

Taliban brutally kill policeman in Helmand

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Taliban fighters killed a policeman in front of his wife and children in the southern Helmand province, police sources said on Wednesday.

Helmand Police Chief Brig. Gen. Muhammad Hussain Andiwal told Pajhwok Afghan News the incident took place in Nadali district of the province.

"The policeman had gone to visit the Bahauldin Agha Shrine in Khoshkawi area of the district, where the insurgents killed him on Tuesday", Andiwal added.

Taliban have not given any information yet, however the Mullah Abdul Razaq who introduces himself as the regional commander of insurgents has claimed responsibility for the incident.

Meanwhile, an Afghan National Army (ANA) was killed and his brother was wounded when he along with his brother was trying to carry an unexploded shell of missile in the northern Balkh province last night.

Police Chief Brig. Gen. Sardar Muhammad Sultani told this news agency the explosion took place approximately around 8:00pm next to 209 Military Corp in the Dehdadi district of the province.