



REZAN HAS MUSEUM HOSTS THE CARICATURE EXHIBITION "ANATOLIA IN FIGURES".

Rezan Has Museum which draws attention to the importance of Cultural Heritage with its continuous publications, conferences, exhibitions and activities, is going to hold a caricature exhibition called "Anatolia in Figures" between October 1 - November 1, 2009 in order to bring the topic to the agenda with the "ironic" approach of caricature. The caricature album with the same title consisting of the exhibiting caricatures will be offered by Rezan Has Museum publications in November.

The exhibition which can be visited throughout October includes works that received awards in 1st National Anatolia in Figures Caricature Contest organized by Aktüel Archeology magazine and deserve being exhibited.

Despite the fact that Turkey is one of the richest countries in the world in terms of cultural assets, unfortunately it is also a country where ancient works are most destroyed and plundered. Cultural assets which are the tangible and visible objects of our past are under the shadow of threats such as treasure hunting, smuggling and plundering. The most tragic truth about this destruction is the fact that the threat encountered by cultural assets arises not from the devouring ability of time, but from the living that created it.

The exhibition "Anatolia in Figures" defines Anatolia, the SHARED HERITAGE OF HUMANITY, which is destroyed, ignored or facing the threat of destruction under the buildings of growing towns, waters of dams, diggers of smugglers, through a common caricature language. Each drawn and painted caricature with an idea tells how Anatolia is destroyed whether conscious or unconsciously and once again shows how we remain without Anatolia...



"ANATOLIA IN FIGURES"

Caricature Exhibition

October 1 – November 1 2009

REZAN HAS MUSEUM

C Block Exhibition Hall

Visiting Hours: Everyday between 09:00-18:00

www.rhm.org.tr

Address: Rezan Has Museum

Kadir Has University

Kadir Has Cad. Cibali

Tel: 212 533 6532

For information:

F.Sanem Bay

Communication Coordinator

sanemb@rhm.org.tr

0212 5336532 / 533 6649437