated in the conference. The discussants appreciated the quality of solar systems and after sales service provided by the IDCOL Partner Organizations.  
Mr. Md. Abul Kalam Azad, Principal Coordinator (SDG Affairs), Prime Minister's Office was present as the Chief Guest, Mr. Monowar Ahmed, Secretary, Economic Relations Division and Chairman, IDCOL & many others.

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All Applications should reach to Director, SAARC Agriculture Centre (SAC) not later than 20 August 2019.  
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Bangladesh

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Interested Companies can view and download the relevant RFP documents from: <http://www.searo.who.int/bangladesh/procurement/tender/en/>.  
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