

Draft Speech by the Chief Guest during the award ceremony of the RCC 1st Batch legacy foundation on 24 Sept '22 at 7: 30 p.m at RAOWA

Ladies and gentlemen,

What a great day, what a great evening! I am grateful for the opportunity to give awards to the achievers of the "core values" of the Cadet colleges in Bangladesh. This opportunity is even more satisfying to me personally, as I myself is a product of a Cadet College.

In this occasion, let me reiterate that our mission - mission of the Government of Bangladesh - is to provide each student of the country with outstanding education and every citizen the freedom and opportunities for self-expression to pursue their desired objectives in life.

Ambition always begins with a dream and purpose. Most people strive to excel and achieve their goals. Prizes and awards offer recognition and boost motivation to excel and reach for higher goals.

Hence, I would like to congratulate the 1st Batch of Rajshahi Cadet College for launching this initiative to motivate youngsters and friends and colleagues from RCC to excel in life.

It is with great satisfaction that tonight we are here to acknowledge and reward "the best Cadets of RCC for the year 2021 and 2022", and the "most significant social contributor amongst the RCC alumni for the year 2021 and 2022".

Dear and proud recipients of the "Best all-rounder cadet Awards" - excellence is what drives the world and determines individuals' level of success in life. You have just shown us all how to excel. So, keep excelling as you have done. We all, your parents, teachers, and friends are proud of you. May Allah bless you all.

For the recipients of the " social contribution award" - I would like to loudly say that not only the 1st Batch, but the entire nation is also proud of you and grateful for your contribution to the country. No country can prosper and become a proudly livable place without the participation of its citizens in social work.

All present here are surely aware that Mosharraf, the recipient of the social contribution award for 2021, also received an award from our Honorable Prime Minister for his contribution in small holding tea production. His contribution helped thousands of poor farmers to move out of poverty and saved millions of foreign currencies for our country. Dear Mosharraf, we all are proud of you!!

Dr. Kamal, the recipient of the social Contribution award for 2022 is an outstanding scientist and a pride of Bangladesh in the Silicon Valley. His contribution in kidney related health services in the country is a shining example of self-less contribution for the poor and the country. Dr Kamal, we all and the country is proud of you.

Joy Bangla

Joy Bangabandhu