

PRESS RELEASE



West Khasi Hills Police Observes Police Commemoration Day, Honours Fallen Martyrs

Nongstoin: West Khasi Hills Police observed Police Commemoration Day held on October 21, 2026, at the Office of the Superintendent of Police, West Khasi Hills District, Nongstoin, to pay tribute to police personnel who laid down their lives in the line of duty.



The programme was marked by a ceremonial gun salute, a solemn parade, wreath-laying and other commemorative activities to honour the courage, dedication and supreme sacrifice of the fallen heroes. Family members of (L) Inspector Betly Ryntathiang were also present to pay their respects and honour his memory.





As part of the observance, West Khasi Hills Police also concluded the (L) Inspector Betly Ryntathiang Memorial Inter-Unit Football Tournament and the (L) Constable Rel Deo Sangma Inter-Unit Carrom Board Tournament, organised in memory of the police martyrs.



In the football tournament, the SP's Office team emerged as champions, defeating the combined team of Athiabari and Malangkona Outposts. Trophies and medals were presented to the winners and runners-up of both tournaments by the family members of the martyrs.





The observance highlighted the courage, dedication and sacrifices of police personnel who gave their lives in the service of the nation, while reaffirming the department's commitment to honouring their legacy.

Gone But Never Forgotten. Their Sacrifice, Our Pride.

We salute their bravery. Forever in our hearts.