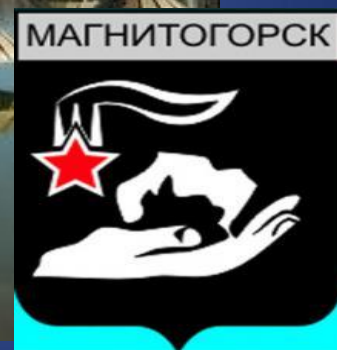
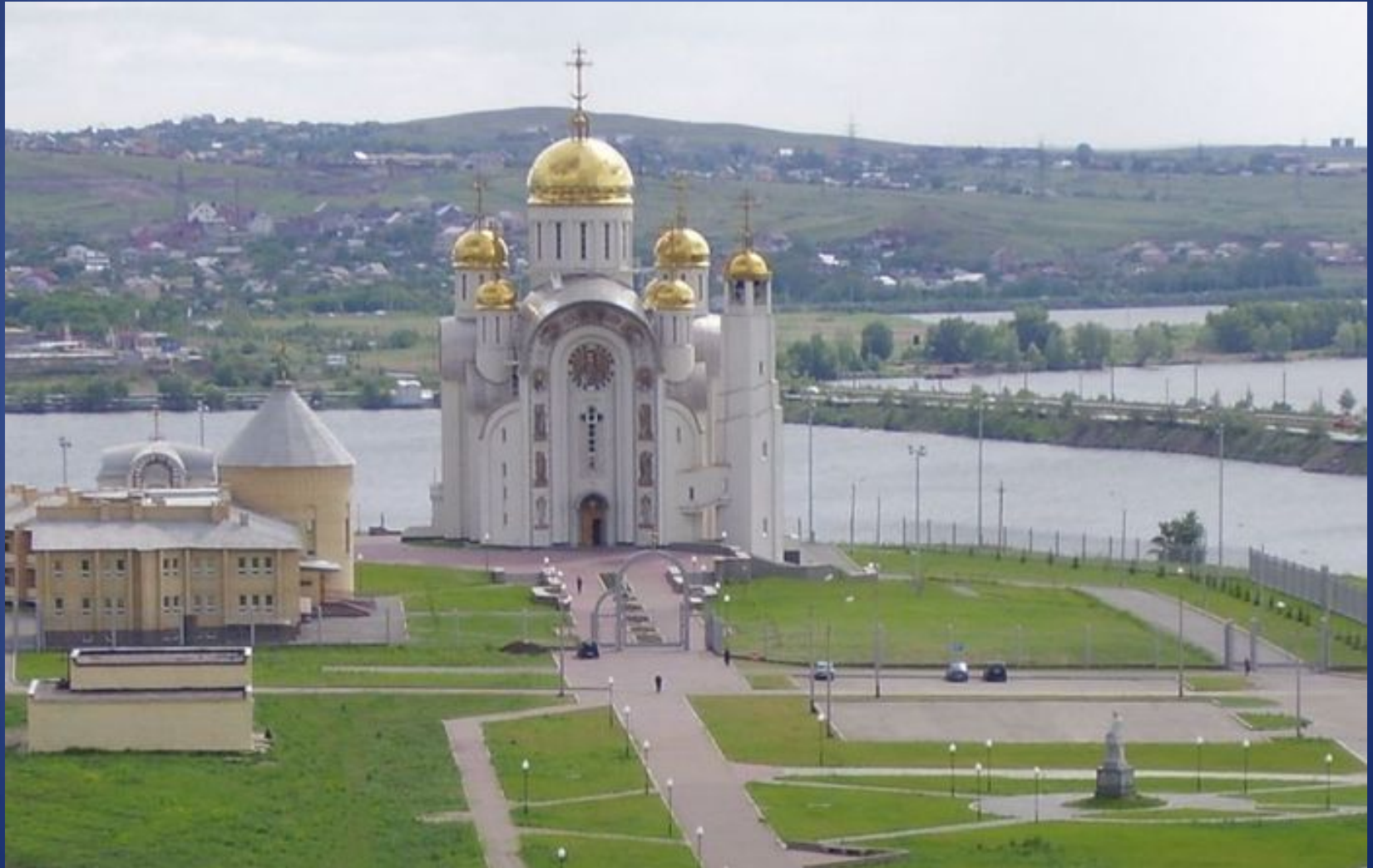


# Welcome to Magnitogorsk!



**Magnitogorsk is a city with an extraordinary history, interesting people, unique architecture.**



**Magnitogorsk was founded  
at the foot of Magnitnaya Mountain  
on the both banks of the River Ural.**





**Magnitogorsk is one of the world's largest centers of ferrous metallurgy and it is often called “the metallurgical heart of Russia”.**



**The first train with the builders arrived at the station "Magnitogorskaya" on June 30th, 1929. This date became the birthday of Magnitogorsk.**





**The memory of the heroes of Magnitogorsk is reflected in the monuments "To The First Komsomol Magnitogorsk Builders" and "The Tent Of The First Builders Of Magnitogorsk".**



**Magnitogorsk is one of 12 cities in the world located in 2 world parts. The boundary between Asia and Europe goes along the river Ural. The Left bank is located in Asia and the Right bank - in Europe.  
History, traditions and culture of different peoples are reflected in a new brand –  
«Magnitogorsk - place where Europe and Asia meet».**



  
**МАГНИТОГОРСК**  
МЕСТО ВСТРЕЧИ ЕВРОПЫ И АЗИИ



**There are over 1,300 industrial plants in Magnitogorsk:  
engineering, cement, glass, food and light industries.**





**The city - forming enterprise "Magnitogorsk Integrated Iron and Steel Works" ("MMK") is the largest steel and iron producer and a leader of Russia's steel industry. More than half of the production of "MMK" is exported to various countries of the world.**



**On the railway station`s square visitors are met by a five-meter statue of Metallurgist - a symbol of the people of fiery profession.**





**On the high right bank of the Ural River there is the main monument of Magnitogorsk - "The Rear to the Front". A worker passes a sword to a warrior and commemorates the city's industrial contribution to the victory in World War II - a half of Soviet tanks and a third of projectiles were cast from Magnitogorsk steel.**



**Magnitogorsk is the scientific centre of the Southern Urals.**

**In Magnitogorsk there are two universities: Magnitogorsk State Conservatory and Magnitogorsk State Technical University - a uniform university complex, uniting some colleges, professional schools and institutes.**





**Magnitogorsk is the cultural centre of the Southern Urals. There are three theatres: Pushkin Drama Theatre , the Opera and Ballet House and the Puppet Theatre "Buratino". Children art schools, the picture gallery, city museums are also well-known.**



**Sport is very popular  
in Magnitogorsk.**

## **“Metallurg – Champion!”**

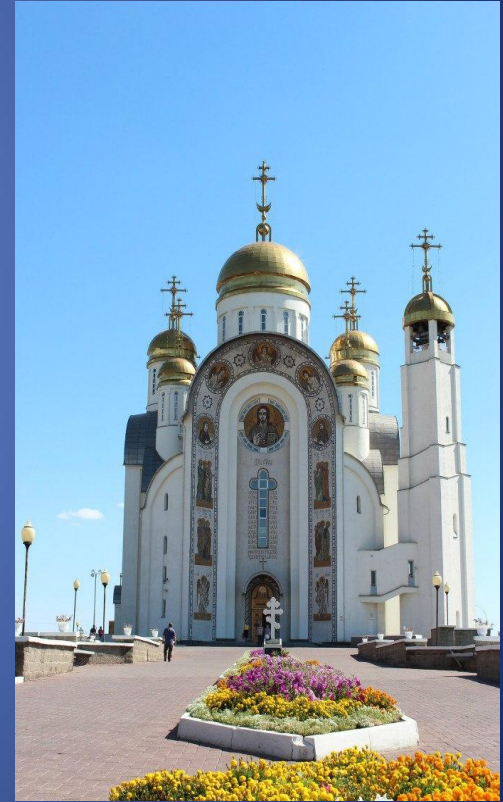
**Magnitogorsk is  
home to the hockey  
club “Metallurg”,  
which was founded  
in 1955 and is  
owned by MMK.**

**The world-famous  
hockey player  
Evgeni Malkin is a  
graduate from the  
hockey school  
“Metallurg”.**





**There are a lot of interesting features that make  
Magnitogorsk one of the most beautiful and unique  
cities in the Urals.**





**There are two mountain-skiing centers in Magnitogorsk, Bannoe and Abzakovo. A lot of people from Russia and other countries come here in winter. You can not only ski but also go to the zoo or just walk and rest.**







## Winter Deaflympics in Magnitogorsk

**Winter Deaflympics took place in "Metallurg-Magnitogorsk" Ski Complex, Resort "Bannoe". From 28 March to 5 April of 2015 the world's best deaf athletes were competing for medals in alpine-skiing, curling, cross-country skiing, snowboard and ice-hockey. Russian sportsmen won 30 medals (12 gold, 6 silver and 12 bronze medals) and became the champions of the Deaflympics!**

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