- Date: 16th August 2026
- Time: 11:00 AM
- Venue: Darrang College (Autonomous), Tezpur Campus
- Organised by: NSS Unit, Darrang College (Autonomous), Tezpur
- No. Of Participants: 33 NSS Volunteers

The **NSS Unit, Darrang College (Autonomous), Tezpur** observe **Sok Divas** on **16th August 2026 at 11:00 AM** to commemorate and pay tribute to the innocent victims who lost their lives in the **Dhemaji Independence Day bombing of 15th August 2004**.

The observation was held as a solemn expression of remembrance and respect for those who lost their lives in the tragic incident at an Independence Day programme in Dhemaji in 2004. Government of Assam disaster-management material records that the incident claimed the lives of at least 17 schoolchildren and injured approximately 40 people.

As part of the observance, the NSS volunteers assembled to pay homage to the departed souls. A **moment of silence and mourning** was observed, followed by the administration of a **pledge** reaffirming the values of peace, unity, humanity and responsible citizenship.

The programme also included the **lowering of the National Flag** as a mark of respect and mourning. The solemn observance provided an opportunity to remember the victims and reflect upon the importance of peace, communal harmony and the protection of innocent lives.

The programme was conducted in a dignified and respectful manner by the NSS Unit, with the participation of its volunteers. The observance reinforced the NSS values of **national responsibility, compassion, unity and service to society**.

- **PREPARED BY NSS UNIT,**

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