

RU BCL men beat up student

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ACTIVISTS of Bangladesh Chhatra League, the student-body of the ruling Awami League, on Monday severely assaulted a student on the Rajshahi University campus over a trivial matter.

The victim was identified as Sohag Rana, a final year student of the university's philosophy department, who was taken to Rajshahi Medical College Hospital after primary treatment at the university medical centre.

Witnesses said Rana and BCL RU unit activist Omar Faruk Bayezid, also a final year student at the accounting and information system department, were locked into a quarrel when they were taking their meals at Tukitaki Chatar on the campus.

At one stage, Bayezid started beating up Rana, witnesses added.

Soon a group of BCL men, including expelled BCL activist Abu Khair Mostafa alias Rinet, joined Bayezid and thrashed Sohag.

Later, BCL RU unit organising secretary Faisal Ahmed Rumi settled the issue.

'There was a misunderstanding between them (Rana and Bayezid). We have settled the issue,' Rumi told the New Age when contacted.

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