The Ownership of Gudeuljang Rice paddy in Cheongsan island

; Crowdfunding project of GIAHS



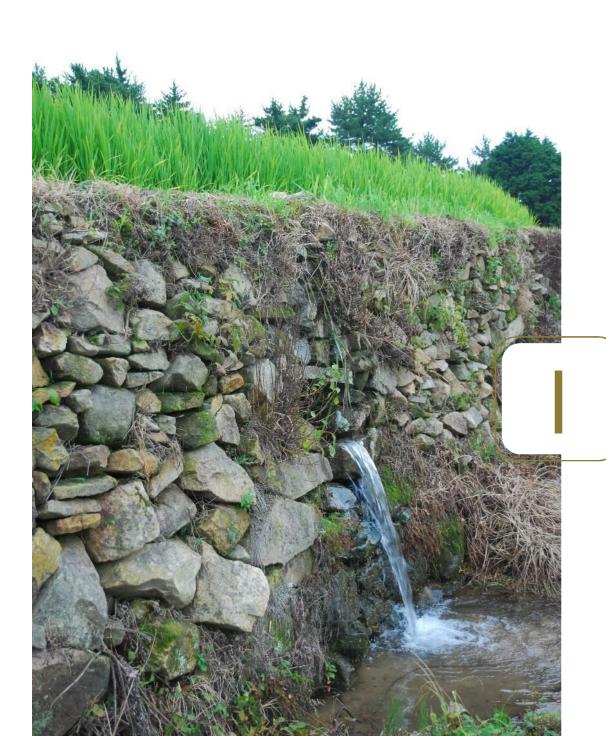




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The current status of the Cheongsan Gudeuljang Rice paddy Farming system

01. Domestic and international recognition of the value of the Cheongsan island Gudeuljang Rice paddy farming system



Designate The 1st The National Important Agricutural Heritage of Korea in 2013



Designate as The World Heritage Irrigation Structure by the international Commission on Irrigation And Drainage in 2022



Designated as Globally Important Agricultural Heritage System (GIAHS) by Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in 2014

• Designated as a heritage worthy of conservation through various domestic and international heritage systems, such as Globally Important Agricultural Heritage System, Republic of Korea's Important Agricultural Heritage, and World Heritage Irrigation Structures, in recognition of the value of the unique waterway farming system

02. Social recognition of agricultural heritage conservation management results

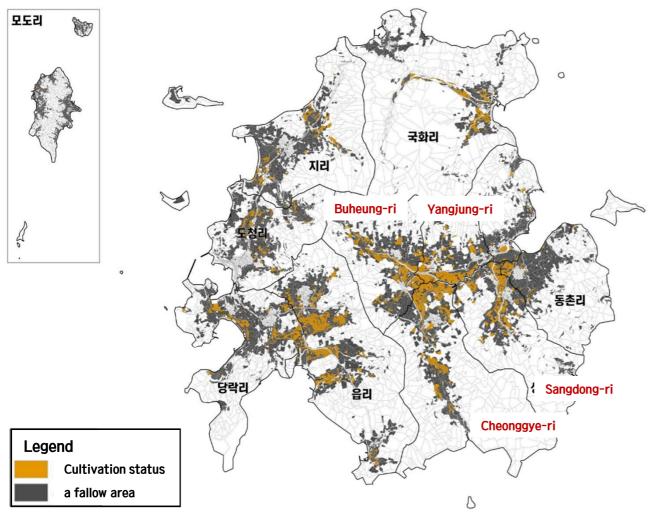






 Gudeuljang Rice paddy of Cheongsan island have been awarded a number of domestic landscape awards and international ecotourism awards based on residents' conservation and management activities to maintain its agricultural function

03. Cultivation status of the Gudeuljang Rice paddy area



[Distribution of Cheongsan island Gudeuljang Rice paddy and its fallow status]

Class	As of 2019	
Distribution of	number of plots	11,820
Gudeuljang paddy	Area (ha)	873.8
Fallow of	number of plots	9,853
Gudeuljang paddy	Area (ha)	730.8
Downston of fallow C	02 4 4	

Percentageof fallow Gudeuljang padydy (%) 83.64





* status of the Cheongsan-myeon (district) agricultural direct payment system in 2019

• As of 2019, there are 11,820 plots/873.8 ha of Gudeuljang Rice paddy in Cheongsan Island, of which 9,853 plots/730.8 ha are fallow, accounting 83.64% of the total agricultural area

04. Changes in the Population of the Cheongsan island Gudeuljang Rice paddy area

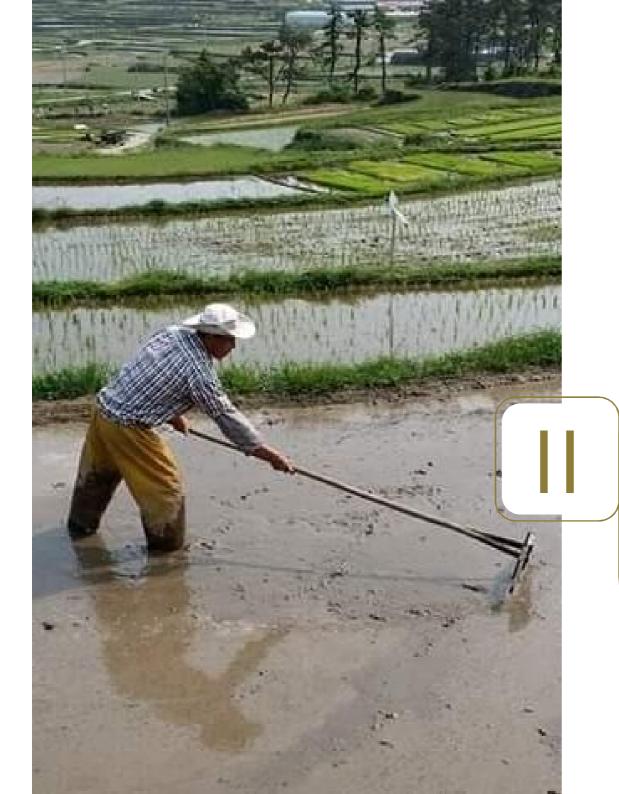
Designated as Republic of Korea's Important Agricultural Heritage

the spread of COVID-19

Registered as Globally Important Agricultural Heritage System (GIAHS) by Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)

Sortation	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	the rate of increase (12-22)
Cheongsan- myeon	2,559	2,540	2,536	2,514	2,455	2,146	2,382	2,329	2,329	2,280	2,251	-12.0%
도청리	754	748	738	736	703	667	650	641	641	614	611	-19.0%
당락리	316	320	324	319	318	324	320	307	307	299	299	-5.4%
읍리	198	197	199	209	205	207	205	193	193	189	185	-6.6%
동촌리	65	69	68	68	70	72	73	69	69	65	63	-3.1%
신흥리	102	101	99	94	90	90	95	94	94	85	89	-12.7%
국산리	151	147	153	153	160	151	147	137	137	131	131	-13.2%
지리	257	253	249	245	238	249	236	240	240	242	228	-11.3%
모도리	241	240	245	232	220	224	228	228	228	221	215	-10.8%
여서리	71	75	77	77	78	80	86	78	78	99	98	38.0%
Cheonggye-ri	104	105	99	99	94	87	86	86	86	82	80	-23.1%
Buheung-ri	95	88	87	82	85	80	81	73	73	69	66	-30.5%
Yangjung-ri	111	107	111	112	108	108	96	103	103	99	101	-9.0%
Sangdong-ri	94	90	87	88	86	82	79	80	80	85	85	-9.6%

- The population of Cheongsan Island experienced a -12.0% decline in 2022 compared to the previous World and National Important Agricultural Heritage year (2012)
- It is notable that the population of the Core Conservation Area has experienced a significant decline

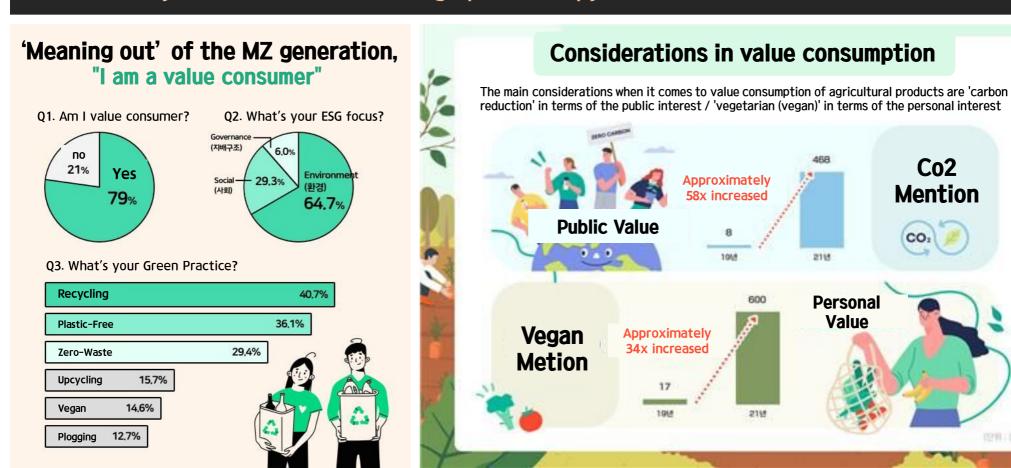




Project Background and Purposes - Why Crowdfunding?

01. The trend of Value Consumption of Korea

- Consumers are shifting their focus from the basic act of purchasing to a more nuanced approach that aligns with their personal taste and experience
- This shift is evident in their willingness to pay more or indulge in more extravagant purchases, as they seek to express their personal beliefs and values through their consumption choices
- Crowdfunding is an increasingly popular method of disseminating social value and showcasing solidarity and collaboration through philanthropy



02. Project background and purposes

- In the past, the focus was on promotion and marketing to sell agricultural products that produced in Gudeuljang paddy, but faced the limitations in delivering the GIAHS value
- In response to the growing preference among 20-30's for value-oriented consumption that aligns with their personal values, we have pivoted our operational approach to become a comprehensive ownership system that integrates 'crowdfunding' and 'donation culture'

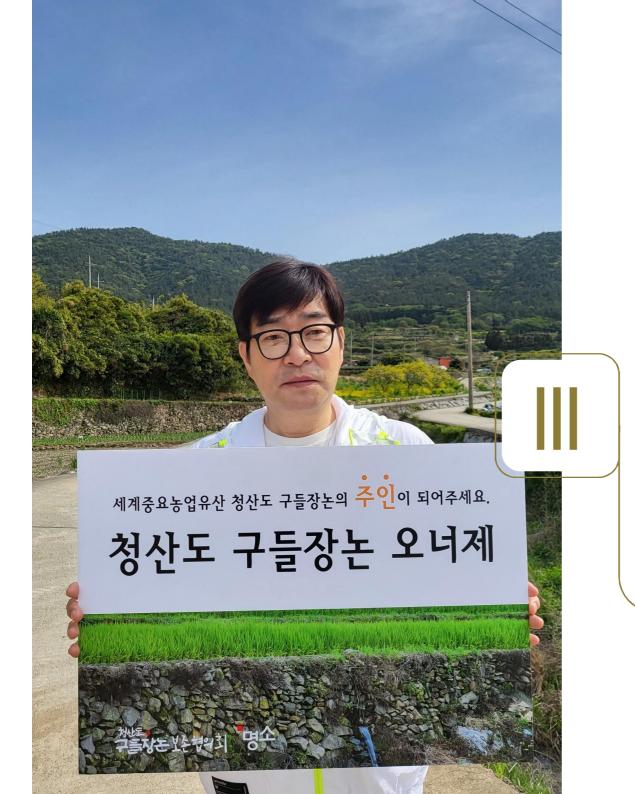






(Previousely)
Focused on Sales Promotion

(Present)
Focus on experience and value consumption





The Cheongsan island Rice paddy Ownership

; Crowdfunding project

01. Background and purposes of Crowdfunding Project

For SDGs of Gudeuljangn Rice paddy Farming, it is necessary to pursue social relationships and cooperation, not government subsidies

Introduction of crowdfunding, a re-new Ownership of Gudeuljang Rice paddy

conservation of the agricultural heritage



Conservation relying on government subsidies

- Difficuty raising fund
- increased burden on residents

Discovery of a new fund raising system

Environment/ Landscape



Forest succession of Gudeuljang Rice Paddy

- Decreased Agricultural activities
- Increased Fallow Rice paddies

Restoration of Gudeuljang Paddy to a sustainable state

Local economy



Reduced farm income

 Downturn of rural economy Sales
Promotion &
Branding the
value of GIAHS

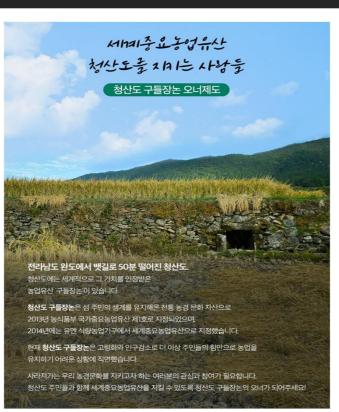
02. Project details on Gudeuljang Rice paddy crowdfunding

The project that focused on 3 elements: Story, Product and Promotion

- Establishment of a funding Method in collaboration with specialized crowdfunding platform
- Planning of products with a story about Gudeuljang Rice paddy along with promotion and marketing utilizing social media platforms



Attractive products and customer engagement (Early bird, Limited edition, etc.)



Authentic storytelling, Values and messages to convey

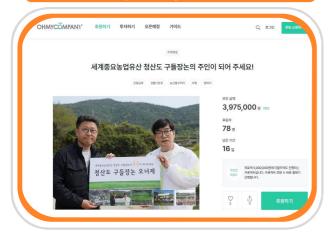


Human networks, Media-based communication including SNS

04. How to run Gudeuljang Crowdfunding

- Support for a recruitment process, promotion and marketing through cooperation between Cheongsan island residents and Myeongso IMC
- The Cheongsan island Gudeuljang Rice paddy Conservation Council focuses on action-oriented activities such as restoring Gudeuljang paddy and organizing events.

1 Recruitment of crowdfunding participants



② Conservation and promotion activities



3 Result sharing



Promotion

 Promotion and networking formation through crowdfunding platforms

Planning

 Planning a detailed page with storytelling focusing on the value of Cheongsan island Gudeuljang Rice paddy and the residents' conservation stories

Practice

- Gudeuljang paddy restoration and conservation activities (Doom bung(pond) restoration)
- Gudeuljang paddy experience activities (Gudeuljang paddy farm party, ecology school, rice paddy summit)
- Cultivation of Gudeuljang paddy agricultural products (buckwheat, rapeseed, small black beans, etc.)

Delivering results

- Indirect Result : Communicate by Sending Monthly Farming Journal
- Direct Result : Delivery produce harvested from Gudeuljang Paddy
- Improvement in crowdfunding credibility through provision of accurate amount of support and sponsorship details

■ Delivery of the monthly Farming journal

A first visitor

In Middle of preparation for a fall farm party with the members of the Gudeuljang ownership, there was a visitor who already came to Gudeuljang paddy.

어르신들이 멋있게 일군 구들장논에 멧돼지가 먼저 신나게 놀다 갔어요..ㅠ 어르신들에게 명절 인사를 하려고 내려왔나... 한발 늦었지만 다시 울라리도 쳐 놓았습니다.

요놈들! 내 눈에 보이기만 해 봐! 가만두지 않겠어!!



Before



Restoration of Gudeuljang Rice paddy and Doom bung(Pond) on a hot summer day

This summer, we worked on restoring the side walls of Gudeuljang Rice paddies, which were damaged by a stream.

수구로 물을 내보내는 둠병을 복원하시는데 덥지않을까 걱정했더니, 한여름 뙤약 별도 이열치열로 이겨내십니다. "손은 부지런하고 눈이 게으르다"고. 저걸 이렇게 날 뜨거운데 어떻게 하시려나 했더니만, 어느새 멋진 구들장논 예술작품이 완성하셨습니다. 우리 회원님들 더운 여름 날에 정말정말 고생하셨습니다!!







Looking forward to a beautiful fall in 2024

코스모스 발의 아름다움을 수확하다

Every fall, there are activities that the elders of the Gudeuljang Rice paddy Conservation Council do regularly.

자랑거리 코스모스 발, 여러분도 아시지요? 아름다운 코스모스 발은 청산도의 또 다른 자랑거리인데요. 코스모스의 아름다움이 서늘한 바람과 저물 때 즈음엔 내년을 기약하기 위해 구들장논 보존협의회 어르신들이 직접 코스모스 씨앗을 모으신답니다. 이렇게 모은 씨앗이 내년엔 또 어떤 아름다움을 선물해줄까요?

회원들의 모습을 보니 아마도 아름다운건 만개한 코스모스 꽃밭뿐만은 아니었다는 것 단박에 알겠더군요

영광 여민동락 점방 자판기에 쓰여 있던 글이 바로 생각나더이다

"농민이 예술가이자 문화재입니다"



■ Organization of the Gudeuljang Rice paddy Farm party

Cheongsan island "Han-sang" (A Meal Plate)
Create Menus with local produce and seafood







Farm party dinning



Cheongsan seaweed sponge cake and Hadong green tea

■ Organization of the Gudeuljang Rice paddy Farm party





Farm party Plating



The Gudeuljang Rice paddy farm party

Farm party Brochures

■ Gudeuljang Rice paddy experience



Mini mill experience



Gudeuljang Rice paddy experience

Broom making experience

■ Gudeuljang Rice paddy produce packages





A view of buckwheat cultivation



Packing of produce packages



Delivery of produce packages

05. Operational Performances of crowdfunding

지역재생

Would you be the owner of Cheongsan Gudeuljang Rice paddy, one of the globally important agricultural heritages?

세계중요농업유산

오너제도



모인 금액 589%

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Achieved 589% of Goal

Preservation activities of Council funded by 2023 donations



Restoration and repair of Gudeuljang Rice paddy]



paddy and Doom bung(pond)]



[Participation of 28 people in the farm partyl



[Delivery of 122 sets of produce packages to donors]

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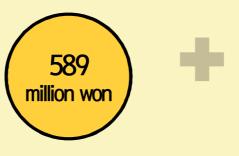
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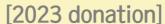
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Achievement 120% of Go al

Gudeuljang Crowdfunding results for 2024

Cumulative donations 1,192 million won







[2024 donation]

Cumulative Patrons 241 people



[2023 Patrons]



[2024 Patrons]

05. Operational results of crowdfunding

For a long time, we thought that preserving Gudeuljang Rice paddy was something only local residents should do. However, through this crowdfunding, we have met people who want to join us, care about Gudeuljang Rice paddy, and want to protect it. Thanks to their support and preservation efforts, and provides us with a renewed sense of momentum..

- Park Geun-ho, the Chairman of the Gudeuljang Rice paddy Preservation Council

I thought it was just a simple farming experience. But when I went there, it was more than just a simple rural experience but it carried the wisdom and the values of our ancestors. As I see the elders striving to preserve Gudeuljang Rice paddy, I find myself supporting their efforts truly and I hope that Gudeuljang Paddy in Cheongsan Island will last for a long time.

- Among reviews of the Guduljang Rice paddy ownership members





SDGs



GIAHS



Upcoming Projects

01. Distribution of agricultural products through the GIAHS brand



- Sell more than just rice at local food markets on Cheongsan island. (Diversify Produca packaging and products(grains, dried fish etc.)
- Promoting the sale of Guduljang Rice paddy produce to a wide range of consumers, including tourists and singleperson households

Development of one-serving of rice products in small packages

Development of composite products combining agricultural and fisheries products from Cheongsan Island

Development of products blending Gudeuljang rice paddy grains



- - Development of composite products combining various agricultural and fisheries products such as seaweed, dried fish, soybeans, and mixed grains produced in Cheongsan Island
- The rise of single-person households has led to the emergence of "Hon-Ssal," packaged rice under 1kg\
- Developing parcelized products such as "Hon Ssal"



- Branding of various varieties of rice to improve the quality of Gudeuljang Rice paddy rice
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02. Sales of agritourism products



- Run the 'Rice Paddy Picnic Program' using the landscape of Cheongsan Island's Gudeuljang Rice paddy as a nonface-to-face, small-scale rural tourism program in response to the change in trend toward individual tourism
- Managing Whole-Process from customer service, product sales and rental, to promotion and marketing through social media (Cheongsan Gudeuljang Rice paddy Picnic)

Preparation of rice paddy picnic components



Operation of social media channels for the rice paddy picnic

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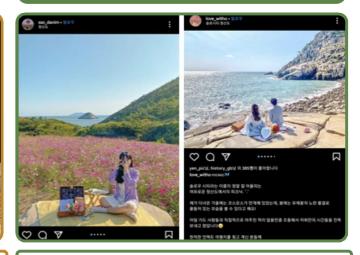
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Enhancement of Gudeuljang Rice paddy awareness



 Establishment of a non-face-to-face operation management system for Cheongsan Gudeuljang Rice paddy Picnic through social media Rising awareness on the preservation value of Cheongsan Gudeuljang Rice paddy through the sale of agricultural heritage tourism products

 Preparation of picnic rental items such as mats, picnic tables/chairs, tumblers, picnic maps, etc

03. Activate the Guddlejang Rice Paddy Festival



- Run cultural arts festivals to share the hard work of farming and the joy of harvesting with each other
- Recognizing the hard work of the residents who grew a variety of crops in the Gudljang paddy field in Cheongsan island
- Encouraging the participation of various community organizations active on the island to develop into an ongoing community engagement festival

Holding a traditional farming culture experience exhibition

Organization of a photo exhibition of Cheongsan Gudeuljang Paddy scenes

Holding a village competition for community harmony



Provision of opportunities for simple agricultural activities through competitions about the straw craft and bean threshing



Organization of a photo exhibition of scenes containing the four seasons of Gudeuliang Rice paddy



Provision of opportunities for group activities such as 'Yut Game', 'Tug-of-war', 'Slow trail' as part of through community harmony programs by village



