Exhibition

CHADO

Peacefulness Through A Bowl of Tea

Japan Creative Centre 29 JUNE (Tue) ~ 23 JULY (Fri) 2010

Hours Tuesday to Saturday, 10:00am - 6:00pm (Closed on Sunday & Monday)







About CHADO (THE WAY OF TEA)

CHADO is one of Japan's many cultural traditions and a comprehensive cultural practice that embraces the arts, religion, philosophy, and social life. In the 12th century, the original form of green tea was brought to Japan from China. In the 16th century, SEN Rikyu developed the philosophical and artistic principles of Chado. Not only were they the foundations of the style of Chado as we know it today, but Chado based on them has had a profound influence on a wide spectrum of Japan's traditions. Harmony and peacefulness lie at the heart of Chado, and Dr. Genshitsu SEN — the 15th-generation descendant of SEN Rikyu and eminent former Grand Master of the Urasenke tradition of Chado — has, as his key lifework, been campaigning for world peace by promoting "Peacefulness through a bowl of tea." Through this, Chado has gained followers around the world.

About The Exhibition

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Main Hall: Implements for the tea

Calligraphic scrolls by Dr. Genshitsu Sen The lifework of Dr. Genshitsu Sen (photos)

Chado video (15 min.)

Room1: The Chado environment (photos) Room2: Implements for a Chado function

Guided tours of The Exhibition (Japanese/English)

Fridays, 2:30pm

Saturdays, 2:30pm & 4:30pm

Experiencing CHADO

Demonstrations (without tea serving)Saturdays, 3:00pm

Study through Experience

Only available for group bookings (maximum 20 people per session). Kindly inform us one to two weeks in advance.

For enquiries or group bookings, please contact below.

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