

## KWS initiative for reducing man-animal conflict



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The [Kaziranga Wildlife](#) Society will initiate a series of interactive programme with [victims](#) of man-[animal](#) conflict in the recognised pockets of the conflict all throughout the [state](#). The society that [celebrated](#) its foundation day on December 12 at its [city](#) office will [start](#) the "Save the elephant Campaign" from the 3rd week of December. The starting point will be Numaligarh, a highly depredation area, revealed the secretary of the organization Mubina Akhtar.

The [Kaziranga Wildlife](#) Society [celebrated](#) its 48th Foundation Day at its [city](#) office premises in Guwahati. The programme started with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the president of the society Padum Borthakur. Speaking on the occasion, Ramani Kanta Deka, ex-president of the society request the [state](#) government to take up [state](#) wide campaign among masses to create awareness.

Former conservator and member of the State [Bio-diversity](#) Board, Rudra Goswami appealed the [state](#) forest department to negotiate with the Railway department for construction Railway [over](#)-bridges in areas of frequent elephant movements. Ex-president of the society Abani Baruah proposed creation of a list of place of occurrence of the conflict and [follow](#) a comprehensive [policy](#) of awareness and interaction.

Secretary Mubina Akhtar and member Jayanta Kumar [Das](#) will coordinate the campaign throughout the [state](#) . Anup Sarma, Raj Baruah, Ronjit Dohotia, Jagada Kanta Bhuyan, Apurba Kumar [Das](#) and Jogen Bhuyan also participated in the discussion

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