



**EDITOR'S NOTE**

**Photo:** Adnan Rahman  
**Model:** Surjo  
**Styling:** Sonia Yeasmin Isha  
**Wardrobe:** Sharmin Rahman  
**Designs**  
"Mahal" - A collection of arabesque inspired Mirpur katan by sharminrahmandesigns x nobo  
**Coordination:** Tasnia & Sushmita  
**Jewellery:** Zevar  
**Makeup:** Piash  
**Location:** Eskay Decor by Saimul Karim (Bashundhara Outlet)

Ours is a nation bold enough to embrace the future while staying true to traditions and culture. The new generation of Bangladeshis has come to realise that lifestyle goes beyond fashion, fitness, and leisure – it is a measure of society's tastes and preferences. The Daily Star has always promoted local artisans. This continues to be our endeavour and in celebration of our 34th anniversary, we take this opportunity to present the pulse of modern living. In this segment, we dive straight into the trends of the fitness industry, the soaring popularity of marathons, the rise in podcasts, the boom of stand-up comedy, etc. We look into the field of contemporary architecture that is creating extraordinary strides, as well as venturing into new territories in interior design that redefine our lives. As the fashion industry continues experimenting, we highlight the shifts in jewellery styling, celebrate unique local motifs, and provide snippets on traditional weaves with ways to reinterpret them. We also delve into the many facets of tourism, an integral part of any country's economic growth. As we conclude, we provide comprehensive insights on purchasing one's first car, the allure of luxury watches as an investment, and much more for those stepping into new chapters of life – curated to meet the needs of a generation ready to embrace both tradition and tomorrow. Enjoy reading the third supplement of The Daily Star's 34th anniversary issue.

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