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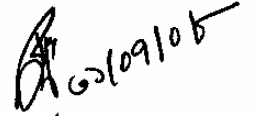
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বিষয় : Programmes on the occasion of the Anniversary of Bangladesh-Thai diplomatic relations.

ঢাকাস্থ Royal Thai Embassy বাংলাদেশ-থাইল্যান্ড কুটনৈতিক সম্পর্কের ৩৬তম বার্ষিকী উদযাপনের পরিকল্পনা গ্রহণ করেছে। এ লক্ষ্যে সেমিনার, চিত্রাঙ্কন ও ফটো আর্টিক্যাল প্রতিযোগীতার আয়োজন করা হয়েছে। চিত্রাঙ্কন ও ফটো আর্টিক্যাল প্রতিযোগীতার জন্য প্রতিযোগীদের আগামী ২০/০৮/২০০৮ তারিখের মধ্যে ঢাকাস্থ থাই দূতাবাসে পূরণকৃত রেজিস্ট্রেশন ফর্মসহ "Original work" জমা দিতে হবে। প্রতিযোগীতার নিয়মাবলী ও রেজিস্ট্রেশন ফর্ম পরবর্তী পৃষ্ঠায় বর্ণিত।



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Background

5 October 2008 will mark 36th anniversary of diplomatic relations between Bangladesh and Thailand. As 36 is an auspicious number for Thai people, the Royal Thai Embassy is planning to organize some events to commemorate this important milestone and promote the already close friendship even further.

Concept

The activities to commemorate the 36th anniversary of bilateral diplomatic ties will focus on the issues of common interest between the two countries, namely trade, investment, health & beauty, Halal industry, and education. The activities will also aim at creating awareness of Bangladesh-Thai relations among the general public so as to promote people-to-people contact between the two friendly neighbours.

Proposed Activities

1. **Seminar on “Bangladesh – Thailand: Potentials from Partnership”**: A one-day seminar will be organised on 31 August 2008 in Dhaka and attended by members from public and private sectors, civil society, mass media, academics, international organizations, and diplomatic corps in Bangladesh. Panelists will include experts from both sides.
2. **“Colours of Thailand” Painting Contest**: Students, art and otherwise, will be invited to participate in the contest by sending their original water-colour (only) painting on 300 gram paper of the size 38×56 sq.cm. (A3) under the theme “Colours of Thailand”. Judgment will be made based on the skills, technique and originality. Participants should be students of age not over 25 years old currently enrolled in undergraduate programme in a university or vocational school in Bangladesh. First prize winner will be awarded a scholarship of 50,000 taka, while second and third prizes are 30,000 and 10,000 taka, respectively.
3. **“Experiencing Thailand” Photo Article Contest**: Students will be invited to participate in the contest by sending their original photo article under the theme “Experiencing Thailand” describing their impressive experience about Thailand in one way or another. The article should be typed within 2 pages (A4 size) with related 1 photo attached (self-taken preferably with digital camera or slide film). Judgment will be made based on shooting skills of the photo and content of the article. Participants should be students of age not over 25 years old currently enrolled in undergraduate programme in a university or vocational school in Bangladesh. First prize winner will be awarded a scholarship of 30,000 taka, while second and third prizes are 10,000 and 5,000 taka, respectively.
4. **Taste of Thailand Reception**: Thai food reception for diplomatic corps and participants after the seminar on 31 August 2008 with exhibition on bilateral ties and activities of the Royal Thai Embassy (and cultural performance sponsored by TAT).

Expected Cooperation from Bangladeshi Government

1. Nominate a high-ranking representative as chief guest of the overall event and suggest names of Bangladeshi experts as panellists in the seminar.
2. Disseminate information on the activities to the general public in Bangladesh and encourage participation by government officials concerned.
3. Consider possibilities of initiating some activities from the Bangladeshi side to observe the 36th Anniversary of Bangladesh-Thai Diplomatic Relations.

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Painting & Photo Article Contest

36th Anniversary of Bangladesh – Thailand Diplomatic Relations

Organised by the Royal Thai Embassy, Dhaka

The Royal Thai Embassy, Dhaka, invites students in Bangladesh to participate in the Painting and Photo Article Contest to commemorate the 36th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between Thailand and Bangladesh on 5 October 2008.

Students are invited to share their impression on Thailand by sending original works for the contest. Participants should be students of age up to 25 years old currently enrolled in a university or a school in Bangladesh.

- **“Colours of Thailand” Painting Contest:**
 - ✓ Paint your impression on Thailand based under the theme “Colours of Thailand”
 - ✓ Original painting using water-colour technique only
 - ✓ 300 gram paper of the size 38 cm × 56 cm (A3)
 - ✓ Judgment based on skills, content and originality
 - ✓ 50,000 Taka scholarships for 1st Prize Winner
 - ✓ 30,000 Taka and 10,000 Taka scholarships for 2nd and 3rd Prize Winners
- **“Experiencing Thailand” Photo Article Contest:**
 - ✓ Express your impression on Thailand under the theme “Experiencing Thailand”
 - ✓ Original article typed within 2 pages (A4 size)
 - ✓ Attach 1 best-shot photo about Thailand
(self-taken preferably with digital camera or slide film)
 - ✓ Judgment based on shooting skills and content of the article
 - ✓ 30,000 Taka scholarships for 1st Prize Winner
 - ✓ 10,000 Taka and 5,000 Taka scholarships for 2nd and 3rd Prize Winners.

Participants are requested to send their works along with the completed registration form to the Royal Thai Embassy no later than 20 August 2008. Initial submission could be made electronically. Once being short-listed, actual works and proofs about their originality will be requested. It is then advised that photos be taken during the making of the respective works. Awarding ceremony will take place on 31 August 2008 in Dhaka.

The submitted works and their copy rights will belong to the Royal Thai Embassy. The Embassy reserves the right to reproduce such works in any materials for purposes as it deems appropriate.

For further information and application form download, please contact:

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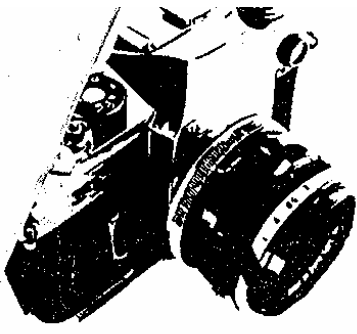
Baridhara, Dhaka 1212

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Dreaming to be ... a professional or amateur

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Painter?
Photographer?
Journalist?



If you are ...

- ✓ A student currently enrolled in a university/school in Bangladesh
- ✓ Having special interest in Thailand
- ✓ Not over 25 years old

Join us in the Painting and Photo Article Contest to commemorate the 36th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between Bangladesh and Thailand in 2008.

Share with us your experience or impression about Thailand in:

"Colours of Thailand" Water Colour Painting Contest: to win 50,000 Taka scholarship

"Experiencing Thailand" Photo Article Contest: to win 50,000 Taka scholarship

For further information and download of registration form, please visit www.thaidac.com

To participate, send your works and completed registration form to E-mail: thaidac@mfa.go.th

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No later than 20 August 2008





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Painting & Photo Article Contest 36th Anniversary of Bangladesh – Thailand Diplomatic Relations

Registration Form

Title: Mr. Ms. *

First Name: *

Last Name: *

Date of Birth: * (dd/mm/yyyy) Age: *

Photograph *

School: * School year: *

Major: * Type of Work *

Water-Color Painting
 Photo Article

Title of Work: *

Descriptions: *

Address: *

Telephone: * Mobile Phone: *

E-Mail Address:

* Requirement

Please submit the completed application form and painting/photo article to the Royal Thai Embassy, Dhaka,
no later than 3 August 2008