

The Bratva

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1 Introduction

The Russian Organized Crime Began In Russia , In The Period of the “Tsars”. And Was Re-Enforced when the “Vor V Zakone” Came out of Prison labor Camps Known As “Gulags”

When World War 2 Ended , With The Death Of “Joseph Stalin” , And The Fall of The Soviet Union It Was The Best Time For The Russian Organized Crime Groups , to Spread and to Establish a Firm Base For Their Upcoming Businesses

Fun Fact = Russian Organized Crime Controlled about 2/3 of Russia’s Economy

2 History

The Russian Mafia Dates Back To Russia’s Imperial period(1700) , Where Most of The Population Were Peasents , And Anyone Who Stole Anything From The Government , Was a Folk hero Relative to The poor Population , and Earned a “Robin Hood” Status. After A while , these thief’s Grouped Together to Create a Business Together.

3 World War 2 and Stalin

Stalin sent all criminals to prison , where they started their journey on becoming a “Vor V Zakone” . Vor V Zakones Can be identified By their Complicated Tattoos. Stalin Started to Recuit people from prison to fight against Hitler , when Hitler closed up on the city , but for the Vor V Zakone , working for the goverment was breaking their “thieves code”, so they refused to , and stayed in prison , and where known as “Sukas/Bitches”.he d The Bitches as they where called , started to create their own crime groups inside the prison ,bitterness between crime groups , erupted into a series of Wars , called “Bitch Wars”,Killing people daily , The prison Officials though this was a good way to get rid of criminals , after the death of Stalin 8 Million inmates were released from prison.

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4 Migration

During the period of 1970-1980 , this is when soviet-Jews migrated into Brighton Beach in America . Brighton Beach Had so many Russian people Living there , that it was nicknamed “Little Odessa”, this was the focal point of Russian Organized Crime . During that time , Evsei Argon was the Boss of Russian Organized Crime , and on May of 1985 Argon Was Assasinated , in which Marat Balagula took the leadership . Balagaula later fled the country because he was accused of a Fraud Scheme , but he was later found in Frankfurt,Germany in 1989, he was then sentenced 8 Years in jail. Balagula had a 360,000 Fraud Scheme. In 1992 Nayfield took hes place , partnering with the polish Al capone “Ricardo Franchinini” , setting up heroin business . In 1990 , his former Friend , Monya Elson , was out of prison and started hes own business of heroin , Resulting in a Turf War!

5 Growth and internalization (1992-2000)

Afterb Several meeting of the top Vor V Zakone (Thiefs in law) , they decided to send “Vyacheslav Ivankov” , another Great Vor V Zakone to America(Brighton Beach). Ivankov or Know as Little Japanese , arrived at Brighton Beach in 1992 , and within a year , he was able to make Great connections with The Italian Mob and The Colombian Drug Cartels , Extending Miama , Los Angeles , and Boston. Ivankov’s Arrival Ended the turf war , between Monya Elson and Boris Nayfield. Boris Nayfield was arrested in January of 1994 , and elson in Italy in 1995. Ivankov was also arrested in 1995 , and was sentenced 10 years in jail. Back in Eastern Europe , Semion Mogilevich , arranged meetings in a neighborhood in Prague, Czech Republic. The Main of the party was to Celebrate the Birthday of Victor Averin. One Police Officer Realized there was a plan to kill Mogilevich , He quickly Called Backup and The police Raided the Place , and All Mobsters where Moved To Hungary . Sergie Mikhailiov , The Leader of The Solntsevskaya Bratva , one of the Strongest Russian Gangs , was arrested in Switzerland , in October of 1996. He was Released 2 Years After , Because there was not enough proof against him . Ludwig “Tarzan” Fainberg , was a Jewish Ukrainian arms/weapons Trader.He Had a Friend Called Juan AlMeida , A Colombian Mobster. Tarzan Wanted to assist Juan in hes Drug Trafficking , so he wanted to supply him with a Russian submarine , and 3 Russian Helicopters . Alexander Yasevich , an associate of Russian and Undercover DEA Agent , was able to stop both Tarzan and Juan . Tarzan was sentenced a life sentence , but Juan was only Sentenced 33 Months.

6 Still Present , Still powerful

Even after the death of Aslan Usoyan , Very Strong Vor V Zakone , The Russian Mafia was still strong,Powerful and standing on both feet. 3 people where released in 2004

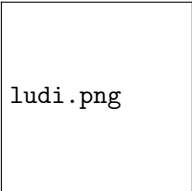
1. Vyacheslav Ivankov
2. Marat Balagula
3. Johanithan Pochival Slokavich

Ivankov was Arrested Again in same Year , Because He Killed 2 Turks. 4 years later he was Asassinated , He was shot to the stomach by a sniper rifle. In 2009 The FBI suspected 2 Mafia leaders

1. Yevgeny Dvoskin = Leader of Russian Crime Group in Europe
2. Konstantin “Gizya” Ginzburg = gangster That was Prison mate with Ivankov

Semion Mogilevich was Placed on top 10 wanted List to The FBI.

“*He was Most powerful Gangster in 1998*” ————— *Monya Elson* Mogilevich was accused of Multimillionare Fraund Scheme , he defrauded the investors of hes own company called “YBM Magnex International”, with 150 Million in hes pocket . Many people Say that Mogilevich was good friends with Vladimir Putin in the 90’s



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