



## The Wolverton Explorer Scout and Guide Group

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## Dear Zivile

I am writing to thank you again for your arranging such a brilliant trip for my Explorer Scouts. The whole team got so much out of the expedition and so many memories. We arrived home safely on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> August at 11.00pm. We have made so many young Russian Scouts very happy with our gifts of tents, cooking utensils, shelters, food and small camping items.

Basically: We have travelled approximately 5800 miles across two time zones, flown in five aeroplanes, spent 41 hours on a train, travelled by three boats, met 1000 Russian Scouts, experienced temperatures of 16 to 122 degrees, had police escort to the Jamboree site, travelled further east across Russia than ever before and seen fantastic natural and man made sights and escaped the Georgian war!!!!

So enclosed is a CD with photos. I tried to e-mail them but they are 12 million pix each so I had problems. The photos start off in Moscow, then the train, Omsk and finishes in Saint Petersburg. Feel free to use the photos, they appear a little blurred I think, but if you copy to your computers hard drive maybe they will show up better. I hope you enjoy the pictures.

Yours Sincerely.

Chard Spicer and on behalf of all the explorers and leaders. Shackleton Explorer Scouts.