

Peace Road in Novosibirsk

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The Universal Peace Federation welcomed Ambassador for Peace and the round-the-world cyclist, Ildus Yanyshv, who reached Novosibirsk on September 3 within the Peace Road project. He already conquered the planet by riding round it on a bicycle for 16 months. He was met by representatives of UPF and provided a place for recreation.

The next day, at a dinner at the Rothery Club, Ildus told us about his journey, and about the importance of the bicycle for the successful, healthy and happy life. He also presented the UPF Peace Road project. The meeting was held in a family and friendly atmosphere. On September 5, he visited the school sports and tourist children and youth club Kon-Tiki. There he met Vladimir Kovalenko, a cyclist who traveled round the world on a bicycle back in the 1990s. Inspired by the meeting, Vladimir joined all the events of the Peace Road project in the city.

On September 6, UPF organized a presentation of Ildus and Vladimir in the Novolugovsk School No. 57, which is among the 100 best schools in Russia, before the students of the 8th-9th grades and teachers (about 80 participants). Ildus and Vladimir inspired the students with their experiences promoting healthy and happy lifestyles through cycling. The Peace Road project was declared good experience by both, children and teachers .



In the evening, in the city library of the National Public Library for Science and Technology, Ildus Yanyshv spoke to the cyclists of the city and showed his presentation about the journey within the framework of the Peace Road project and shared about the internal changes that occurred in his life during the trip. In the morning of September 7, he continued his journey to Omsk.

