

NEWS FLASH

Four Point Sheraton's latest crowning glory

Noeke Kusuma, General Manager at Four Points By Sheraton Dhaka, was recently presented with the prestigious Bangladesh's Best General Managers (Hospitality) award. This is endorsed by CMO Asia & World Federation of Hospitality Professionals.

The certification is provided by the World Federation of Hospitality Professionals. The award giving ceremony was held on 8 September, 2019, at the capital's Pan Pacific Sonargaon Dhaka.

The recognition seeks to identify and celebrate outstanding brand building and marketing deserving individuals in Bangladesh. These awards are an independent brand recognition exercise initiated to give recognition to those individuals who have achieved extraordinary success from innovative and effective people management and customer satisfaction practices in Bangladesh. The mission of the Awards is to educate and disseminate the importance of hospitality and customer service in Bangladesh.



Having 20 years of working experience in hospitality giants like Hyatt Regency, JW Marriott, Novotel and Le Meridien, and across countries like Singapore, Thailand, Malaysia, and of course her native Indonesia, Noeke Kusuma is very fond of this industry.

Despite studying to become an engineer, she switched her path many times, but always kept coming back to the hotel business. "The transition can be exciting, but it does bear a lot of challenges. You have to adapt to a new team and environment in short notice. In addition to that, you have to be on your toes when it comes to solving problems immediately," she said. Dhaka is one of the cities that has always been close to her heart, which she believes has a vast opportunity for hotel business. Therefore, she was really excited before joining here to be able to contribute to Bangladesh hotelier's world, and especially to lead the young, dynamic and enthusiastic team of Four Points Dhaka.

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/fourpointsdhakagulshan

BNDF turns one!

Bangladesh Nutrition & Dietetic Forum commemorated their first anniversary on 5 September, 2019 at Spectra Convention Centre, Gulshan.

Dietician Tamanna Chowdhury (joint secretary), gave her welcome speech, before G M Kamrul Hasan, President of

the forum, shared his thoughts on the objectives of the forum.

Shamsun Nahar Mohua inaugurated the website. The event came to a conclusion with a note of thanks by Tasneem Hasin (joint secretary) of the forum.

Marriage Solution BD gears up for the upcoming wedding season

The marriage scene has transformed altogether. But finding the right person to share a life with has just become more difficult than ever.

Maneuvering through artificially manufactured digital lives on social media is now the deal of the day for any and all match-makers.

Shakawat Hossain Shuvo, Managing Director and CEO of Marriage Solution BD, one of the biggest online matchmaking sites in Bangladesh, shared his views on this situation. "With days going by, finding Mr. Right or Ms. Right is becoming more and more difficult. This era of new technologies

has made us rather lonelier than before, instead of connecting us," said Shuvo.

Speaking from his seven years of experience, he also voiced his deep concern about the counselling system of Bangladesh. "Nowadays, we are still trying to force decisions by trying counselling with families. Families are our well-wishers, but proper counselling should come from proper counsellors. So, we should not try forcing, but rather, try counselling with motivation so that relationships remain safe and grow strong," he mentioned.

For more information, visit www.marriagesolutionbd.com

Amari Dhaka's general manager wins Bangladesh's Best General Managers (Hospitality) Award 2019

The 14th Employer Branding Awards was held on 8 September, 2019. The recognition sought to identify and celebrate outstanding brand building and marketing deserving individuals in Bangladesh. Kelly Lewis, General Manager of Amari Dhaka, was acknowledged by the Academic Council and Awards committee as an individual who has achieved extraordinary success with

innovative and effective people management and customer satisfaction practices in Bangladesh at Amari Dhaka. Bangladesh's Best General Managers (Hospitality) was endorsed by CMO Asia and World Federation of Hospitality Professionals and the Mission of the Awards to educate and disseminate the importance of hospitality and customer service in Bangladesh.

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Awadhi Food Fest presented by Kurry Accent

Foodies can enjoy the best of the heritage of Nawabi cuisine with Kurry Accent's newest food festival "THE AWADHI FOOD FESTIVAL." The food festival, which started on 13 September, 2019, will run for the next seven days.

This mesmerising food fest features items crafted by Begum Manzilat Fatima from India — the heir of Nawab Wazid Shah Ali, the last king of Awadh.

Begum Manzilat, with her legendary family recipes, passed down through generations, showed off her culinary skills at the Khandani Awadhi Cuisines, which was met with tons of

compliments from culinary experts all around the world.

Avishek Sinha, Director of Accent Hospitality, said that in this food festival, they will offer signature Chef's menus, along with festival ala carte choices like Murgh Musallam, Chatpata Fish Handi Kabab, Malika Masoor Dal, Chicken Chaap, Shahi Halwa, Tehran Pulav and much more.

Address: House 08, Road 51, Gulshan 2, Dhaka - 1212.

For more information, call 01713434075 or visit www.facebook.com/KurryAccent

Authentic Kabab Express starts journey at Banani

Kabab lovers of the capital have a new destination to head to. Authentic Kabab Express boasts an array of 32 kababs of chicken, beef and fish, plus vegetables, salad, juice and other beverages, including tea and coffee. The place was opened on 6 September, 2019 and has a live kitchen, play zone for children, VIP room, rooftop open seating arrangement, plus full family seating arrangement at their Luxury Family Table. Prices are also very reasonable.

Address: House # 115, Road # 13, Block # E, Banani, Dhaka - 1213

For more information, please call 01312-023020 or visit www.facebook.com/AuthenticKababExpress



Amazing Autumn Room Package at Radisson Blu Dhaka

For all the busy bees of the fast-paced city, Radisson Blu Dhaka Water Garden is offering an escapade in the form of its new 'Autumn Cityscape' weekend room package.

Guests can take a trip down the scenic beauty of Dhaka's very own city resort. As one of the most beautiful properties of Dhaka city, the hotel exudes a majestic aura which is amplified with the surrounding greenery. Radisson Blu Dhaka is famous for its landmark water garden, which consists of exotic plants and a beautiful walkway for guests to bask in the glory of the scenery around them. With the Autumn Cityscape package, guests will be able to sit back and relax in the midst of the water garden.

The Autumn Cityscape package includes one-night couple accommodation at

the hotel's Deluxe Room, along with complementary international breakfast buffets. Guests will also gain free access to the health club and 15 percent discount on spa services. Children up to 4 years old will enjoy complementary stay while 50 percent discount will be provided for kids between 4 and 10 years old. Additionally, a 25 percent off on food and beverage services is also applicable under this package.

Guests can avail this package at Tk 11,999+-. The Autumn Cityscape package will be available only for Bangladeshi residents till 31 October, 2019.

To know more details about this package, please call 9834555 ext: 8112, 8113 and 8114

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