

# ANTIQUÉ KOREAN MAPS, SINCE 1600

## 한국고기도전

WEDNESDAY 21 MAY 2008 - FRIDAY 13 JUNE 2008 | 주영한국문화원 KOREAN CULTURAL CENTRE UK





## THE EXHIBITION

*Antique Korean maps, since 1600* is an exhibition on Korean maps made in the Chosŏn dynasty, at the gallery of the Korean Cultural Centre UK. Old Korean maps embody the principles of natural topography pursued by the Koreans of the time, which perceived mankind and nature as an organic whole. The exhibition offers an exotic opportunity to imagine how the Koreans drew maps with the driving passions behind the work of compiling maps.

A varied programme of events accompanies this exhibition. Highlights include:

### LECTURE - MAP, REVERING THE LAND

Wednesday 4 June 2008, 18.00

by BETH MCKILLOP, Director of Collections and Keeper, Asian Department, V&A Museum

Advance booking advised via email [info@kccuk.org.uk](mailto:info@kccuk.org.uk) or telephone 020 7004 2600

Cost: Free

### SPECIAL EXHIBITION - KOREAN MAP QUILT

Multi-purpose hall, Korean Cultural Centre UK

Interacting with art through the exhibition, using an antique Korean map

### EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMME - MAPPING KOREA

Saturday 31 May 2008, 14.00 / Saturday 7 June 2008, 14.00

Schoolchildren aged 7-13 individual or group applications welcomed.

Introduction to Korea's geography; finding the sites of places from Korean folklore /

Drawing maps of Korea using reusable materials / Assembling a jigsaw puzzle of Korea

### Application

From 9.00 on Thursday 1 May until 17.00 on Wednesday 14 May

For application forms and enquiries:

Email [info@kccuk.org.uk](mailto:info@kccuk.org.uk) or Telephone 020 7004 2600

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### INTERACTIVE PROGRAMME - A LAND OF WISHES

Visitors to the event write their wishes on 'wish paper' and stick it on a map of Korea.

To break with tradition to attract visitors with a truly interactive event.

### OPINING HOURS

Mon - Fri 10.00 - 18.00

Sat 11.00 - 17.00

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