

FESTIVAL OF WORDS: Sanjib Chattopadhyay (left) helps Sankha Ghosh (centre) light the inaugural lamp for the Apeejay Bangla Sahitya Utsab on Friday evening as publisher Tridib Chatterjee, Bangladeshi author Imdadul Haq Milon and Swagat Sengupta (right), the CEO of Oxford Bookstore and the director of the festival, look on. Chattopadhyay later delivered the inaugural address. The festival will continue over the weekend on the Apeejay lawns on Park Street and will feature discussions and contests. Picture by Anup Bhattacharya