# **Global Disaster Safety Map Exhibition**

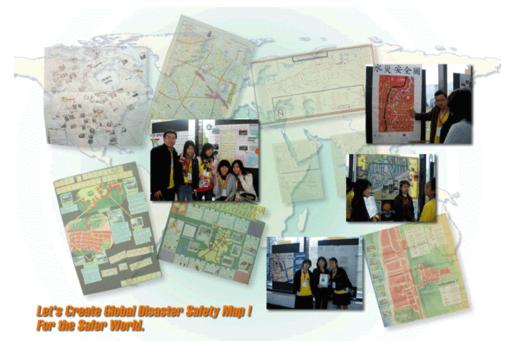
## Winning against Natural Disasters

About 20 Disaster Safety Maps created by children of Kobe and other countries who learn the lesson from Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake and other disasters in the world are exhibited along with their photos introducing their activities. The Disaster Safety Map Exhibition and the Natural Disaster Youth Summit (NDYS), Global Internet Video Conference will be held at Disaster Reduction and Human Renovation Institute (HAT Kobe) as a prelude of the conference in Aichi. This Internet video conference is open to public, we are waiting for your participation.

# Period: 27<sup>th</sup> February to 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2007

#### Venue: Disaster Reduction and Human Renovation Institute

#### Host: The Committee of NDYS



## Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> March, 13:30-15:40

#### **Global Meeting through Internet Video Conference**

Host: iEARN (International Education And Research Network)/ Hyogo Earthquake Memorial

21st Century Research Institute/ Hyogo Prefectural Board of Education, Hyogo e-School

Kobe University:International Mritime Education & Research Center Faculty of Maritime Sciences, Research Center for Urban Safety and Security/ UNESCO

Kyoto University: Graduate School of Global Environmental Studies

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Students of five countries who experienced various natural disasters recently, such as Iran, Taiwan have an international conference through the Internet

They introduce their Disaster Safety Maps and discuss lessons from natural disasters around the world in real time.



13:10	Video	"Commemorative Tree Planting as the reminder of the Great
		Hanshin- Awaji Earthquake
		"Kawazu" cherry trees at "Haru Ichiban no Oka
13:30	Opening	Master of Ceremony : Students
		Opening Remarks
	Message	Mr. Salvano Briceno, director, UN/ISDR (Tentative)
13:40	Special Speech	"The Importance of Learning from Recent Disasters for Disaster
		Reduction and Disaster Reduction Education at School"
		Mr. Masahiko Murata, Recovery Expert, IRP Kobe
14:00		<ul> <li>Sri Lanka / Nepal</li> </ul>
	Future Education	Mr. Genata Nakano, Student of Ritsumeikan University
	On Natural Disaster	Representative of NDYS 2005 Students Committee
		Pakistan
		Mr. Koichi Shiwaku
		Graduate School of Kyoto Univ., Committee member of NDYS
14:30		
		About five countries and regions, such as Iran, Taiwan, Nepal,
	Video Conference	Russia, and Trinidad and Tobago are connected to Disaster Reduction and Human Renovation in Kobe through the Internet, and
	NDYS	the group of children representing each country has an oral presentation for disaster reduction study.
15:30		Mr. Ryoichi Uetani
	Comments	Hyogo Prefectural Board of Education
15:40	Closing	Closing Remark

#### Program

After the video conference, we have tea, coffee and snacks at the restaurant in Human Renovation Museum (1,000 yen) E-mail : ndys@jearn.jp Tel or Fax: 078-251-6833 NDYS Office: Naya, Okamoto