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Press release
Observing Summer Solstice Day

Anushandhitshu Chokro, leading science organization of Bangladesh is going to observe The Summer Solstice Day throughout Bangladesh for the first time. The program will observe at Bishwa Shahitta Kendra in Bangla Motor tomorrow in 21 June, 2007. It is to be noted that the day is the longest day in northern hemisphere. In this day the sun remains on the summer solstice line perpendicularly/vertically for a certain time and the summer solstice line passes on the middle of Bangladesh.

Though the day is observed in many countries of the world, but in Bangladesh it is going to be celebrated for the first time. The day will be celebrated with different programs including observing sun spot and night sky by telescope (according to the sky without cloud), discussion about the summer solstice day, difference between science and astrology, environment, wall paper about sun, its history, its moving way, rare stamp collection on astronomy and astronomers etc. The exhibition will be continued from 3 pm to 8 pm and the discussion program will start at 6 pm.

In the discussion program the speakers are astronomer Dr. A R Khan, Professor Abdullah Abu Sayeed, Dr. Dipen Bhattacharya, Shahjahan Mridha Benu, Ronald Halder and young astronomer Naimul Islam Apu.

All of you are invited at the program in Bishwa Shahitta Kendra.

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