

Spotlight on Bordua



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Bardowa, the name of a place of historic wonder is throbbing with the activities of a full fledged Vashnavite nerve centre on Wednesday [as](#) the entire [state](#) soaks in the traditional fervour of the [birth anniversary](#) celebrations of the saint Shankardev. The entire place in the outskirts of Nagaon gets a fresh look with colourful cultural processions, nam kirtana, [Bhaona](#) from early in the morning to mark the 567th [birth anniversary](#) of the harbinger of nam dharma that pulled a sizeable chunk of population across the undivided Assam in the fifteenth centuries.

Talking to Assam Times organizer Harendranath Mahanta said that the entire area has turned into a heaven on this planet. Mahanta said, “Braving incessant rains that lashed the [state](#), thousands of people of all walks of life spilled into the streets early in the morning chanting the name of the saint to join his [birth anniversary](#) celebration along with other parts of the [state](#).

“The focus of attraction on Tuesday was the Jotha Dharma Totha Joi, a [Bhaona](#) which pulled overwhelmed response. Today’s attraction is the staging of the Parijat Haran drama by the saint,” said Mahanta.

Apart from these, a number of Vaishnavite scholars are participating in an open session on the occasion. Same farvour grips Tezpur, Majuli, Lakhimpur and Barpeta where the [birth anniversary](#) celebration of the saint is being observed in a big way.

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