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Putin Named Russia's Hottest Man

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Putin's many photo ops showing his rugged outdoor adventures paid off. **Kremlin.ru**

The thirst is real for Russians who still want "someone like Putin" after all these years of bare-chested horse riding and rugged hunting excursions.

According to a poll by the Superjob.ru job board published Friday, 18% of men and 17% of women surveyed named President Vladimir Putin as Russia's most handsome man.

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The 68-year-old bachelor is the only individual to receive double digits in the open-ended questionnaire. Nineteen percent of men named themselves as Russia's most handsome man, while 18% of women said there are no handsome men in Russia.

"Russians still call Vladimir Putin the most attractive famous man in the country," Superjob.ru declared, despite the 1% dip in his rating from last year.

"Neither actors nor athletes or other politicians can compete with him today," it said.

Indeed, the commando-in-chief maintained a comfortable lead on his closest competitors actors Dmitry Nagiyev, Danila Kozlovsky and Konstantin Khabensky, whose handsomeness was identified by a mere 2-3% of respondents.

Superjob.ru said it carried out the in-person survey among 1,000 men and 1,000 women in more than 300 Russian cities between March 22-April 1.

The results were published days after lawmakers passed legislation allowing Putin to remain president until 2036, when Russians' biggest crush turns 83.

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