

Gold for Laimwn Narzary in athletics



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Laimwn [Narzary](#) won gold medal in the High Jump that helped Assam athletics squad to earned five medals including three silver in the [National](#) Junior Athletics championship that concluded at Ranchi in Jharkhand on Wednesday.

Laimwn [Narzary](#) earned gold medal in the High Jump of U-18 [girls](#) category in the event recording 1.69 metre jump.

Runjun Pegu won silver medal in Javelline throw U-18 [girls](#) category which has recorded 44.01 metres. Horshad Matre and Virender Pal, individually won silver medal in 5000 metre and [10,000](#) metre run U-20 boys respectively. Raja [Das](#) has won bronze medal in 5,000 metre walk U-20 boys category in the event.

The nationl event was concluded today at Ranchi after five days long programme scheduled beginning from November 21. It was told Nimin Brahma,manager of the Assam squad.

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Reporting from Kokrajhar

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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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