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Sincere Greetings! Salutations à tous! 안녕하세요!

April has been a memorable month filled with significant events - the 65th Anniversary of the Battle of Kapyong; the completion of a special study by the Standing Senate Committee on Human Rights on the plight of North Korean defectors as the UN Security Council passed a resolution to impose the toughest sanctions on the North to date, and South Korea held their general elections, to name a few. Canada remains an island of peace in the world, though within Canada, there are issues that demand our concerted attention on a range of files and issues. My staff and I remain vigilant and vow to serve you to the best of our abilities. Merci. 감사합니다. Thank you.

APRIL IN PHOTOS



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GOING HOME STAR



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TAIWAN NIGHT



WEEK IN PHOTOS: APRIL 11



ANNUAL VISIT OF FIREFIGHTERS TO OTTAWA



CANADA-BULGARIA FRIENDSHIP GROUP AGM & RECEPTION



65TH ANNIVERSARY OF KAPYONG



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### Important Links:

- [Standing Senate Committee on Human Rights: Second Session of Study on North Korea](#)
- [Statement: Firefighter Safety](#)
- [Question Period: Firefighter Safety](#)
- [Question Period: Liquefied Natural Gas](#)
- [Special Editorial: Remembering Kapyong... Lest We Forget](#)
- [Senator Martin's Speech at the 65th Anniversary of Battle of Kapyong Commemoration](#)
- [Senator Martin Honoured with PPCLI Regimental Certificate and Centennial Coin](#)

## SENATOR'S MAY CALENDAR

- \* May 1 - "The Apology" Film Screening (Toronto, ON)
- \* May 3 - Asian Heritage Month on the Hill (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 6 - Parents Day Event (Vancouver, BC)
- \* May 10 - Retirement Dinner for Hon. David Smith (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 12 - HanCa Seniors on Parliament Hill (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 13 - Strengthening Korean Canadians' Political Ability Conference (Calgary, AB)
- \* May 14 - KWCA Planning Meeting / George Derby Visit (Burnaby, BC)
- \* May 18 - National Prayer Breakfast Leadership Dinner (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 19 - National Prayer Breakfast (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 21 - Montreal Korean Language School on Parliament Hill (Ottawa, ON)
- \* May 25 - 609 Steveston Squadron Annual Ceremonial Review (Richmond, BC)
- \* May 26 - May 28 CPC National Convention (Vancouver, BC)
- \* May 28 - CPC Asian Heritage Month Dinner Celebration (Vancouver, BC)

*\*calendar subject to change (with additions or cancellations)*



### Farewell Matthew Sebastiani

Please join me in saying farewell to my Special Assistant, Matthew Sebastiani, who concludes his term in our Office at the end of April. Matthew first began as a dedicated volunteer in 2008; then as my Regional Assistant in BC for two years; and finally as my Special Assistant in Ottawa for the past year. Thank you, Matthew, for your tremendous assistance to me for nearly a decade; and for the service you have provided to many of our constituents. Best wishes in your future. ~Yonah Martin

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