

Bodoland Kickboxing championship concludes



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The 3rd Bodoland Kickboxing championship-2015 and first triennial conference of the BTC Kickboxing Association was concluded on Friday with three days colourful programme scheduled at Titaguri Iragdao [community](#) hall in Kokrajhar.

Over 150 participants from four districts of the BTAD area participated in the championship and presented their competition in various categories like full contact, light, tigh kick, low kick in various weights.

Host Kokrajhar district bagged 19 gold and was declared highest gold scorer in the championship. [Udalguri](#) district bagged 17 gold following Chirang and Baksa district each got two gold respectively.

BTC executive member for [Sports](#) and Youth [welfare](#) department graced the prize distribution ceremony as [chief](#) guest and gave the medal and certificates to the winners.

Utpal Chakraborty, GGM NTPC Salakati, Pradip Chanda, Maneger NTPC Salakati, Simson Mushahary, social activist were also present in the ceremony.

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GUWAHATI, August 17, 2026 — Assam journalist Pranay Bordoloi marked India's Independence Day with a remarkable achievement, successfully climbing Mount Kilimanjaro, Africa's highest peak, and unfurling a traditional Assamese *phulam gamocha* at the summit.

Located in Tanzania, Mount Kilimanjaro stands at 19,341 feet (5,895 metres) above sea level.

Bordoloi began his expedition on August 10 and completed a challenging five-day trek through rugged terrain, reaching the base camp on August 14. Later that night, at around 11 pm, he began his final push towards the summit and successfully reached the top on the morning of August 15.

The achievement gave the climb a special significance as the traditional Assamese *gamocha* was unfurled atop one of Africa's most iconic mountains on India's Independence Day.

Several mountaineers from Assam have previously scaled Mount Kilimanjaro, including Manish Deka, Hedayat Ali and Anupam Das. Bordoloi's Independence Day summit adds another chapter to Assam's presence on the world's major mountain peaks.



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