



# THANK YOU AGAIN!



Once again I'd like to thank everyone for their contributions towards my 3<sup>rd</sup> trip to Ukraine with JEeps FOR PEACE at the beginning of December. Because of the expected winter conditions, the decision was taken to cut back and only use drivers who had been on previous trips. That said we managed to deliver a further 11 pickups to the Ukrainian Army along with 3 for a sister organisation in the Netherlands which we handed over on arrival in Amsterdam.

And wintery it was! We woke on our second morning just outside Leipzig, Germany to find snow covered vehicles and so it was for the remainder of the trip. Two separate black ice smashes on the motorway later resulted in one pickup being towed into Ukraine but fortunately nobody was injured (just annoyed).



2<sup>nd</sup> Morning



Arriving at the Ukrainian Border



We delivered the vehicles to Kolomiya again but one of our drivers, Chris, took her pickup full of aid all the way to Kharkiv for handover to the Army (faces hidden). I gave Chris the remaining knitted mice (thanks Jo senior) to take with her for passing on to deserving kids. This happy recipient was a displaced wee lad out in eastern Ukraine.



We hosted members of the Ukrainian Army and Regional Administrators on our last night who very sincerely passed on their thanks and appreciation not only to us but to contributors like you who help make these trips the success that they are.

So again THANK YOU for your generosity

Stuart