



## Cricket board announces team FOR THE NEXT STUDY TOUR IN AUSTRALIA

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Bhlo Cricket Board (BCB), a board congested with cricketing geniuses, just announced the names of players they will send on a study tour set to be held in Australia next month.

Apon, the undisputed king of BCB, believes that it is more of a study tour than a cricket tournament as his disciples always insist that learning is more important than winning trophies.

“No, not this one, we will win the next one,” the king replied when asked about their plan with these “unstoppable learners”.

“They will learn this time too and we will win the next World Cup by applying these learnings. That’s why we named it ‘study tour,’” he continued.

Asked if they were following university

students’ famous strategy of “next semester theke fatiye dibo”, he said, “No, this is our very own invention. Maybe university students are using our strategy.”

The king has another plan that he learned from the recent Asia Cup.

He is going to declare the board bankrupt as he learned that Sri Lanka recently won the Asia Cup after being declared bankrupt months ago.

As learning is a continuous process, these cricket playing learners seem to be reluctant to stop learning and start winning.

Meanwhile, fans of the national team were shocked to know that their idols’ overseas learning helped them become TikTokers instead of cricketers, with every study tour ending with lots of selfies and TikTok videos.

“When I was scrolling my newsfeed

yesterday, I was bewildered by a video of one of our cricketers where he was urging people to follow his Tiktok and subscribe to his channel. I was away from social media for a few months and I had no idea what was going on. Is Australia going to hold a World Cup of Tiktok instead of cricket?” Cricketspycho Jalil asked on Facebook after being confused by a cricketer’s video.

Apart from these chitchats, a group of better halves of those who didn’t get call-ups for the upcoming study tour took the swords out on behalf of their worse halves.

“If slow and steady really wins the race, why did you exclude my husband’s name?” wife of a cricketer, whose husband didn’t get the chance to be a part of the planned study tour, asked.

Yass Kweeners rejoice as they’re the only queens in the game now

NAZIFA RAIDAH

Instagrammers, bloggers, vloggers and content creators of all kinds who are part of the Global Yass Kween movement, rejoiced as they could now not only mispronounce, but also make “Kween” the new queen as the real monarch has left the lands.

“This is like ... a significant moment in history. For all this time we felt like imposters while there was a living example sitting on the throne. But the times have changed now,” said Karishma Sanjana, who goes by the Instagram handle @sullferage\_Kween.

**“I used to be ashamed of my wealth because of how poor everyone else is. But now I can just say I’m ‘kweening’ it, without feeling socially conscious,” said Lola.**

“It always felt so odd writing “queen” with a “q”, clearly there’s a “w” in there somewhere. See, kuh..ween,” said Natasha, an Instagram blogger who thought it was ridiculous the movement had to wait so long for this shift.

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“Yesterday I was having my smoothie and while posting about it, I discovered that I was filled with a sense of ownership as I wrote #KweenLife,” said Yashika, an activist of the Yass Kween.

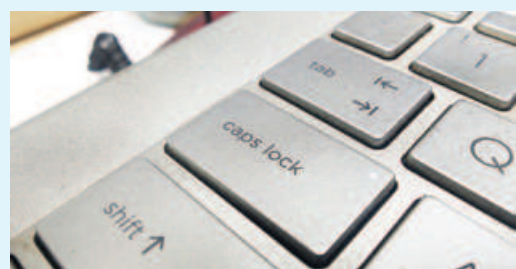


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## Everyone shouting at work after senior overused caps lock during WFH

OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENT

A workplace in Dhaka has become a public nuisance as all employees shout at each other throughout the workday.

Employees of Silent Night Inc, which produces nightlights, ended their long coronavirus-induced work-from-home (WFH) stint recently, and it seems their isolations and continued exposure to their Discord work channel have left them unfit for face-to-face interactions.

“I think it all started with one of our seniors, used to barking orders before WFH, using all caps to convey anything he thought that was important. But not everything was important. Don’t tell him I said that last bit,” said an employee who gave her name at first, but then withdrew it fearing consequences.

“Slowly, over the long WFH period, everyone just started to notice only texts that were in all caps. Nothing else registered. Slowly but surely, we associated texts written in all caps with this particular senior screaming, as he always did when we went to office.

“When we returned to work, we found that everyone was screaming.”

This Satireday correspondent got hold of the senior, who very much wanted to be named.

Manik Chillay said, “This is something I developed years ago. You see, actually doing work is not important. What really matters is visibility, and audibility. I have become a senior by doing this, by catching the ears and eyes of my boss. Very soon, you will hear people shouting thanks to me for my guidance.”

## Pound’s value falls after Charles’s image appears on banknotes, coins

ROYAL CORRESPONDENT

The British pound fell sharply after the first notes and coins bearing newly coronated King Charles’s image entered circulation.

Global economic experts think the fall reflects the sharp disparity between public perception of the Queen, who was Great Britain’s monarch from the age of 26 till the day she died, aged 96, and her 73-year-old son.

“The pound is now cheaper than the US dollar, and is expected to fall further as the new currency enters circulation,” the chief executive officer of His Majesty’s Exchequer said.

**“It took Charles all of five days to show his true colours, when he was signing a guestbook in Northern Ireland, part of a country utterly dominated and divided by the British royal family,” a Bangladeshi Queen lover said, referring to Charles getting angry because his fingers, fattened like sausages as a result of never having had to work a day in 73 years, were stained with the ink.**

“We have received reports of people not willing to accept the currency with His Royal Highness’s image on it,” His Majesty’s chancellor said.

Also, foreign countries have refused to accept the currency, calling it fake, which was the major reason behind the sharp decline of the once-strong currency, global economic experts added.

“But we will go ahead with printing bills with King Charles’s image even if the pound devalues completely, because you cannot put a price on the tradition of royalty,” the chancellor said.

“How can the Queen be a man?” asked a world leader, echoing a meme while preferring anonymity (we also do not know the legal ramifications of naming the leader).

Another world leader, a bit more progressive, said, “The Queen can of course be a man. But he is not my Queen.”

Britain is exploring avenues to arrest this world leader, sources said. An Unknown Indian said, “The Queen



was a great lady who lived her life in service. Now, we will have to live under the oppressive regime of Charles III. We all know how oppressive the royal family is...”

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In other news, the Queen’s bees have kept producing honey despite being told of her death by the Royal Beekeeper.