



## We will create a traffic environment that puts children first! Overall improvements of the Children's Safety Zone in the District

A joint countermeasure meeting with six related organizations was held, and parental requests were actively reflected.

24m vehicle protection fence and two speed humps were installed first

Illegal-parking-CCTV-installation scheduled to be completed at the end of July

On April 28th, an unfortunate accident occurred in a Children's Safety Zone in the District. Above all, Yeongdo District is devising measures to fundamentally solve the problem by accurately identifying the cause of the accident so that such an accident does not happen again.

First of all, on May 3, the 「Joint Countermeasures Meeting with Relevant Agencies Related to School Commute Road Accidents」 was held. The meeting, which was presided over by the Yeongdo Mayor of Gu, was attended by six related organizations including Gu Hall, police, schools, Western Office of Education, Road Traffic Authority, and Yeongdo-Gu Mental Health Welfare Center to devise countermeasures to prevent the recurrence of safety accidents in the Children's Safety Zone.

At this meeting, we discussed various measures that actively reflected parental demands such as ▲The request for manpower for safe school commuting roads ▲Installation of speed humps ▲Pedestrian crossing stop line and traffic lights locations alignment ▲Safety fence repair ▲Installation of traffic light acoustic detection facility ▲Request to relocate the Fishing-Net factory in the accident-prone area ▲Installation of parking violation CCTV ▲Operation-time restriction of large trucks in school zones ▲One-way road designation on the road leading to Ilshin Marina, etc.

Accordingly, Yeongdo District has devised three measures to create safe commuting routes ▲Maintenance of traffic safety facilities ▲Maintenance of roadside pileups on the road to school ▲Psychological recovery, and counseling support.

### ● Maintenance of traffic safety facilities

First, the tubular road markers installation (100m section) was completed on the past 4th day of this month. After consultations with residents, we plan to install

them in the remaining sections. In addition to special crackdowns on illegal parking during school hours, banners will be posted to promote the prohibition and crackdown on illegal parking in the 57 Children's Safety Zones in the district (5 zones near Cheongdong Elementary Schools, 52 zones near 13 Elementary Schools). By doing so, it is our policy to root out illegal parking & stop, and induce law-abiding driving through awareness raising.

On the 17th, the installation of a 24m-long vehicle protection fence was completed, with a budget of 24 million won, on the pedestrian path in the Children's Safety Zone in front of Cheongdong Elementary School. The fence is capable of withstanding a collision with a 14-ton truck at 80 km/h; it is rated at 5 out of 1~9 rating system; safety strength is prescribed by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport through actual crash tests. Yeongdo District plans to sequentially repair safety fences in Children's Safety Zones near 14 elementary schools, starting with the fence section of Cheongdong Elementary School. Then, on the 19th, the installation of two speed humps was completed. In the section between Jabi Kindergarten and Cheonghak Heights Villa. We plan to complete the installation of protective fences for vehicles by the end of June, and the CCTVs for illegal parking enforcement will also be installed and completed by the end of July.

By the end of September, we plan to complete the installation of raised pedestrian crosswalks, runway-type pedestrian crosswalks, audio signals, and speed displays.

### ● Maintenance of roadside pileups on the road to school

Since May 3, we are making efforts on enhancing the safety measures for roadside pileups on the road to school and establishing a prompt cooperation sys-

tem. We are making efforts to ensure safety on commuting routes: first, the roadside pileups maintenance and sidewalk maintenance (12 cases) works are being carried out and intensive policing teams are being implemented to control the roadside pileups on the road to school.

In addition, based on the additional demand surveyed, according to the results of the Western Office of Education's demand for additional personnel on school commute routes in the district, it is additionally placed in Cheongdong Elementary School first; we are also discussing gradually expanding deployment.

### ● Psychological recovery and counseling support

It also focuses on wound healing for psychological recovery support.

The Western Office of Education is providing customized support according to the degree of trauma based on the psychological test conducted on the students of Cheongdong Elementary School on the past May 2. The Yeongdo-Gu Mental Health Welfare Center decided to support a psychological counseling program for teachers·parents together with the Wee Center of the Western Office of Education.

Meanwhile, The 'Children's Safety Zone' is the main school roads within a 300m radius from the main entrances of elementary schools and kindergartens, and parking-stopping of vehicles is absolutely prohibited.

Fine for illegal parking in the Children's Safety Zone is subject to a fine of 120,000 won for passenger cars and 130,000 won for vans, from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm, which is three times that of the general area.



## Signing an agreement to connect living areas to respond to population decline

On May 16, Yeongdo District signed an agreement to connect living areas with Dong(East)-gu and Seo(West)-gu, which are experiencing a population decline in Busan, and to jointly respond to the population decline issue at the grand meeting room of Seo(West)-gu Hall in Busan.



The main content of the agreement is for the three districts to jointly respond to local extinction, cooperate to improve the convenience of residents in depopulated areas, etc.

In particular, the following will be pursued ▲Step-by-step promotion of the idle space sharing project through linking living areas ▲Step-by-step activation of the integrated tourism course development project covering the entire living areas ▲Formation of a regular consultative body to promote living area-linked projects, etc. This year, through regular consultative body meetings, working-level discussions on the projects will continue and they will be gradually expanded from next year.

Yeongdo Mayor of Gu said "Let's establish a system that allows the three districts to organically cooperate from the tourism sector first then to the use of infrastructure such as childcare, education, and welfare in the future under the common goal of responding to population decline." and "I hope that this agreement signing ceremony will serve as an opportunity to dream of the future of Busan together, not just Yeongdo-Gu, Seo(West)-gu, and Dong(East)-gu."

Meanwhile, Yeongdo District, using the Local Extinction Response Fund, is currently promoting 「Creation of Light Center, Yeongdo Culture Road」 and 「Smart City Integrated Platform Infrastructure Establishment Project」. As a mid-to-long-term countermeasure, the 「Yeongdo Living Area Plan Establishment Service」 is being implemented to establish a future spatial structure strategy based on population structure and improve the overall living environment through this.

## Age-friendly 'Jeongdeun (Beloved) Village' creation·operation business agreement signed

On May 16, Yeongdo District held an agreement signing ceremony for the creation·operation of the age-friendly 'Jeongdeun (Beloved) Village' at the Yeongdo-Gu Senior Welfare Center to lay the foundation for village-level generation integration.

The 'Jeongdeun (Beloved) Village' creation and operation project is a project to create an environment where villagers of various classes, including the elderly, can live together in harmony.

Eight private and public organizations, including the Yeongdo-Gu Senior Welfare Center, attended the agreement signing ceremony and promised cooperation in the operation of programs such as local community (Sarangbang), age-friendly, improvement of awareness of the elderly, generational integration, etc.

The Director of Yeongdo-gu Senior Welfare Center, Park Seok-won, said "The 'Jeongdeun (Beloved) Village' creation·operation project can be successful only with public-private cooperation. Thank you for your cooperation. We will work hard to achieve maximum results by carefully considering how to operate stably through cooperation with institutions."

An official from Yeongdo District said: "Through this project, by expanding the link between generations in the region and creating a shared culture, I look forward to continuous inter-generational empathy and local elders acting as active agents of social welfare."



## Yeongdo District & Busan National University, Urban Regeneration Project Win-Win Promotion Agreement Signed



Yeongdo District and Busan National University (President Cha Jeong-in), on May 12, signed a government-academia business agreement for the win-win promotion of the urban regeneration project at Yeongdo Gu Hall.

At this agreement signing ceremony, attended by key stakeholders such as Yeongdo Mayor of Gu and Pusan National University Vice President Jeon Chung-hwan, the two organizations agreed to mutually cooperate for the successful promotion of the urban regeneration project based on mutual respect and trust.

With this agreement, the two organizations established an organic cooperation system and agreed to mutually cooperate in the following areas to vitalize the urban regeneration projects ▲Promotion of government-academia cooperation projects for regional revitalization and coexistence ▲Establishment of a regional cooperation system to vitalize idle spaces ▲People-to-people exchanges and information sharing for urban regeneration projects, etc.

Yeongdo Mayor of Gu said "We are expecting various synergies in the urban regeneration projects through cooperation with Busan National University, which has excellent human resources and numerous research experiences. In the future, we will continue to establish a cooperative system to create a structure for mutual growth in which the university and the local.

Sunset Concert

## Successful completion of 'Sunset Concert', a visiting concert by Yeongdo Women's Choir



On May 20, the Yeongdo Women's Choir (Director Kim Ki-Jae), a visiting concert by the Yeongdo Women's Choir, held the 'Sunset Concert' for visitors to the Yeongdo Café in the garden on the 2nd floor of P-ARK.

This performance gave a warm impression to the audience by performing various genres of music; they sang not only familiar songs such as Come Back to Busan Port but also pop songs such as Fly Me to the Moon.

Meanwhile, since its formation in 1993, Yeongdo Women's Choir has been active in music and has won various awards.

It has been actively working for the development of local culture and arts in Yeongdo-Gu through various celebration performances and participation in national choir contests every year, etc.



## The 16th National Youth English Speech Contest to be held

Registrations will be accepted in a total of 4 categories till June 8

On July 13, the '16th National Youth English Speech Contest' will be held at the auditorium of Yeongdo Gu Hall.

Hosted by Yeongdo District and Yeongdo-Gu International Exchange Council (Chairman Choi Dong-han) and sponsored by Busan Metropolitan City Office of Education and Busan Metropolitan City Western Office of Education, this contest will accept up to 80 applications in the order of receipt, from May 15 to June 8, in four divisions (Elementary School Low/High Grades, Middle School, and High School).

As the target of participation has been expanded to Busan City this year, any 3rd to 6th-grade elementary school students and middle and high school students who are residents of Busan and are attending schools in Busan can apply. However, students who have studied abroad in English-speaking countries for more than one year and students who are attending international schools or

foreign schools in Korea are excluded.

The participants have to select one topic from the three topics below and speak for two minutes and thirty seconds. The topics are ▲My happiest memory ▲My efforts to protect the environment ▲If a foreign friend comes to Busan to spend time with you. A total of 24 finalists will be selected through two days of preliminary rounds from June 15 (Thurs) to 16 (Fri).

The results of the preliminary rounds will be posted on the Yeongdo Gu Hall website on June 19 (Mon), and the prize money, certificates, and trophies will be awarded to the winners of the final round on July 13 (Thurs).

An official from Yeongdo District said: "Through this contest, we will provide an opportunity for young people to not only improve their English skills but also to mature into global talents equipped with writing skills and leadership."

## Held the 3rd Yeongdo Youth Policy Network Launching Ceremony

Yeongdo District, on May 2, held the 3rd Yeongdo Youth Policy Network (hereinafter YoungYouNet) Launching Ceremony at the Yeongdo Gu Hall Auditorium.

YoungYouNet, which is being held for the third time this year, serves as a communication and participation forum among young people living and working in the region. Unlike last year, this year, in order to broaden the scope of participation, the age range of participants was expanded to 18 to 39 years old, and a total of 30 members were appointed as committee members.

They will think deeply about local youth problems and propose policies as solutions for the next year: such as composition & agenda discovery workshops, branch activities, exchanges with youth in the outstanding regions, policy presentations, 3rd YoungYouNet activity sharing sessions, and 4th YoungYouNet discussion sessions.

Members of the Yeongdo District, Yeongdo-Gu Council, and Yeongdo-Gu Youth Policy Committee attended the Launching Ceremony, and in solidarity with the participating youth, they pledged to support policy development, reflect the budget of the youth policy, and promote projects with 'Welcome,



Listening, Respect, and Consideration'.

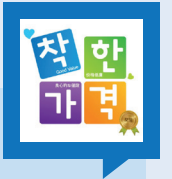
In the second part of the orientation, Eom Chang-hwan, who is running the ShimOhHan Institute, a Yeongdo youth activity group as a steering committee member of the National Youth Policy Network, was invited to give a special lecture on the understanding of youth participation organizations.

In the last Youth Policy Network, the Youth Qualification Support Project and the Employment Consulting Support Project were discovered and operated.

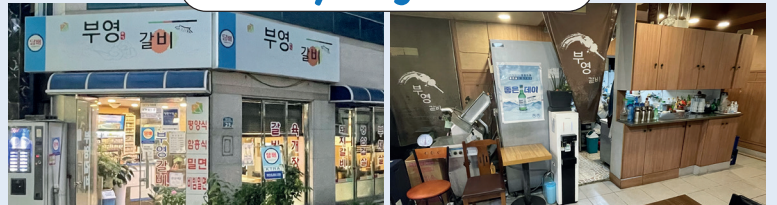
Yeongdo Mayor of Gu said: "Gathering the voices of young people concerned about youth issues that threaten the overall life of young people, and supporting them to lead to exchanges and policy activities among them and ensuring the discovered policies will be well implemented, Yeongdo Youth Policy Network will grow together as a place of exchange for local youth and a participating organization where necessary policies for youth are discovered."

### Introducing Affordable Shops in Yeongdo-gu, A.S.Y.

The A.S.Y. introduces Affordable Shops (64 shops as of May 2023) in Yeongdo-Gu that contribute to price stability with low prices and high-quality services every month.



#### Buyeong Galbi



Located in front of Gate 3 of Bongnae Market behind Haedong Hospital, Buyeong Galbi's representative menu are Dwaengi Galbi (Pork Ribs) and Galbi Tang (Beef rib Soup). Buyeong Galbi, which has been in the same location for over 30 years and has built trust with customers, is operated by a husband and wife team in their building. Even amid difficult circumstances due to COVID-19, they offer Galbi-tang(Beef rib soup)/Yukgye-jang at a lower price than the nearby shops. And the popular menu Dwaengi Galbi (Pork ribs) with its sweet and plain taste is the reason why regular customers frequent the shop continuously. What about visiting the shop to try the dish?

**Representative menu** GalbiTang (Beef Rib Soup)/YukgeiJang 9,000won, Dwaengi Galbi(Pork Rib) (200g) 9,000won  
**Address** #23 113Beongil Taejong-ro, Yeongdo-gu Busan(Bongrae-dong3Ga)  
**Tel.** 051-416-7463

#### Meorichijang Hair Salon



If you walk up the steep alley of Cheonghak-dong-ro, you can see Meorichijang among some small shops in a quiet residential area. Meorichijang which moved from Dongsam-dong to Cheonghak-dong in 2022, was designated as an Affordable Shop, with a clean interior design and affordable prices even when it was in Dongsam-dong. After relocating to the current location, it has been re-designated as an Affordable Shop with its unchanging and friendly services and continues to enjoy royal support from nearby residents.

**Representative menu** Haircut 10,000won, Perm/Hair dye 25,000won  
**Address** 50 Cheonghakdong-ro Yeongdo-gu Busan(Cheonghak-dong)  
**Tel.** 010-5419-2518

#### Yeongdo HalmaeGuksu Noodles



If you go around a little behind the Yeongseon 2-dong Community Center, you will see Yeongdo HalmaeGuksu with a green signboard. Yeongdo HalmaeGuksu, which has a youthful sensibility with its industrial design, offers an enjoyment of unlimited refills of Janchi(Banquet)/Bibim(mixed)/YeolmuGuksu(Radish Noodles) at a low price of 6,000 won. The grannies who prepare the noodles are also genuinely kind, so it's a restaurant where you can enjoy taste/sensibility/kindness. Even the pumpkin porridge served with the main dishes is so wonderfully delicious. So if you want to enjoy JanchiGuksu(Banquet noodles) at a reasonable price, let's visit this place.

**Representative menu** Guksu (Noodles) Unlimited refills 6,000won  
**Address** #18 101Beongil Jeoryeong-ro Yeongdo-gu, Busan (Yeongseon-dong 3Ga)  
**Tel.** 051-413-7272

#### Affordable Shop?

It is a business designation by the Ministry of Public Administration and Security and local governments, according to the standards of the Ministry of Public Administration and Security, among shops that provide high-quality services at affordable prices even amid continuously rising labor and material costs.



Yeongdo-Gu Affordable Shop



## Implementation of “Interpretation and Translation Services” for marriage immigrants

The Yeongdo-Gu Family Center, since March of the year, has been providing interpretation and translation services to help married immigrant women adapt to life in Korea. The main translation language is Vietnamese, and we want to help one adapt to Korean society early by providing help whenever one needs to have a conversation with one's family members or encounters a translation need in daily life.

The interpretation and translation services are divided into three categories ▲Telephone translation, ▲In-house translation ▲On-site support translation. In particular, the most common applications received are visits to hospitals, card issuance, and visits to community centers. If it is difficult to process immediately, we take a service request and help one with the particular needs.

An official from Yeongdo-Gu Family Center said: “I hope that the translation and interpretation services are helpful for many multicultural families living in the city to adapt to life in Korea. In addition, although we provide interpretation and translation services, and many multicultural families are using them, I wish that more Yeongdo-Gu people know about the translation and interpretation services.”

**Trung tâm gia đình quận yeongdo**

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## Implementation of school preparation and learning support “DaBaeUm (Multi learning)” project

The Yeongdo-Gu Family Center runs Korean language and math classes for children and lower elementary school students (ages 5-8) from April; children learn Korean and mathematics necessary for daily life and school life and participate in various play activities. So even now, children and lower elementary school students from multicultural families can apply.

As a way of running the program, the following classes are run and divided into different age groups ▲DaBaeUm Class 1 ▲DaBaeUm Class 2 ▲DaBaeUm Class 3. Classes are held once or twice a week, and each class is 50 minutes long. In addition to Korean language and mathematics classes, parent counseling and child counseling are also conducted. In addition, we also do play activities to enhance children's creativity during classes.

An official from Yeongdo-Gu Family Center said “I hope that multicultural children and lower elementary school students living in Yeongdo-Gu will become interested in Korean language and mathematics and the DaBaeUm classes help them improve their Korean language skills.”



### Program particulars

Subject	Eligibility	Days and hours
DaBaeUm Class 1	Ages 5 to 6 years	Mon, Wednesday 16:00~18:00
DaBaeUm Class 2	Ages 6 to 8 years	Friday 16:00~18:00
DaBaeUm Class 3	Affiliated institution	Tues, Thursday 15:00~17:00

## Program review

Hello, I am Cherry from the Philippines. I have been in Korea for over 10 years. I first got to know Korea when a relative married a Korean living in Korea. I also came to Korea to get married and did not know how to adapt to life in Korea at first. But with the help of my relatives, I applied for Korean classes, took interesting classes, made friends, and was able to adapt to life in Korea without difficulty. And even now, I am raising my beautiful daughter and son with the help of the Yeongdo-Gu Family Center, whose class I am attending now.

Currently, I am taking the “Eyelashes” class at the Yeongdo-Gu Family Center. At first, I applied because it looked interesting, but now that I've taken 4 lessons. I've learned that it's not only fun but one can also get a job with the skills. Now, I am still a beginner as I don't do it directly to people. Amazingly I could see improvements in my skills as I practice regularly

### Name

Cherry

### Participated program

I can do it, too!



at home. I may not be able to get a job through this class, but it gave me confidence. I didn't know what to do in Korea, but the thought of “I can do it too” gave me the confidence to do anything I want. So these days are really exciting and I'm looking forward to the class. It's a pity that there are only a few lessons left, but I want to apply again because the Yeongdo-Gu Family Center has provided a lot of diverse education for multicultural families.

