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UN Information Test certificates distributed to school students

By A Staff Reporter

A certificate awarding ceremony of the 4th UN Information Test was held under the auspices of United Schools Organisation of Bangladesh (USOB) at the Motijheel Government High School auditorium on Friday.

Mr. Jiya Lal Jain, Secretary General United Schools International attended the function as the chief guest. Mr. Azizur Rob, President of USOB presided over.

The certificates were distributed among the successful candidates of the 4th Information Test held in October 1973 of Motijheel Government High School, Motijheel Ideal High School and T & I School. The Test aims at disseminating information among the secondary school students and creating awareness among the young people about the role and importance of the United Nations in maintaining world peace and attaining development.

Mr. Jain emphasised the need of the test and announced that the student who would secure the highest mark in the 5th UN Information Test would be invited to attend the 29th All India School Festival to be held in New Delhi in September.

Dacca Municipal Corpn to run city primary schools

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Mr. Abul Hasrat, Mayor, Dacca Municipal Corporation, said on Friday that the responsibility for running the primary schools of the city will be returned to Municipal Corporation Management in March this year.

Addressing a reception accorded to him by the Dhanmandi Tax-payers Association he said that the Municipal Corporation would make all possible efforts to raise the standard of education in those schools.

Referring to the problems faced by the city dwellers Mr. Hasrat said that the Corporation had undertaken a Taka 10-crore programme for developing the streets which will be completed within three years.

He said that the United Nations Environment Programme had assured a grant of Taka 20-crore for ensuring cleanliness in the city. He said that the fund will be spent to provide the city with 100 playgrounds and parks. Besides, the kutchha toilets of the city will be developed, he said.

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