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To Celebrate 40th Anniversary of Indo-Korean Diplomatic Relations



**Korean Cultural Centre, New Delhi,
Consulate General of the Republic of Korea, Chennai
Inko Centre
&
Indo Cine Appreciation Foundation**

Cordially invite you for the Inauguration of
KOREAN FILM FESTIVAL

by

Mr. Jung Taek Lim,

Deputy Consul General

The Consulate General of the Republic of Korea, Chennai

Chief Guest

Dr. M. Rajaram, I.A.S.

Secretary, Tamil Development & Information Department,
Government of Tamil Nadu

Ms. Vinodhini Vaidynathan, Cine Artiste will light the lamp

Mr. Sivan Kannan, President ICAF Presides

Date: 21st October 2013 - 6.15 pm

**Venue: Russian Centre of Science & Culture,
74 Kasturi Ranga Road, Chennai 600018.**

B. Ramakrishnan
Vice President, ICAF

Dr. Rathi Jafer
Director, Inko Centre

E. Thangaraj
General Secretary, ICAF

Function followed by the opening film **Secret Reunion** | Dir.: Hun Jang | 2010 | 116' - - 6.30 pm

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Synopsis

1. **Secret Reunion** | Dir.: Hun Jang | South Korea | 2010 | 116' -

21st October – 6.30 pm

A North Korean killer known as "Shadow" is sent to assassinate an important dissident who found refuge in Seoul. He is helped by two sleeping agents: Son Tae-soon as look-out, and Song Ji-won, an elite fighter. The North Koreans have not counted with Lee Han-gyoo, from the South Korean National Intelligence Service, who has been tracking them and closes in with his men. Han-gyoo has not counted with the North Koreans' skill and ruthlessness. True to his reputation, "Shadow" disappears. Ji-won manages to escape, but cannot return to his country, where he is suspected to be a traitor, nor defect, for this means certain death for his wife and daughter who remained in North Korea. Discredited, Han-gyoo is fired from the NIS. Several years later, Ji-won and Han-gyoo meet unexpectedly, and pick up their confrontation -- but not quite from where they left it off.

2. **The King and the Clown** | Dir.: Joon-ik Lee | South Korea | 2005 | 119' -

22nd October 2013 – 6.15 pm

Two clowns living in the Chosun Dynasty get arrested for staging a play that satirizes the king. They are dragged to the palace and threatened with execution, but are given a chance to save their lives if they can make the king laugh.

3. **The Host** | Dir.: Joon-ho Bong | South Korea | 2006 | 119' -

Awards: won one
23rd October 2013 – 6.15 pm

The film revolves around Park Hee-bong, a man in his late 60s. He runs a small snack bar on the banks of the Han River and lives with his two sons, one daughter, and one granddaughter. The Parks seem to lead a quite ordinary and peaceful life, but maybe they are a bit poorer than the average Seoulite. Hee-bong's elder son Gang-du is an immature and incompetent man in his 40s, whose wife left home long ago. Nam-il is the youngest son, an unemployed grumbler, and daughter Nam-joo is an archery medalist and member of the national team. One day, an unidentified monster suddenly appears from the depths of the Han River and spreads panic and death, and Gang-du's daughter Hyun-seo is carried off by the monster and disappears. All of the family members are in a great agony because they lost someone very dear to them. But when they find out she is still alive, they resolve to save her.

Awards: Won 19 awards

4. **Quick** | Dir.: Beom-gu Cho | South Korea | 2011 | 115' -

24th October 2013 – 6.15 pm

Gi-soo, Myeong-sik and Ah-rom were members of the same notorious motorcycle gang. They enjoyed their days roaming the streets recklessly on the motorcycles. Now, Gi-soo works as a motorcycle delivery man, Myeong-sik is a motorcycle cop and Ah-rom is a pop idol singer. One day, Gi-soo has Ah-rom riding on the back of his motorcycle as he makes a delivery. To his surprise the delivery package explodes. Gi-soo's cellphone rings and he hears a voice telling him that there is another bomb planted in his helmet which Ah-rom is wearing. Gi-soo is ordered to take another delivery. If the delivery is late or he attempts to run away the helmet will explode.

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*Korean Film
Festival*

till October 24



A GRAND TALE *The King
And The Clown*

The Indo-Cine Appreciation Foundation, in association with Korean Cultural Centre, New Delhi; the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea, Chennai; and Inko Centre, Chennai, organises the *Korean Film Festival*. It celebrates the 40th anniversary of Indo-Korean diplomatic relations. Films directed by Joon-ik Lee, Joon-ho Bong and Beom-gu Cho will be screened. The films to be screened are *The King And The Clown* (October 22); *The Host* (October 23); and *Quick* (October 24). The festival is on till October 24 at 6.15 p.m. at the Russian Centre of Science & Culture, No. 74, Kasturi Ranga Road, Alwarpet. For details, call 2821-2652.



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