“Empowering Girls for a Brighter Tomorrow”.

Celebration of National Girl Child Day, 2019

National Girl Day has observed across the country. National Girl Child Advocacy Forum (NGCAF), The Hunger Project-Bangladesh and Ministry of Women and Girls affairs have jointly celebrated International National Girl Day on 11th October at 135 places throughout Bangladesh.

A central event organized in Dhaka followed by a huge rally, discussion meeting, and award giving ceremony to children who participated in Art competition.
The program sparked off with a rally, inaugurated by State Minister of Women and Child affairs Ms. Fazilatun Nesa Indira M.P.

Half a kilometer-long procession, led by girls in traditional apparel holding the banner with the participation of approximately 1000 adolescent girls’ and boys’ men, women, from 36 organizations and institutions, waving the placards.

After the rally, all participants have joined a discussion meeting and award distribution followed with guests of honor featuring chief guest Ms. Fazilatun Nesa Indira, State Minister of Women and Child affairs, Special guest Ms. Lucky Inam, Chairman, Bangladesh Shishu Academy, Ms. Kamrun Nahar, Secretary, Ministry of Women and Child affairs, The Meeting chaired by Mr. Jaty Lal Kuri, Director General, Bangladesh Shishu Academy. Ms. Nasima Akter Joly, Program Director, The Hunger Project and Secretary, National Girl Child Forum gave welcoming speech.
National Girl Child Advocacy Forum publication titled Konnashishu-15 (Girl Child-15) and a poster had been inaugurated by the attended guests. At the end of the meeting awards given to the participants and most popular puppet showed named Shisimpur.

The event was covered by major broadcasting channels and print media.

Earlier National Girl Child Advocacy forum organized an art competition where 400 girls and boys joined from different schools and communities.

The Very day in pictures.