

## Museum Honours Martyrs at Overseas Military Operations

The Memorial Museum of Combat Feats at the Overseas Military Operations was inaugurated in Pyongyang, the capital of the DPRK, on April 26 to mark the first anniversary of the conclusion of the operations to liberate Kursk of the Russian Federation, with due ceremony held in attendance of Kim Jong Un, President of the State Affairs of the DPRK.

The combatants of the overseas operations unit of the Korean People's Army performed world-startling combat actions in the Kursk battlefields which were being closely watched internationally. Their soldierly professionalism was wonderful, but what was more admirable was the great loyalty they had towards their country.

They unhesitatingly chose to blow up and kill themselves in order to carry out their orders and save their fellows, and shouted "Long live the DPRK!" and "Long live Pyongyang!" even at the last moments of their lives, leaving a deep impression in the mind of the audience worldwide. The world has never seen such a heroic army with every soldier, not one or two soldiers, demonstrating such unusual heroism.

Reportedly, Kim Jong Un initiated the construction of the memorial museum in honour of the martyrs who fell in the overseas military operations, and meticulously led the project so that the museum was built flawlessly. Local media said he frequented the construction site from the groundbreaking ceremony to the inauguration one, ensuring that it was built into a monumental structure of the times which helps young generations realize and learn from the spirit of heroism and self-sacrifice the martyrs displayed to defend the honour of their country.

Today, the DPRK highly regards such intense loyalty to the country and the noble sacrificing spirit stemming from it as symbols of the fighting efficiency of the KPA and of national heroism. Along with the museum, the martyrs will live on in the hearts of the locals from one generation to the next.