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THIRD QUARTER FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)
Interim condensed statement of financial position As at 31 March 2025

Seraj Uddin Ahmed's death anniversary

Today is the 40th death anniversary of Seraj Uddin Ahmed, founder chairman of Elite Paint Group of Companies, said a press release.

16% children

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is lower than in rural areas and stressed the need to prioritise urban vaccination.

AL's trial

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a party and the suspension of their registration, which the LAB agreed to.

Actor Siddique

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allegedly assaulted him before turning him in. A video of the incident, which went viral on social media, shows him with torn clothing and bruises.

PRAYER TIMING MAY 1

Table with prayer timings: Fazz Zohr, Asr, Maghrib, Esha.

জন্ম বিক্রম

গাজীপুর সিটি কর্পোরেশনের ৪২ নং ওয়ার্ডের বঙ্গাণ্ডা মৌজার অবস্থিত সিলেট মহা সড়ক সংলগ্ন দক্ষিণ মুখি ৪০ কাটার ১টি নিষ্কট প্লট বিক্রয় করা হবে।

BRIDGE OVER MALIJI RIVER
Locals suffer as approach roads await repair

CITY DESK
OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh
The approach roads of a bridge over the Maliji river in Mymensingh, a tributary of the Kongscha, damaged during last year's devastating floods, have yet to be repaired, leaving thousands of villagers in hardship.

M Warisuddin Uddin Sumon, chairman of Dhurai Union Parishad, said the approach roads on both sides of the bridge were washed away in the floods. Since then, locals, with support from the union parishad, have taken temporary measures to keep the bridge usable.

union parishad will begin constructing guide walls and filling earth to reinforce the bridge before the upcoming monsoon. The work is estimated to cost around Tk 10 lakh.

Abdul Motaleb, a farmer from Gungjajury village, said carrying paddy on foot across the bridge is both difficult and costly. "Many farmers are being forced to sell their paddy to middlemen at lower prices," he added. More than 500 children from five educational institutions on both sides of the bridge use the structure daily, said Bipul Ahmed of Gungjajury. "They are the worst sufferers. Even reaching the local Dubarpar Bazar to buy or sell essentials has become difficult," he added.

491 workers killed

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workers demanding unpaid wages and Eid bonuses. An additional 19 deaths occurred due to preventable workplace hazards during this period. Domestic and child workers remain particularly vulnerable. Over the past three years, 30 domestic workers were reportedly killed and 28 seriously injured by employers.

The organisation also urged the government to enforce laws prohibiting workplace discrimination and sexual harassment, particularly in the garment sector, and to take immediate steps to eradicate child labour. This, it argued, must be backed by expanded access to education and social protection schemes. Improving the living standards of tea workers through revised wages, better housing and accessible healthcare was also highlighted as a priority, along with extending legal and social protections to informal workers such as domestic workers, rickshaw-pullers and day labourers.

Actor Siddique

Siddique had earlier collected a nomination from AL to contest the Dhaka-17 by-election following the death of MP and veteran actor Akbar Hossain Pathan Farooque in 2023. However, he did not receive the party's nomination.

BSRM School

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Alihussain Akberali, FCA; Tamara Hasan Abed, chairperson of the Board of Trustees of BRAC University; and Prof Syed Ferhat Anwar, vice-chancellor, spoke on the occasion. Prof Arshad M Chowdhury, dean of the BSRM School of Engineering, delivered the welcome speech, while Khairul Basher, director of communications at BRAC University, moderated the event.

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নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি
আসেসমেন্টের শিক্ষা প্রতিষ্ঠানের (স্কুল ও কলেজ) জরুরি ক্যাড্রেতে ২০২৫ অস্ট্রেলীয় আন্তর্জাতিক স্কুলের (স্কুল) শিক্ষক নিয়োগের জন্য নিম্নলিখিত বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশ করা হল।

Bangladesh sees rise

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journalists, and talk show hosts. They often used clickbait headlines, misleading thumbnails, and distorted quotes from guests, the report said. Dismislab found that 20 of the 29 channels posting these videos were created after Bangladesh's political transition in August 2024.

About 90 percent of the videos carried advertisements, indicating that both the content creators and YouTube were profiting from the disinformation. Roughly 40 percent of the videos targeted the interim government, while 20 percent went after the National Citizen Party. BNP and Awami League were each targeted in about 10 percent of the videos. Across social media, fact-checking organisations published 1,326 fact-check reports since the beginning of 2025. Nearly half of these countered political misinformation, while 13 percent focused on religion. Disinformation related to crime and public safety rose sevenfold during the same period, said the report.

landscape, both as a source and a target. About 68 percent of the false claims portrayed the party or its leaders in a favourable light. In contrast, nearly all misinformation about the interim government and other political parties had a negative tone, the report stated.

"Much of the fact-checked misinformation around AL involved old or unrelated protest footage, falsely shared as recent rallies," the report said. Other false narratives claimed that Sheikh Hasina had met UN and EU delegations in New Delhi, where she had taken shelter after her ouster, or that she would meet world leaders elsewhere, the report stated. Student movement coordinators were among the hardest hit by misinformation campaigns. Dismislab found that at least three female student leaders were targeted with doctored images falsely depicting them in sexually explicit situations. Mass media outlets also contributed to spreading political misinformation. The volume of such misinformation "surged" in early 2025, said Dismislab.

In Loving Memory of Moin Uddin Ahmed (Ronnie) 1962-2025
We are deeply saddened by the passing of Moin Uddin Ahmed (Ronnie), who left us on the evening of April 26, 2025 at the age of 62. He breathed his last at Bangladesh Specialized Hospital, Shyamali.

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