

Martyrs Gold Cup football



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Preparation has completed so far to host the 16th edition Bodoland Martyrs Gold Cup [football](#) championship 2015 from November [8](#) here at KDSA ground in Kokrajhar. The championship has been organised by ex BLT [welfare](#) society in association with Kokrajhar district sports association (KDSA) in memory of martyrs, who were sacrifice their lives for the caused of separate Bodoland [state](#) movement.

Altogether [10](#) teams are participating in the championship which included Jaraguri [Football](#) Academy, Salbagan FC, [Gossaigaon](#); Global FC, [Gossaigaon](#); Bongaigaon XI Star, New Model [Sports](#) Club, [Udalguri](#); Barhoongka AC, Kokrajhar; Dhupdhara [Football](#) Academy, Goalpara; Cheorapoli FC, Kolkata; Jothai Club, Gendrabail and Sanswring [Sports](#) Club, Serfanguri. Barhoongka AC will take on Dhupdhara [football](#) academy in the inaugural match tomorrow.

BTC deputy [chief](#) Kampa Borgoyary will inaugurate the opening match attending [as chief](#) guest. The championship team would be awarded Rs. 50,000 and a [trophy](#) while runners up team will be given away Rs. 25,000 and a [trophy](#).

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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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