

**Subject:** Re: Open letter to the management of Audax Club Parisen and the entire Randonneurs community

**Date:** Monday, 28 February 2022, 09:51:12 Eastern European Standard Time

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Dear randonneurs,

no matter what the politicians do all over the world, I am sure that cyclists are not the ones who caused war and have not enough power to stop it, therefore I strongly disagree with this proposal. After all, there are many other ongoing wars all over the world and are we gonna take the same principle toward cyclists coming from all today's and future attackers' countries ?

As a representative of a country with an awful experience, I have no positive word toward any kind of war action and I am pretty sure that the majority of the Ukraine and Russia population does not like/support war and do not like/support their politicians too (I am sure the feelings toward politicians are more less the same in any other country including one the one I am coming from).

Say no to the war, and support BRM/LRM in all countries in the world

Jovan Živković, Randonneurs Srpska/Bosnia and Herzegovina

On Mon, Feb 28, 2022 at 5:26 AM Асет Кусаинов <[asetius2008@gmail.com](mailto:asetius2008@gmail.com)> wrote:

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I say "No war!".

Sencereley yours, Asset Kussainov, Randonneurs Kazakhstan

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Best wishes,  
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Friends, like-minded Randoners!

On 24 February 2022, the Russian Federation with the support of the Republic of Belarus attacked Ukraine. This attack opened the eyes of the whole world to the cannibalistic regime of Russia. This aggression aims to destroy Ukraine as a state, to destroy Ukrainians as a nation. It is an attempt at genocide and an attack on universal values, on the principles of good neighborliness and peace in the modern world.

All over the world, friendly governments are announcing sanctions packages and assisting Ukraine. Commercial companies independently impose sanctions on the Russian Federation and its ally, the Republic of Belarus. Cultural and sports organizations are also massively refusing to cooperate with the aggressor countries.

Therefore, we, the Randoner community, consider it necessary to join the sanctions against the Russian Federation and Belarus, and appeal to the leadership of Audax Club Parisien and the entire global Randoner community with the requirements:

- cancel the accreditation of Audax Club Parisien for organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;
- abolish the calendar of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR clubs of organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus for 2022;
- do not register new organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;
- prohibit at the level of the rules of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR on routes under the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;
- for any of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR events allow registration for citizens and residents of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus only in organizing clubs under the jurisdiction of third countries, with the registration of results of these participants under common codes of independent participants;
- prohibit at the level of the Paris-Brest-Paris rules the performance of citizens and residents of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus under the flags of these states and/or from the organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;
- impose the above sanctions for an indefinite period until the restoration of the territorial integrity of Ukraine, namely the return to Ukraine of the temporarily occupied territories, and for the period of reparations are paid to the full extent.

Sincerely,  
Organizers of Audax Club Parisien of Ukraine

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**Date:** Monday, 28 February 2022, 04:12:33 Eastern European Standard Time

**From:** Wukai Jiang (China)

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Dear Pavlyuk,

Very sad to hear the bad news of the war, please allow me to express my best wishes to you and your country.

In the history, both Russian and Ukraine had provided great help to China. I really appreciate it.

When the war break out, neither Ukraine nor Russian is winner. I pray for a peaceful world and a successful negotiation.

Best wishes,  
Yours sincerely,

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**Date:** Sunday, 27 February 2022, 23:23:06 Eastern European Standard Time

**From:** Jens Glad Balchen

**To:** Iulian Ene

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Hi Iulian.

Russia have been aiding the separatists in Donetsk and Luhansk for the past eight years, sending Russian military personell and equipment to fight the Ukrainian government, and have issued Russian citizenship and passports to Ukrainian citizens in those regions.

I hold that to be comparable to what NATO did in Kosovo in terms of motivations and in terms of actions taken.

To the degree that the separatists represent the the people, I believe that there is some justification in aiding people who are fighting for their right to govern themselves, no matter who they are and which country they seek independence from.

That's where the comparison ends.

NATO did not declare that Serbia had no right to sovereignty and no right to exist. NATO did not attempt to invade and depose the democratically elected Serbian government and annex Serbia to a NATO country.

If Russia succeeds in this invasion, Putin has made it clear what the fate of Ukraine will be.

I see that difference between Kosovo and Ukraine, and it's crucial to my moral considerations.

Jens Glad Balchen  
Randonneurs Norge

On 27.02.2022 21:46, Iulian Ene wrote:

Hi, dear Jens!

I understand your point of view to a large extent, but did you think the same in 1999, when the US attacked Serbia? If so, then your position is understandable. If not, then ...

**Best regards,**

**Iulian Ene**

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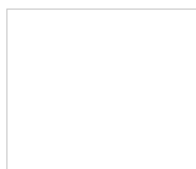
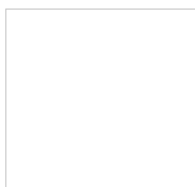
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În dum., 27 feb. 2022 la 22:23, Jens Glad Balchen <[jens@randonneurs.no](mailto:jens@randonneurs.no)> a scris:

Dear friends.

Even if randonneur cyclists, cross country skiers and football players are not involved in the war, there is still a need and an obligation to underline the necessity and urgency with which our governments and our peoples act against this kind of aggression.

The Russian government has publicly declared it does not recognize Ukraine's sovereignty and right to exist. Ukrainians are the target of an invading military force with the express purpose of deposing the democratically elected government and annexing the country into Russia, in one way or another. This invasion has no parallel in recent European history.

While there are opposing voices also in Norway, echoing the Russian government's excuses about NATO expansion in Eastern Europe, the vast majority of the Norwegian people support the actions taken to sanction Russia, and we stand by Ukraine in this matter.

As a consequence, football matches against Russian teams are cancelled, skiing competitions in Russia are boycotted, Russian skiers are not invited to competitions in Norway, and the Norwegian broadcasting corporation has publicly announced, alongside our Danish and Swedish compatriots, that Russia is not welcome to the Eurovision Song Contest, even considering the EBU's staunch apolitical charter.

The purpose is not to punish Russian cyclists, skiers, footballers, or singers. Neither is the purpose to hold all Russians accountable for the actions of the Russian and Belarusian governments, but to show those

governments, even in the most insignificant matter, that everyone is and will be affected. Finally, actions such as these are taken despite the social and cultural bonds that unite us, not because there are no bonds to begin with.

In my mind, our sympathy should be clearly, visibly, and publicly with the Ukrainians. I do not see our organisations as even more apolitical than football, skiing, and the EBU. We should and must take a stand in this matter, and make that stance publicly known. It's a stance that I fully expect many Russians also will see as the correct stance against the actions of their own government.

I have not had the time to confer with my fellow cyclists on the board of Randonneurs Norge. I write this email from me personally. As a BRM organiser in Randonneurs Stavanger and the appointed ACP representative in Norway, I support this proposal from our Ukrainian friends, for the duration of the war.

It is up to the ACP, and to all participating organisations, to decide for themselves what they want to do. We should all look to our own governments and see what they are doing, and ask ourselves what could justify that we do less.

Jens Glad Balchen  
Randonneurs Norge

On 27.02.2022 16:24, Tymofii Pavlyuk wrote:

> Friends, like-minded Randoners!

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> On 24 February 2022, the Russian Federation with the support of the Republic of Belarus attacked Ukraine. This attack opened the eyes of the whole world to the cannibalistic regime of Russia. This aggression aims to destroy Ukraine as a state, to destroy Ukrainians as a nation. It is an attempt at genocide and an attack on universal values, on the principles of good neighborliness and peace in the modern world.

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> All over the world, friendly governments are announcing sanctions packages and assisting Ukraine. Commercial companies independently impose sanctions on the Russian Federation and its ally, the Republic of Belarus. Cultural and sports organizations are also massively refusing to cooperate with the aggressor countries.

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> Therefore, we, the Randoner community, consider it necessary to join the sanctions against the Russian Federation and Belarus, and appeal to the leadership of Audax Club Parisien and the entire global Randoner community with the requirements:

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> - cancel the accreditation of Audax Club Parisien for organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;

> - abolish the calendar of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR clubs of organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus for 2022;

> - do not register new organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;

> - prohibit at the level of the rules of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR on routes under the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;

> - for any of BRM, LRM, Fleche Nationale, Trace Nationale, SR events allow registration for citizens and residents of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus only in organizing clubs under the jurisdiction of third countries, with the registration of results of these participants under common codes of independent participants;

> - prohibit at the level of the Paris-Brest-Paris rules the performance of citizens and residents of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus under the flags of these states and/or from

the organizing clubs in the jurisdiction of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus;  
> - impose the above sanctions for an indefinite period until the restoration of the territorial integrity of Ukraine, namely the return to Ukraine of the temporarily occupied territories, and for the period of reparations are paid to the full extent.

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> Sincerely,

> Organizers of Audax Club Parisien of Ukraine