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Newsbrief

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus said, the importance of the language movement in the history of nation's liberation struggle is immense as through this movement the foundation of a non-communal, democratic, language-based nation and state system was laid. The Chief Adviser said this while inaugurating a four-day programme marking the Great Martyrs' Day and International Mother Language Day-2025 at International Mother Language Institute in the capital yesterday. The Chief Adviser also congratulated the recipients of the medals and awardees in the Olympiad.

Sri Lankan Prime Minister Dr. Harini Amarasuriya paid homage the language martyrs of Bangladesh and appreciated Bangladesh's initiative for preserving the mother tongues and linguistic diversity. Sri Lankan Prime Minister said this while addressing a function organized by Bangladesh High Commission (BHC) in Colombo to observe the International Mother Language Day, according to a press release of the BHC yesterday.

Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives and Youth and Sports Adviser Asif Mahmud Sajib Bhuiyan today said police superintendents (SPs) who were involved in the "night-time voting" during the 2018 election would either be made OSD or sent to forced retirement.

Bangladesh and India agreed to take effective measures to bring down border killings of Bangladeshi nationals to zero level and conduct joint inspections in case of carrying out any construction within 150 yards of the frontiers. The two countries reached the agreement after a four-day Director General (DG) level conference of the two border forces Guard Bangladesh (BGB) and Border Security Force (BSF) of India held on February 17-20 in Indian capital New Delhi. A 13-member Bangladesh delegation led by BGB Director General Major General Mohammad Ashrafuzzaman Siddiqui participated in the conference. On the other hand, a 13-member Indian delegation was led by BSF Director General Daljit Singh Chawdhary in the conference.

Army Chief General Waker-Uz-Zaman attended the reunion programme of the Mirzapur Ex-Cadet Association (MECA) as the chief guest, according to a press release of the ISPR yesterday. Speaking on the occasion, the Army Chief recalled the contribution of the cadets in nation building activities.

The Amar Ekushey - Language Martyrs Day and International Mother Language Day was observed yesterday with due respect across the country, paying glowing tributes to the language martyrs. People from all walks of life paid homage to the memories of the language movement heroes, the valiant sons of this soil who made supreme sacrifice to establish the rights of the mother tongue Bangla in 1952. The day was also observed around the world as the UNESCO recognised the 21st February (Ekushey February) as the International Mother Language Day on November 17, 1999.

The Bangladesh Embassy in Tokyo observed the Martyrs' Day and International Mother Language Day with due solemnity. The day's programme began in the morning with Ambassador Md. Daud Ali placing a floral wreath at the Shaheed Minar at Ikebukuro Nishiguchi Park in Toshima City, according to a press release yesterday.

DSEX, the broad index of the Dhaka Stock Exchange, lost 1.1 points to settle at 5,200 points yesterday.



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