MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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To the ANZA Korea community, we wish you a Happy New Year! We hope you had a great Christmas season with family, blessings, rest and recuperation, energising you for a happy and healthy new year. We look forward to reconnecting during Lunar New Year to celebrate 2023, the Year of the Black Water Rabbit!

# Christmas Sool Extravaganza

The ANZA Korea community came together on Tuesday December 6 to learn about Korean traditional sool (alcohol) from Valentin Janiaut and Dakota Smith of *The Sool Company*. It was a delightful evening filled with festive cheer, *makgeolli*, and delicious snacks.

Guests enjoyed Christmas tunes and bought sool gift sets which our gracious hosts at The Sool Company mixed and matched for those unsure of the perfect gifts.

We thank everyone who joined the event, and appreciate Director Julia Mellor's support in hosting the event.

For those who are interested in learning more through similar brewing and tasting experiences, visit: <a href="https://www.thesoolcompany.com/">https://www.thesoolcompany.com/</a>













## **Christmas Giving Tree**

In the spirit of Christmas, ANZA Korea is calling on our community to support our Virtual Christmas Giving Tree, through which we are raising funds to assist families being supported by the Myongdo Welfare Center. We ask that you show your support by purchasing a virtual ornament (see photos) by December 31.

To donate, transfer your desired amount to the ANZA Korea account:

Standard Chartered Bank (023) Account No: 100-20-954772

Transfer message <u>Myongdo OR Xmas</u> and notify us via email once the transfer is complete so we can confirm. Email: treasurer@anzakorea.com

After you make a donation, we will hang an ornament for you on our ANZA Giving Tree. You will be rewarded with a gift for your kindness based on donation amounts (see gifts below).

The *Myongdo Welfare Center*, run by Sister Geri Ryan, aims to improve the quality of life for physically and mentally disabled members of the community in southwest Korea. "Myongdo", meaning "bright way", provides support in: basic housing and nutrition, education, vocational skills, physical therapy, social integration services, and much more.













# **Past Event Recap December Coffee Morning**

The community gathered at Coffee Lusso, Jeongdong on Thursday December 8 to share some delicious coffee and enjoy great latte art. Cafe Lusso recently did a flat white promotion with the New Zealand Embassy to mark the 60th anniversary of New Zealand-Korea diplomatic relations.

The ANZA December Committee meeting was held prior to coffee time to discuss holiday events and plans for 2023. We thank everyone for supporting ANZA Korea in 2022 and look forward to reconnecting in 2023!



# Support ANZA



ANZA Korea continues to work hard to support our local charities. The last few years have been quite challenging for businesses, charities and our community. ANZA Korea remains committed to working with our charities as best we can. We are a 100% non-profit association so we welcome any donations. If you would like to donate, please click on "Donate" to be redirected to our website. No amount is too small to help us achieve our



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# **JOIN ANZA KOREA! BECOME A MEMBER** IN 3 STEPS.

We welcome all nationalities to Step 2: Fill in your details. join our community!

For KRW 50,000 you get a year of membership starting from August 1, for your whole household!

### **Email:**

registration@anzakorea.com

### Step 1: Head to our website

www.anzakorea.com and click the "membership" link

# Step 3: Transfer payment or pay in cash (transfer preferred).

Bank: Standard Chartered (SC은 행)

Acc No: 100-20-954772

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# **ANZA Tips**

ANZA Tips is back with some great Xmas-themed café recommendations. We have ANZA Vice President Kate's top five café recommendations, so check out the best places to go for a coffee or amazing dessert in Seoul!













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# **Cathay Pacific Flights**

We are delighted to announce the enhanced flight schedule of dedicated ANZA sponsor Cathay Pacific Airlines, serviced by their state of art A350-1000 fleet. Cathay Pacific operates in 4 cities (Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, and Perth) in Australia and 1 city (Auckland) in New Zealand. If you are planning to travel to Australia, <u>special fares</u> on Cathay Pacific are now available to book.

We wish all ANZA members safe and happy travels to and from Korea, Australia and New Zealand!



## **Christmas Giving Tree**

Until December 31 ANZA Socials and Website

### **January Coffee Morning**

Details coming soon

### **ANZAC Day & Gapyeong Events**

Details coming soon

### **ANZA Ball**

Details coming soon





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