



# CIVIC SECTOR OF EUROMAIDAN GRASSROOTS MOVEMENT

## EuroMaidan Newsletter # 40

### Russia and Ukraine sign ceasefire agreement

#### Russian army continues shelling Donetsk and Mariupol

The OSCE published the ceasefire protocol for the Donbas region signed in Minsk on September 5 which included a ceasefire agreement, humanitarian assistance, internal Ukrainian political dialogue and special status for Donetsk and Lugansk oblasts in Ukraine.

<http://goo.gl/IcdnDL>

Ceasefire agreement reached in Minsk. Read more details at <http://goo.gl/4Ry0Tf>

On Sep. 7 there has been fresh shelling near Donetsk airport in eastern Ukraine, raising fears that the 36-hour-old ceasefire may collapse - BBC.

<http://goo.gl/XfWZfB>

The latest report from OSCE Special Monitoring Mission (SMM) to Ukraine based on information received as of 5 September 2014. <http://goo.gl/m2Zqmk>

NATO Secretary-General Anders Fogh Rasmussen set the tone for a NATO summit by saying that "Russia is attacking Ukraine" and continuing to destabilize the

situation in eastern Ukraine despite a cease-fire plan proposed by Russian President Vladimir Putin.

<http://goo.gl/5vQco0>

Russia says it 'will react' if EU imposes new sanctions.

<http://goo.gl/oVX0aW>

EU officials have agreed to stronger sanctions against Russia over its role in eastern Ukraine, with the measures to be implemented on September 8.

<http://goo.gl/HNrYdl>

French President Francois Hollande says the government will not deliver the first of two Mistral-class warships to Russia because of Moscow's aggressive actions in eastern Ukraine.

<http://goo.gl/vQcPC9>

Shift of power in the Kremlin: Security Service takes control. <http://goo.gl/VXBhC7>

The preliminary report made by the investigative committee regarding the Malaysian Airlines MH17 crash is to be made public on Tuesday July 16, 2014.

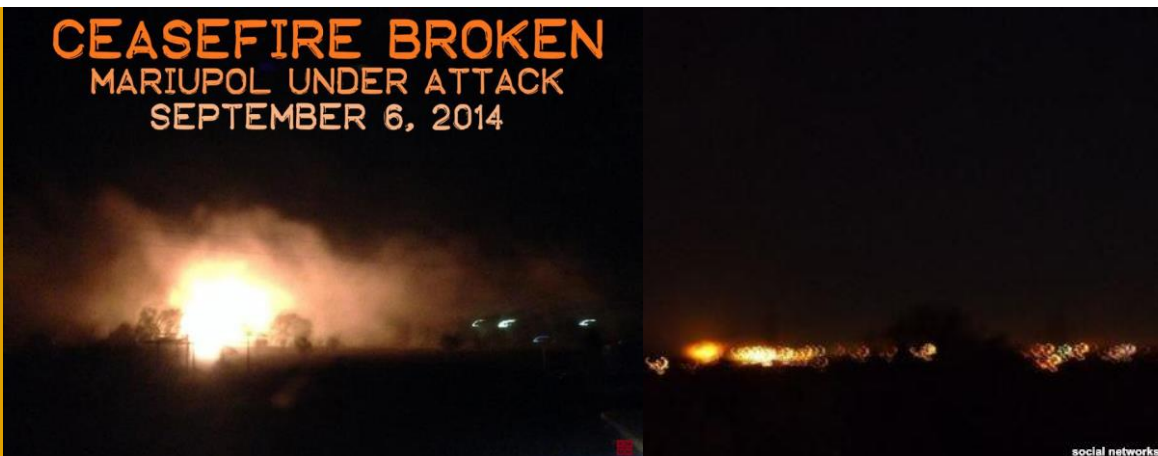
<http://goo.gl/51vGjw>

Sep.7. Explosions and artillery fire have been reported outside the eastern Ukrainian cities of Mariupol and Donetsk despite a day-old cease-fire between Kyiv and pro-Russia mercenaries.

<http://goo.gl/uWf5yt>,  
(video)

<http://goo.gl/zp6bnn>

**CEASEFIRE BROKEN  
MARIUPOL UNDER ATTACK  
SEPTEMBER 6, 2014**



### Russian military casualties in the war in Ukraine reach 2000 Death of Russian soldiers in Ukraine shown on Russian TV

NSDC: Russia's military casualties in the Donbas up to 2,000, bodies hidden in coal mines. <http://goo.gl/AdUIJs>

Russian state television for the first time showed the funeral of a Russian serviceman who died in Donbas. However, the audience was told that he went to fight the Ukrainian army on his own volition while on holiday leave. <http://goo.gl/xMSYzj>

Pskov councilman tells about Russian soldiers killed in Ukraine: "They weren't just deceived – they were humiliated" <http://goo.gl/KYwSgi>

Chechen participation in the war on Donbas.

<http://goo.gl/ev2GTy>

Amnesty International says there is "mounting evidence" that both Ukrainian pro-government militia and so-called separatist forces are responsible for war crimes in the country's east, and accuses Russia of fueling the conflict.

<http://goo.gl/YEMxjg>

Conscripted Ukrainian journalist killed near Lugansk in artillery bombardment on September 4. More details at

<http://goo.gl/EPZR11>

## Ukrainian troops adhere to truce agreement

### Activists and expats fundraise for the Army

Sep.7. Operational data from the Information Resistance group: Russian-terrorist forces continue intensively shelling Ukrainian troop positions and civilian targets, in spite of the ceasefire. Ukrainian troops adhere strictly to the truce, without taking offensive action and only returning defensive fire. <http://goo.gl/mS5vhq>

Short summary of the military developments in Ukraine as of Sept 8. See ATO map at <http://goo.gl/uo7eqP>

Russia moving troops to Crimean border. <http://goo.gl/W7t3tI>

Viktor Tregubov: Analysis of inferno near Ilovaysk. Read the article at <http://goo.gl/zwwLLT>

A variety of homegrown initiatives led by civic groups, locals and expatriates have sprung up to help supply Ukrainian servicemen with much-needed aid, ranging from safety gear to battlefield first aid kits. Russia's unprovoked war in Luhansk and Donetsk oblasts has killed more than 900 servicemen as well as some 2,000 civilians. <http://goo.gl/nYefeV>

Activists in Odesa put a state official accused of corruption in a rubbish bin. Watch video at <http://goo.gl/mVloKr>

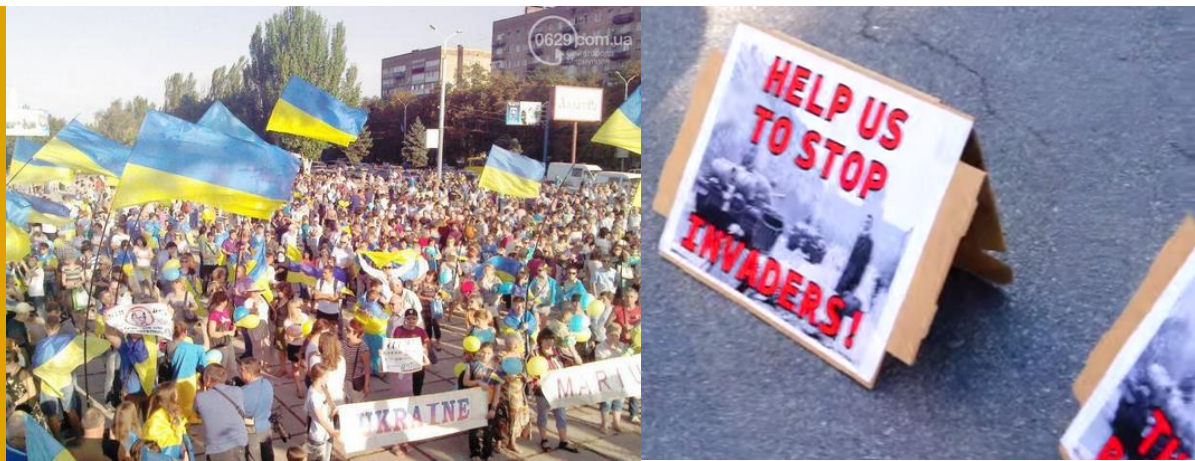
Minster of Education: the law "On Higher Education" has been adopted; next are the laws "On Education" and "On sciences and research-and-development activities". <http://goo.gl/wtYkol>

Left: Sep.7 Mariupol appeals to EU citizens.

<http://goo.gl/5cP6KD>

Right: September 4<sup>th</sup> picket at the Czech Embassy in Kyiv (video, Ukr)

<http://goo.gl/7Fb1Bu>



## The war will be protracted, but will result in the collapse of Russia

### Expecting World War III: how the world will change

News Analysis: NATO upgrades by going back to basics. <http://goo.gl/R5cpFQ>

The Minsk ceasefire in Donbas: traps, risks and possible turns of events. <http://goo.gl/FMueI9>

How Putin influences French policy. <http://goo.gl/amRRKt>

The War in Ukraine: reversal of fortune. <http://goo.gl/tnmAb4>

"The war will be protracted, but will result in the collapse of Russia". <http://goo.gl/yvv7SQ>

Expecting World War III: How the world will change.

Poroshenko and Putin's Stalingrad. <http://goo.gl/b14uCe>

Whether the official truce is used to seize Mariupol and advance further or to create another frozen conflict zone which will cripple Ukraine economically has been left up to the Kremlin. <http://goo.gl/V0iQ3J>

as 'foreign agents' from using any money received through grants to pay salaries. The move is clearly aimed at stifling the work of, for example, Memorial and the Committee of Soldiers' Mothers currently trying to find out about Russian soldiers sent to fight Russia's undeclared war in Ukraine. <http://goo.gl/xqPtnS>

Crimean children prevented from studying in their native language. <http://goo.gl/L552ra>

A number of Ukrainian psychiatrists, including former Soviet political prisoner Semyon Gluzman, are calling on the world psychiatric community to put pressure on the Russian authorities over the unwarranted 'examination' of imprisoned Ukrainian officer Nadiya Savchenko in the notorious Serbski Institute. <http://goo.gl/Qdbwpe>

73% of Russians continue to believe the Crimea "should be part of the Russian Federation", however the percentage of those willing to pay the price for this has dropped from 59 to 50%. <http://goo.gl/cwsswq>



Ukraine in flames:  
See more photos from the war in the East of Ukraine at <http://goo.gl/BZWfTB>



## Historical study on UPA prohibited in Russia, published in Ukraine

A historical study on the Ukrainian Insurgent Army (UPA), prohibited in Russia, has been published in Ukraine. <http://goo.gl/hLPIJf>

Amsterdam museum delays return of Scythian treasure to Crimea. <http://goo.gl/g2MFxc>

Most people I know do not believe that the Black Sea shore can be crystal clear. And they have good reason. Popular sea resorts are overcrowded and, therefore, quite dirty. But there are still some perfectly clean secluded places. And Katranka is one of them.

<http://goo.gl/SIEn10>

While the civilized world is shunning Russian-annexed Crimea, organizers of the Mrs. America beauty pageant are so enraptured with the Kremlin's land grab that they have decided to move the pageant there.

<http://goo.gl/bePVww>

In August Russian FSB (security service) officers raided bookshops in the Crimea. Without warrants or other documents justifying the move, they confiscated books which they deemed contained things citizens should not read. <http://goo.gl/kJN6jH>

Left: "We are for peace" Children's letters to Ukrainian soldiers, collected by activists to be sent to the ATO zone.

Right: Watch video clip "Return back alive" by Sestry Telniuk and Kozak System (Ukr) at <http://goo.gl/IgmwUT>



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