

SKA NEFTYANIK – KHABAROVSK (UTC +10)



The team was created in 1947. From 1947 to 1953 under the name DOSA (House of Officers of the Soviet Army) and after that under several different names. Since 1998 the name is SKA Neftyanik. The team has played in the elite division, Major League and Super League, since 1954 without interruption. Neftyanik has become Russian Champion 2017, 2018 and 2019.

KHABAROVSK

Khabarovsk is located in south eastern Siberia, where Ussuri River flows into Amur River about 30 kilometres from the border with China. Amur River creates the border between Russia and China. Khabarovsk has a river port, airport and station on the Trans-Siberian railway, in addition to which there are industries, oil refineries and shipyards.

The city has hosted the Men's Bandy World Championships three times; 1991 and since 2015 and 2018.

Population

607 216 people live in Khabarovsk.

Arena

Erofei Arena has an audience capacity of 10 000 spectators. The arena was inaugurated in 2013. The arena was venue for World Championships for men 2015 and 2018.

Last season

Neftyanik became Russian champion again. Neftyanik beat Dynamo Moscow by 3 wins to 0.

New players this season

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| Vitalij Usov | Start, Nizhny Novgorod |
| Boris Shaluhin | Volga, Ulyanovsk |

Players who left

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| Valery Ivkin | Dynamo Moscow |
| Janis Befus | Dynamo Moscow |
| Pavel Ryazantsev | AIK |
| Alexandr Kim | AIK |
| Oleg Tolstihin | Yenisei |
| Denis Lapshin | Yenisei |
| Denis Potjomin | Sibselmash, Novosibirsk |