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OTD four years ago, in a small town of Sibay, Russia-occupied Bashkortostan, I saw these hundreds of perfectly drilled school kids marching in perfect groups, and said: "in top 5 years, many will return home in body bags, but before they will kill a lot of civilians". /1



I my age of 19-20, I had my obligatory military drill at my university, and after two years of that drill, I have not marched nearly as good as these school kids. It was obvious for me, they have undergone at least 200-300 hours of marching drill (and 200-400 of other drill) /2



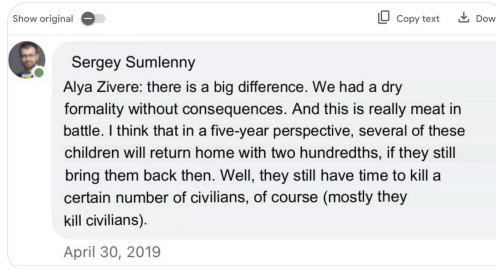
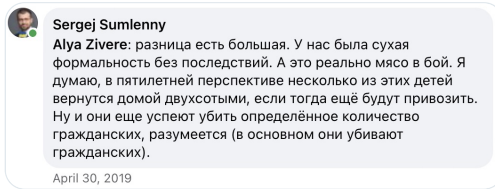
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The full version of a drill parade for teenager in Russian Sibai. Looks pretty disturbing. Once more - as a person who has been through military drill before, I assume these kids have done at least 200-300 hrs of drill behind them.



I said back then: it is clear that Russia is on war path. These kids will be cannon fodder in a few years, they will kill civilians, and than die, and come back as "2ooth" (Russian slang for KIA), if RU decided to bring their bodies back. I was right in every single assessment /3



I also put attention to a girl on the left, who hasn't got a rifle for this rehearsal, but she perfectly simulated the holding position. "She will be a reliable soldier" - I wrote. I showed this video to dozens of German politicians and diplomats as a warning. Nobody believed /4



All signs were visible. Russia was hiding in plain sight. It was a cynical decision by the West to ignore each and every alarm bell, and to silence those who tried to warn the public: private persons or the whole nations like the Poles, the Ukrainians or the Baltic nations. /END

I remember how Germany's government-funded [@DeutscheWelle](#) TV mocked the US and Ukraine as "war mongers", indirectly accusing the US and Ukraine of being aggressors who were to attack Russia, in Feb2022, 10 days before the Russian full-scale invasion



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German state media [@dwnews](#) in its Russian-speaking „satire show“. Zelensky is leaving a US warehouse with Javelins. Blinken: „And what if there will be no war tomorrow?“ Biden: „No, no. We have given him so much weapons - there will be war for sure now“. What the hell [@inespohl](#)?



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