

## Монголын Сүм Хийдийн Түүхэн Товчоо Төсөл

### UB 38 Ürjan Khajodlin khiid

Tibetan name: u-rgyan mkha'-spyod gling

English name: Ürjan Khajodlin Monastery

The monastery is situated behind Gandan monastery and the TV tower, near the road leading to Bayankhoshuu.

Data provider: Barsbold chanting master; Calendar of Ürjan Khajod lin khiid, 2011-2012, in Mongolian

This monastery belongs to the Red Stream (Nyingmapa). The main object of worship is Padmasambhava (Lovon Badamjunai, T. *slob-dpon pad-ma 'byung-gnas*). The monastery has *zod* (T. *gcod*) and *lüjgin* (T. *lus-sbyin*) practices, as is usual in all Red Stream monasteries. The monastery was founded in 2006, but the temple building was completed a bit later. The monastery has a plan to build a complex with 108 stupas and six temples. Regarding the monthly ceremonies of the monastery, *Yandan yadamiin chogo* (T. *yang-gsang yi-dam-gyi cho-ga*) is held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of the lunar month. On the 8<sup>th</sup> *Ikh Manal* ceremony is held in honour of the Medicine Buddha (T. *sman-bla*, Skr. Bhaishajyaguru), and the Fourfold mandala offering (*Dari ekhiin mandal shivaa*) is performed in honour of Tara (*Dari ekh*, T. *sgrol-ma*, Skr. *Tara*). On the 10<sup>th</sup> *Lovon chogo* (T. *slob-dpon-gyi cho-ga*) is held in honour of Padmasambhava, and on the 15<sup>th</sup> *Khandiin chogo* (T. *mkha'-gro'i cho-ga*) is held to worship the dakinis. On the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month *Khajidiin chogo* is performed in honour of *Narkhajid* (T. *na-ro mkha'-spyod*). On the 29<sup>th</sup> *Sakhius* ceremony is held in honour of the Ten Protectors (*Arvan khangal*). *Naidan chogo* (T. *gnas-brtan-gyi cho-ga*) is performed on the 30<sup>th</sup> of each lunar month. Other sutras are recited at the request of individuals. The monastery has about 20 monks.