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Newsbrief

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus's 85th birthday was yesterday. BNP Acting Chairman Tarique Rahman wished the Chief Adviser on his birthday. BNP Chairperson's Private Secretary ABM Abdus Sattar went to the Chief Adviser's office with a bouquet of flowers and a cake on behalf of Tarique Rahman. Major General Ferdousi Hasan Selim, Military Secretary to the Chief Adviser, received the bouquet and the cake. The Chief Adviser expressed his gratitude to BNP Acting Chairman Tarique Rahman after receiving the floral greetings. This information was given in a press release sent to the media by the BNP media wing yesterday.

Planning Adviser Wahid Uddin Mahmud said, their sole objective is to hold a free and fair national election. The Adviser said this while speaking at a view-sharing meeting at the local circuit house with government service providers, development plan implementing agencies and administrative officials of Chattogram division yesterday. The Adviser also said, they are approving projects that can be swiftly implemented and focusing on initiating crucial projects for the country.

Industries Adviser Adilur Rahman Khan said, Bangladesh Standards and Testing Institution (BSTI) has been playing a leading role in the country's economic development and the protection of consumer rights. The Adviser expressed the views while inaugurating the 10-storied building with a state-of-the-art self-contained laboratory of BSTI at Agrabad commercial area in Chattogram yesterday.

Environment, Forest and Climate Change Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan said, forests and natural resources are not only crucial for the environment but also foundational to the economy, biodiversity and the security of future generations. The Adviser said this while virtually addressing a meeting held at the Forest Department headquarters in Dhaka yesterday. The Adviser also said, forests should not merely be viewed through the lens of carbon trading, rather as vital providers of oxygen and as habitats for biodiversity.

Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives Adviser Asif Mahmud Shojib Bhuyain highlighted crucial role of rickshaw pullers in the July mass uprising, saying once they are brought under a licensing system, no one will be able to label them as illegal or harass them. The Adviser made this remarks while speaking at the inauguration ceremony of a training programme on low-speed battery operated three-wheeler (e-rickshaw) at the auditorium of Nagar Bhaban of Dhaka North City Corporation yesterday.

Fisheries and Livestock Adviser Farida Akhter said, timely vaccination is needed to prevent the diseases of the cattle and prevention of diseases is a big challenge in raising cattle. The Adviser said this while inaugurating a vaccination programme in four districts for curbing the lameness of the cattle heads through a virtual programme at Joynagar Government Primary School in Manikganj yesterday.

Chief Adviser's Press Secretary Shafiqul Alam said, the government has taken comprehensive plans for the development of Mongla Port as China has shown interest in setting up industries in the area. The Press Secretary said this while exchanging views with journalists at the Khulna Deputy Commissioner's office yesterday. The Press Secretary also said, the primary goal of the mass uprising in July 2024 was to restore democracy in Bangladesh and the interim government has taken all necessary measures to ensure a free and fair election to this end. Upcoming national election will be the most credible and peaceful one in the country's history, added the Secretary.

Faiz Ahmed Taiyeb, Special Assistant to the Chief Adviser of the Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology said, data classification is being incorporated into the Personal Data Protection Act. He said this while addressing a seminar at the Press Institute Bangladesh in the capital yesterday.

One dengue patient died and 262 were hospitalized all over the country during the last 24 hours, according to a press release issued by the Directorate General of Health Services yesterday.



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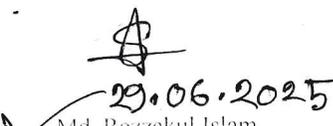
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