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Juche 111 (2022)

In Juche 111 (2022) the Korean people celebrated the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung and the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II, the great leaders whom they had greeted for the first time in their history of thousands of years, as the greatest national holidays.

President Kim II Sung was the founding father of Juche Korea and benevolent father of the Korean people.

Born as a son of the working people on April 15, Juche 1 (1912), Kim II Sung started his revolutionary activities with the struggle to win back his country from the Japanese imperialists. In the whole course of traversing the untrodden path of the revolution since then, he always found himself among the people, pioneering the people-centred era, a new landmark in the history of humanity.

He authored the Juche idea which instilled in the masses of the people the consciousness, will and inexhaustible strength as befit the masters of their own destiny and makers of social reforms, and brought them up to be the masters of the revolution, ushering in a new era of Juche in which world-startling miracles are created.

Regarding his tireless efforts for the people as a source of happiness, he devoted his whole life to building a socialist system which firmly guarantees their dignified and happy life.

Believe in the people and rely on them at all times, and you shall always emerge victorious; if you are forsaken by them, you will always fail-this is the summary of his great life.

"The people are my God"-this was the lifetime motto of Chairman Kim Jong Il.

Born in Mt Paektu, the sacred mountain of the revolution, on February 16, Juche 31 (1942), Kim Jong II exerted great efforts in the whole course of his leadership over the revolution to build the Workers' Party of Korea founded by President Kim II Sung into a motherly party that formed a harmonious whole with the masses of the people.

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Only when a party shoulders heavy burdens and makes selfless, devoted efforts for the people just like mothers do whatever they can and even give up their lives unhesitatingly for the sake of their own children, can the party have limitless leadership capabilities-this was the political creed of Chairman Kim Jong II.

He put forward the slogan "We serve the people!" and continued his journey of devotion to bring the people's dreams and ideals into reality. All the factories, farms, fishing villages and out-of-the-way places across the country bear his footprints of such devotion.

As the people were uppermost in his mind all his life, he worried about and suffered for them much more than anyone else. His career was truly an image of the Workers' Party of Korea.

As they are firmly convinced that only victory and glory are in store for them as long as they follow the WPK, the Korean people, under its leadership, are dynamically pushing ahead with the cause of building a powerful socialist country in the face of serious trials and ordeals.

Having a great leader is a guarantee of making the nation, the country and the people also great and achieving the prosperity for the coming generations-this is the truth the past history has taught the Korean

That is why they held in high esteem Kim II Sung as the eternal President of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and Kim Jong II as the eternal Chairman of the National Defence Commission of the DPRK. Also they designated President Kim Il Sung's birthday as the Day of the Sun and Chairman Kim Jong II's birthday as the Day of the Shining Star.

While celebrating in a grand style this year's Day of the Sun and Day of the Shining Star, the Korean people grew more convinced that they will surely build theirs into a powerful socialist country as long as they are led by the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un who has inherited the cause of President Kim II Sung and Chairman Kim Jong II with the people-first principle as his political ideal.



President Kim II Sung, great leader of the Korean people

Grand Celebration of the 110th Birth Anniversary of President Kim II Sung April 15, 2022

The respected Comrade Kim Jong Un paid special attention to the preparations for greeting the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung in the most auspicious and significant way.

In particular, he proposed the construction projects of Songhwa Street and the Pothong Riverside Terraced Houses District and paid close attention to all the aspects of the projects to present modern houses to the people whom President Kim II Sung had cared for and loved so much.

Happy laughter of the people who had moved to new houses in the run-up to the Day of the Sun added greatly to the festive mood.

With great pleasure and delight, the Korean people held various celebrations.

The colourful celebrations held at home and abroad made everybody feel keenly that thanks to Kim Jong Un the tradition of regarding the people as the God is being carried on and that the Day of the Sun is an eternal holiday of the people.

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Grand inauguration ceremony of Songhwa Street held on the occasion of the Day of the Sun

A large architectural group–Songhwa Street of 10 000 flats–was newly built at the eastern gateway to the capital city of Pyongyang. People moved to new houses provided to them free of charge.

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Kim Jong Un cutting the ribbon at the inauguration ceremony of Songhwa Street in April Juche 111 (2022)

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Inauguration ceremony of the Pothong Riverside Terraced Houses District



Kim Jong Un cutting the ribbon at the inauguration ceremony of the Pothong Riverside Terraced Houses District in April Juche 111 (2022)



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A luxury houses district was built on the shore of the Pothong River. The house where President Kim II Sung had lived stood there until one year ago. Model workers of different sectors, including labour innovators, merited persons, scientists, educators and writers were provided with the houses.



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Kim Jong Un with his wife Ri Sol Ju visiting the Kumsusan Palace of the Sun on the occasion of the Day of the Sun, the greatest national holiday

birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung









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Kim Jong Un at the national meeting and mass procession of Pyongyang citizens in celebration of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung in April Juche 111 (2022)

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People visiting President Kim II Sung's native home at Mangyongdae







President Kim II Sung's native home at Mangyongdae





People from various walks of life visiting the statues of President Kim II Sung and Chairman Kim Jong II on Mansu Hill

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People visiting the Kumsusan Palace of the Sun Plaza



Streets of the capital city of Pyongyang on the April holiday









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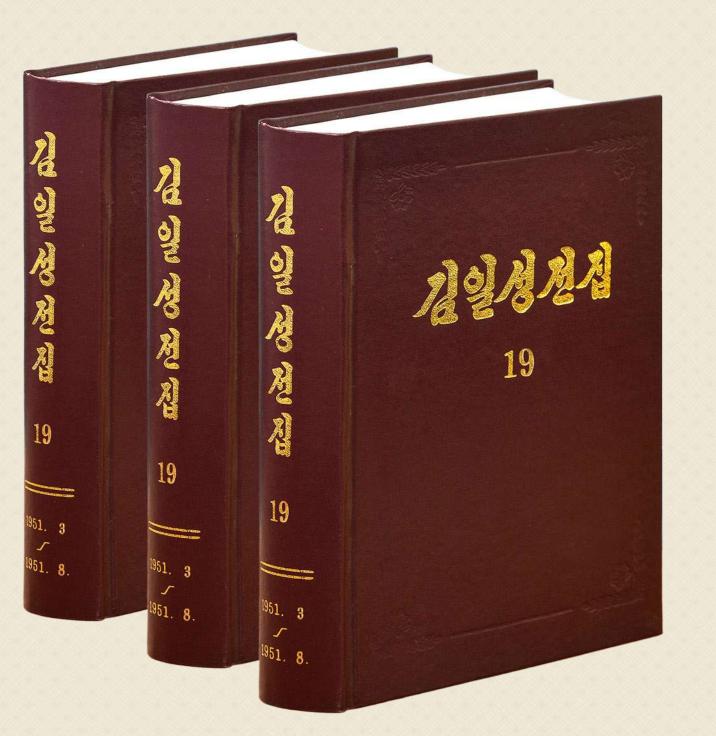
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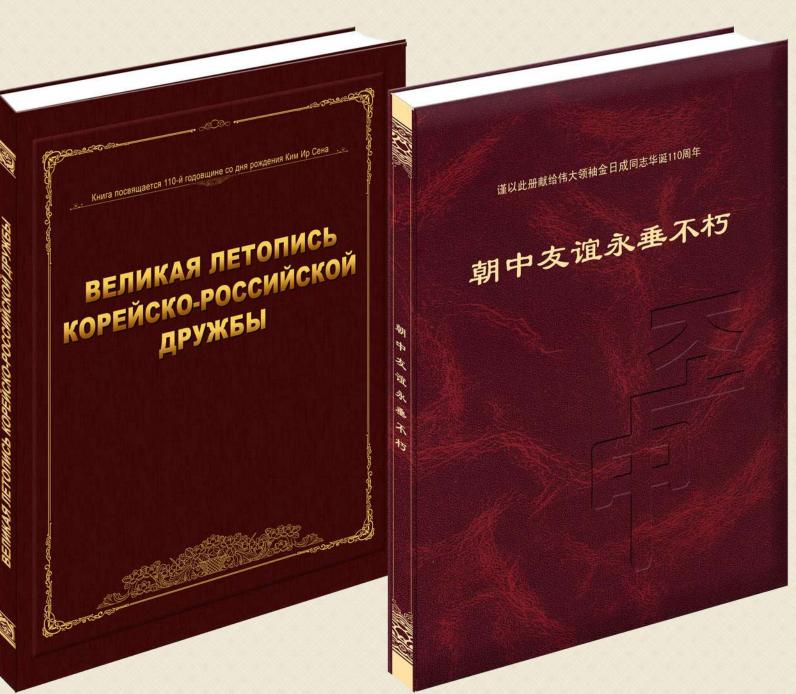
Stamps newly issued on the occasion of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung



New volumes of Kim II Sung's Complete Works issued on the occasion of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung



Picture albums, titled, Immortal History of DPRK-PRC Friendship and A Great Chronicle of DPRK-Russia Friendship issued on the occasion of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung





National seminar in celebration of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung



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National photo exhibition, titled, *The Great Father of the People* in celebration of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung

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National fine art exhibition held as part of the National Fine Art Festival in Celebration of the Day of the Sun, titled, *The Cause of the Sun Will Last Forever*







Stamp exhibition in celebration of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung

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Opening ceremony of the Mangyongdae Prize Games in celebration of the Day of the Sun



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Mangyongdae Prize National Martial Arts Championships in Celebration of the Day of the Sun



Opening ceremony of the Seventh April Spring People's Art Festival













Joint performance of schoolchildren's artistic groups from the Mangyongdae Schoolchildren's Palace and Pyongyang Students and Children's Palace Generalissimo Is Our Eternal Sun held in celebration of the Day of the Sun









Soiree of youth and students in celebration of the Day of the Sun









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Celebrations of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung held in Nepal and Laos





32nd April Spring Friendship Art Festival held in celebration of the 110th birth anniversary of President Kim II Sung





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Art troupes from various countries including Indonesia, Cuba, Armenia, Belarus and the UK











Over 60 renowned art troupes and prestigious artists from about 30 countries attended the 32nd April Spring Friendship Art Festival.



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Chairman Kim Jong II, great leader of the Korean people

Grand Celebration of the 80th Birth Anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II February 16, 2022

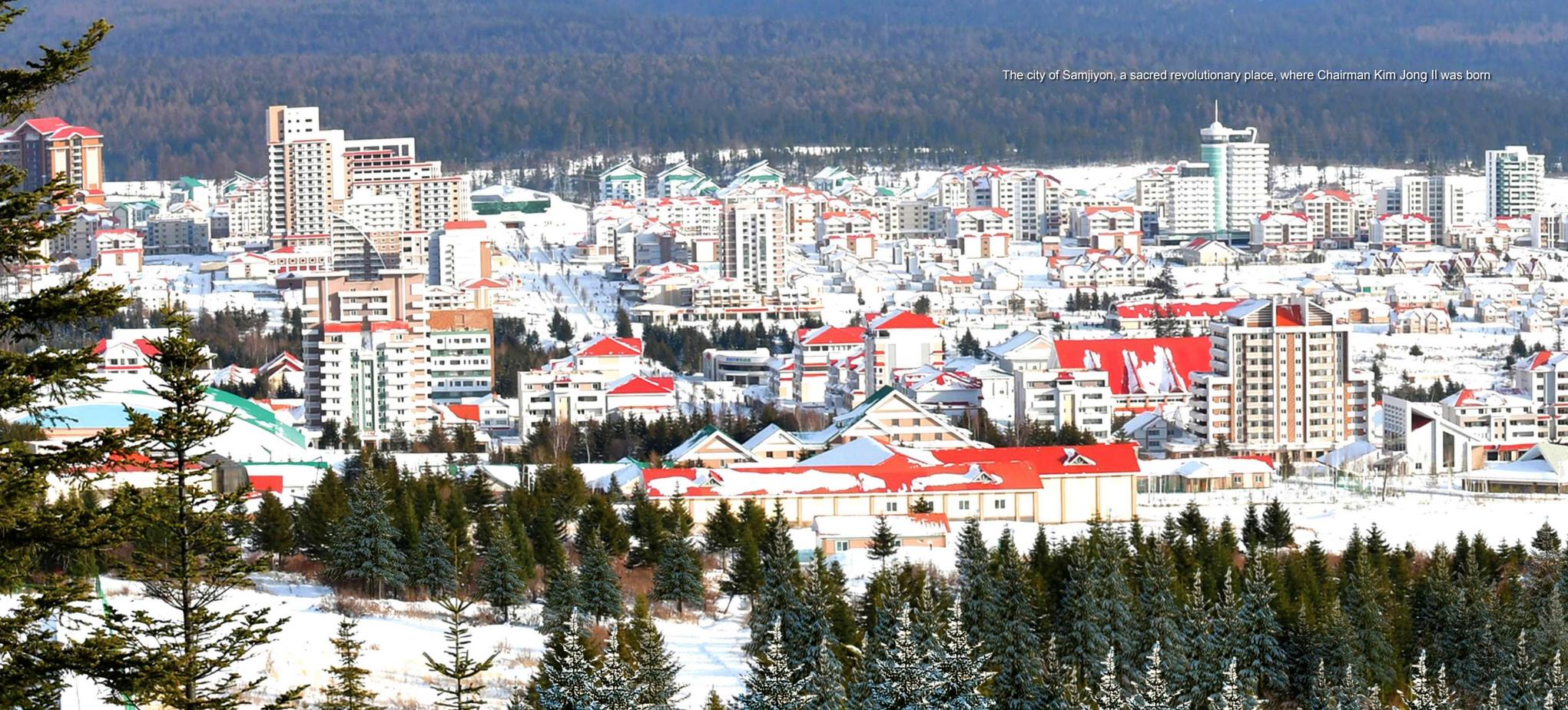
The city of Samjiyon is the sacred place of revolution where Chairman Kim Jong II was born.

Saying that building up the city splendidly was the moral obligation and revolutionary duty of the Korean people, the new generations in particular, who are the soldiers and followers of President Kim II Sung and Chairman Kim Jong II, the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un energetically led its renovation project for several years.

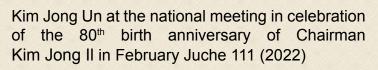
He visited the project site on many occasions, leading the constructors to build every house and public structure on a perfect level. Thanks to his painstaking efforts, Samjiyon was renovated into a model of a cultured mountain city.

The national meeting in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II was held in the renovated city in the presence of Kim Jong Un.

The growing yearning of all the people of the country for Chairman Kim Jong II was expressed in the celebration events held in Samjiyon and various other parts of the country marking the Day of the Shining Star.



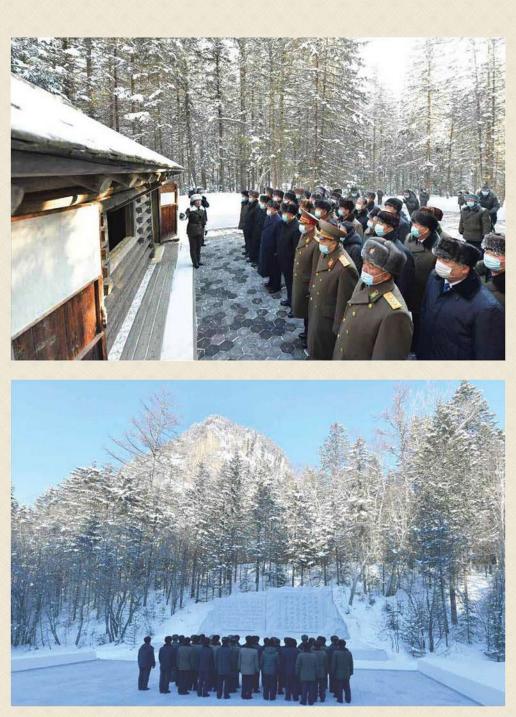
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Cadres of the Workers' Party of Korea and the government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea visiting Chairman Kim Jong II's native home in the Paektusan Secret Camp to mark his 80th birth anniversary







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Joint performance of the mobile artistic motivational teams of the city of Samjiyon and 216 Division given in the Samjiyon City Hall of Culture in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II



Fireworks display in the city of Samjiyon on the occasion of the Day of the Shining Star

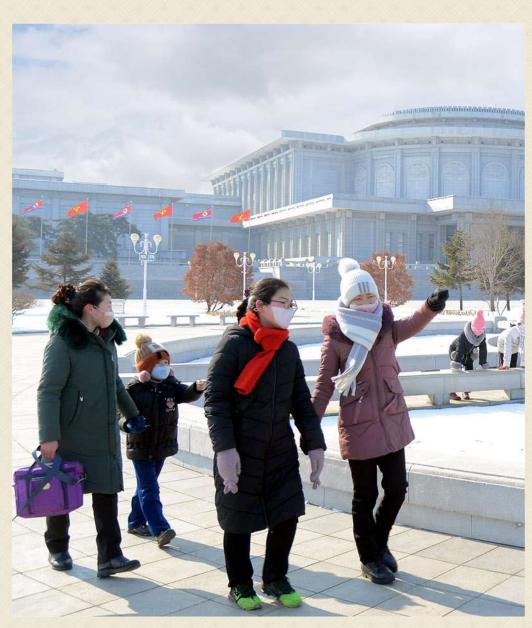
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People visiting the Kumsusan Palace of the Sun Plaza







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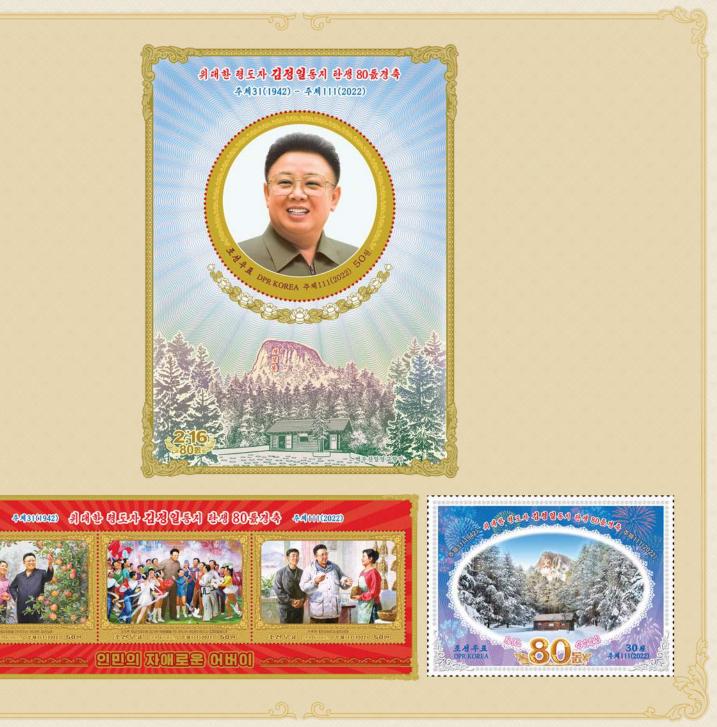






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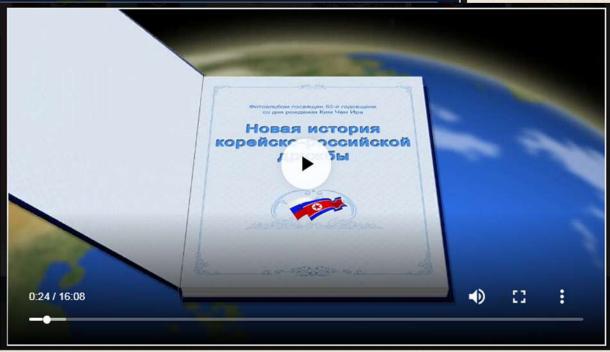
Stamps issued on the occasion of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II



Picture albums, titled, *DPRK-PRC Friendship From One Century Into the Next* and *Writing a New Chapter in the History of DPRK-Russia Friendship* and media presentations issued on the occasion of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II









National seminar on the immortal revolutionary achievements of Chairman Kim Jong II





National photo exhibition in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II













National fine art exhibition and the national sketch and calligraphy festival held as part of the National Fine Art Festival in Celebration of the Day of the Shining Star, titled, *Lifetime of Patriotic Devotion*



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Pyongyang industrial design exhibition in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star



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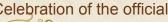


Tenth culinary skills competition in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star



Oratorical meeting in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II





Celebration of the officials and members of the women's union marking the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II





Joint National Meeting of the Korean Children's Union Organizations in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Generalissimo Kim Jong II









Taekwon-Do contest in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star



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Opening ceremony of the First People's Art Festival in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star









People's Art Festival adding lustre

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Grand performance, *Shine, Jong Il Peak*, held in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong Il

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Performance, *The Great General Is Our Eternal Father*, given by the Workers' Artistic Motivational Team of the Central Committee of the General Federation of Trade Unions of Korea in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II



Performance, I Will Carry On the March Started from Mt Paektu, given by the Central Youth Artistic Motivational Team in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II



Joint performance, *The General and the Children*, given by the members of the artistic groups from the Mangyongdae Schoolchildren's Palace and the Pyongyang Students and Children's Palace in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star









Soiree of youth and students and fireworks display in celebration of the Day of the Shining Star held in Kim II Sung Square

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Overseas Korean compatriots and the world progressive people celebrated the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II splendidly.



Central meeting of the Koreans resident in Japan in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Generalissimo Kim Jong II held in the Central Hall of Chongryon (General Association of Korean Residents in Japan) in Tokyo, Japan



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Celebrations of the organizations of the General Association of Korean Residents in China held in various places of China marking the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II





Celebration meeting of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II held in Russia



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Celebration meeting of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II held in Laos

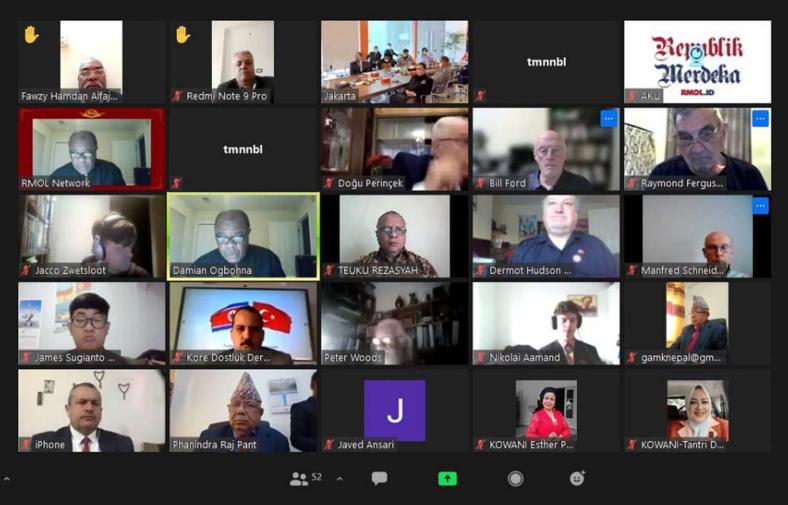


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International online seminar and a photo exhibition in celebration of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II held in Jakarta, Indonesia



Celebration events of the 80th birth anniversary of Chairman Kim Jong II held in various countries















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