# President begins his 3-day Pabna visit today

UNB, Dhaka

Mohammed President Shahabuddin will begin a three-day visit to his home district Pabna today.

President's Press Secretary Md Joynal Abedin told UNB that the president will leave for Pabna this afternoon. He will address several gatherings and hold views-exchange meetings with a cross section of and people different professional bodies.

president The scheduled to return to Dhaka on September 29.

# Hit by train, teen using headphones dies in Ctg

UNB, Ctg

A 17-year-old boy was killed after being hit by a train while walking on rail tracks wearing headphones at Fouzdarhat rail station in Sitakunda upazila of Chattogram on Monday night.

The deceased Rabiul identified as Rabiul Hasan, son of Mahbubur Alam of Barishal, said Md Faruk, sub-inspector of

Fouzdarhat Police Station. Rabiul arrived in Chattogram's Sitakunda to visit his maternal uncle. Police sent the body to morgue for autopsy.



in Tangail's Delduar upazila are spending busy days invested in bamboo crafting. These environment-friendly handicrafts are garnering more attention locally and globally. The photos were taken recently.





# Kidnapped boy found dead, 2 held

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Patuakhali

Police recovered the body of a 10-year-old child in Patuakhali early Monday, six days after he was kidnapped.

The victim, Md Ratul, was the son of Golam Rahman Liton from Chhota Auliapur village.

Superintendent of Police in Patuakhali Md Saidul Islam said the body was recovered from an abandoned house.

The incident occurred in Chhota Auliapur village in Sadar upazila.

The body was sent to Patuakhali Medical College Hospital for autopsy.

The deceased was a second-grader at Auliapur

Hat Government Primary School. Two individuals, Anwar Hossain, 45, and Hanif

Howlader, 41, were arrested in this connection, said the SP. They confessed to their involvement at court,

said Patuakhali Police Station Sub-inspector Alauddin Shikder, the investigating officer.

The accused entered Golam Rahman Liton's house on September 18 night, stole valuables and kidnapped the boy while the family was asleep,

Later, Golam Rahman filed a case against unidentified perpetrators with the police station,

# Villages of artisans

## Bamboo handicrafts changing fortunes in Tangail

MIRZA SHAKIL, Tangail

Men and women of almost every house in three villages of Tangail's Delduar upazila have taken up bamboo crafting as their main occupation, turning those villages into cottage industries.

The export of these handicrafts made by local artisans of Borni, Kopakhi and Proyogjani villages is leading to a boom in this emerging industry and creating more employment opportunities

Traditional bamboo handicrafts are environment-friendly and have seen a rise in demand during recent

The products include different types of baskets, table lamp shades, mats, trays, wraps, tissue and jewellery boxes, windowsills, and bottle holders.

Nurunnabi, a craftsman from Baropakhia village invested in this

trade since 1990 and is leading this initiative along with several other local entrepreneurs.

His factory Nurunnabi Bamboo Craft, established in 2004 in Borni Dakkhinpara village, employs 60-70 workers every day, while around a hundred families of the village work from their homes.

While men in those villages are wholly engaged in craftsmanship, women do the work alongside their

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### Invitation for Tender

Mem	o No. 19.00.0000.625.04.001.22/31	10	Date: 26.09.2023		
1.	Ministry, procuring entity & district	:	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Public Diplomacy Wing, Segunbagicha, Dhaka.		
2.	Invitation for	:	Procurement of Diary, Desk Calendar and Wall Calendar.		
3.	Invitation Ref No. & date	:	19.00.0000.625.04.001.22/310, Date: 26.09.2023		
4.	Procurement method	:	OTM (Open Tendering Method)		
5.	Budget and source of funds	:	Revenue Budget for MOFA		
6.	Tender publication date	:	27 September, 2023		
7.	Tender last selling date and time	:	10 October, 2023, Time-04.00pm		
8.	Tender closing date and time	:	11 October, 2023, Time- 12.00pm		
9.	Tender opening date and time	:	11 October, 2023, Time- 12.30pm		
10.	Selling tender document- Place & address of the office	:	Senior Assistant Secretary, Room No. A-218, Public Diplomacy Wing, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Segunbagicha, Dhaka		
11.	Receiving tender document- Place & address of the office	:	Senior Assistant Secretary, Room no. A-218, Public Diplomacy Wing, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Segunbagicha, Dhaka		
12.	Opening tender document Place & address of the office	:	Office of the Director General, Public Diplomacy Wing, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Segunbagicha, Dhaka.		
13.	Price of tender document	:	Each set Tk. 1000/- (non-refundable).		
14.	Brief description of goods	:	Printing of Diary, Desk Calendar and Wall Calendar as per schedule with technical specification and supplied design.		
15.	Brief eligibility and qualification of tenderer	:	<ul> <li>(a) Minimum 05 years of general experience in printing said products of the best quality.</li> <li>(b) Tenderer should have latest trade licence, 13-digit VAT certificate, income tax pay certificate, TIN certificate, along with other conditions described in the tender documents.</li> <li>(c) Other specific qualification criteria mention in ITT 14.1 (b) Section: 2 of bid document.</li> </ul>		
16.	Special instruction for the tenderer	:	<ul><li>(a) The procuring entity reserves the rights to reject all tenders or annul the tender proceedings.</li><li>(b) Tender details are mentioned in Tender Document.</li></ul>		

Schli 26.09.2023 Seheli Sabrin

Director General

# Jamuna water level rises in Sirajganj



OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna

Water level in the Jamuna has been rising for the fifth time this year. In the last four days, levels rose by 15-20 centimetres due to the onslaught of water from upstream, according to the Water Development Board.

Water level at Sirajganj hard point was around 11.12 metres yesterday morning, just 178 centimetres below the danger level. In the last 24 hours, till yesterday, water levels increased by 18 centimetres.

At Kazipur point, within the same time frame, water levels rose by 20 centimetres, leaving it at 12.80 metres, just 200 centimetres below the danger

"We were waterlogged over three months, as the entire shoal was submerged in early July. Water levels began receding early this month. However, once again, it is rising" said Khadiza Begum of Chhoto Koyra village.

Ranajit Kumar, sub-divisional engineer of Sirajganj WDB said, "Rain upstream has caused water levels in the Jamuna to rise in the last four days. It will continue rising for the next 2-3 days, but will start receding soon."



Date: 25/09/2023

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Reference: 11.2/334/119

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