Four of a family burnt in fire



OUR CORRESPONDENT, Munshigan

Four members of a family, including children, sustained burn injuries in a fire at their house in Char Muktarpur area of Munshiganj's Sadar upazila early yesterday.

The injured are Md Kausar Khan (42), his wife Shanta Begum (38,) their son Md Yasin Khan (6), and daughter Nahar Khan (3). They are undergoing treatment at heikh Hasina National Institute of Burn and Plastic Surgery.

The incident took place at 4:15am on the first floor of the building. Titas Gas officials assume the family fell asleep at night after inadvertently turning on the gas stove.

Two firefighting units brought the fire under control with the help of locals, said fire service sources.

Keraniganj mosque

Later, his son State Minister for Power, Energy and Mineral Resources Nasrul Hamid took an initiative for its restoration, keeping the main infrastructure intact.

Architect Abu Sayeed M Ahmed finished it in 2018. Meanwhile, the historic Nizamuddin Basti, a slum in the Indian capital, has received the Award of Excellence for its "outstanding achievement in placing heritage at the heart of the sustainable development agenda".

The project also garnered a Special Recognition for Sustainable Development.

Nine projects from six countries -- Bangladesh, China, India, Japan, Malaysia, and Thailand -- have been honoured by a jury of heritage experts under the awards, the UN body said in a release.

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A mission that rattled

Submariner Abdul Wahed Chowdhury, Bir Uttam, was the operation's leader in Chattogram port. Naval operations of the commandos, however, were launched in Chattogram under leadership of Sector Commandar Major Rafiqul Islam.

After the grueling training, commandos were prepared for the operation. "I was a member of the group of 60 commandos selected to conduct the operation in Chattogram port," he wrote. 'Abdul Wahed Chowdhury was made the group's commander, and Shah Alam, then student of Chattogram Medical College, vas his deputy.

"We returned to Bangladesh on August 10 in three groups, each comprising 20 commandos. But the 20 in the third group could not reach Chattogram city, as they were stranded at Mirsarai upazila. Meanwhile, three of the 40 could not report to the commander," he said.

On the morning of August 15, Commander Wahed said the operation would start that night -- it would be conducted at the same time at all naval and sea ports of East Pakistan.

To coordinate the operation, two specific songs were to be transmitted by Kolkata's Akashbani Radio for two consecutive days, after the end of evening and morning news," the Bir Pratik wrote. The first song, "Ami Tomay Joto Shuniye situation to the whole world," he said.

Chhilem Gaan", was transmitted on August 13. The second, "Amar Putul Ajke Prothom Jabe Shwashur Bari", was transmitted on August 15. It was the final signal to conduct the operation. "This meant that the operation would have to be conducted tonight," he wrote.

We all reached Karnaphuli riverbank by 11:00pm. We were a total of 37 commandos. Each of us was given a limpet mine, a knife, a pair of swimming fins and some dry food. Group of three commandos were given targets to fix mines, and each group was given a sten gun.

After conducting the operation, the Pakistan army began searching for the commandos, while the general people felt invigorated, he observed.

Most ships and barges -- including MV Harmuz, MV AL Abbas and Orient Barge, which carried arms and ammunition for the Pakistan army -- were destroyed in the operation.

Contacted, Freedom Fighter Dr Mahfuzur Rahman, also chairperson of Research Centre for Bangladesh Freedom Struggle and Liberation War Trust, said Operation Jackpot was a huge moment of the Liberation War.

"The Pakistan occupational army did not admit that guerilla warfare was ongoing for liberation, but the operation exposed the

Playground that only exists

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walkways, audience gallery, washrooms and changing rooms for children with special needs.

Contacted, Akhter Hossain of the Ministry of Youth and Sports said, "We are progressing a bit slowly because the site is at a very sensitive location."

"When we placed the project before the planning ministry in 2019, they asked for clearance from the Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs," he told The Daily Star on November 15.

Finally, they got clearance from the parliament and sent all the required papers to the planning ministry, he added.

"In fact, I gave them a reminder yesterday mentioning that this is a priority project of the prime minister," said the senior secretary. "We are hoping that we shall get the

approval within a few weeks. After that, we should be able to deliver the sports complex within six months," Akhter Hossain further said. Asked whether the complex will

facilitate access for children with all types of special needs, he said, "We'll follow the proposed design. Since it is located within the premises of the parliament, we can't build too many structures.

Meanwhile, disability rights activists and parents of children with special needs expressed disappointment over the delay in the project.

Syeda Asma Rashida, project manager, Sightsavers Bangladesh, an INGO working for disability rights, said, "We are really disappointed that despite repeated promises from the government, the playground has not been built yet."

According to the Persons with Disabilities Rights and Protection Act, 2013, the government has the responsbility to ensure safe playgrounds for children with special needs, she said.

"If this playground is opened as soon as possible, it will give these children and their parents a huge relief," commented Rashida.

She noted that the sports complex must have instructors, physiotherapists, doctors and proper equipment to make it accessible and usable for all children with special needs.

The government should also think of building more outdoor sports facilities for children with special needs all over the country as their number is increasing day by day," she added.

Ayesha Parveen, mother of a visually impaired boy, said her fourth grader son feels frustrated when he sees that his friends can play in the school playground but he cannot.

"In fact, there is not a single outdoor space in the entire city where my son can play safely," she said.

Such a playground could be a great place for children with disabilities, she told The Daily Star.

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"Empower city governments and implement laws on decentralisation," he said.

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