

THE C.L.B.

PATRON: The Honourable Edward Roberts
Lieutenant Governor of Newfoundland and Labrador

DIOCESAN BISHOP:
Rt. Rev. C. Pitman

BATTALION CHAPLAIN:
The Rev. D. Pilling



COMMANDING OFFICER:
Lt. Col. H. Mercer CD

SECOND IN COMMAND:
Captain D. Neil

ADJUTANT:
Captain G. Dick

Avalon Battalion # 41

Orders by Lt. Col. Harry Mercer, Commanding Officer, Avalon Battalion May 1, 2010

89. Appreciation

Lt. Col. Mercer would like to congratulate all ranks on their performance and turnout at the Battalion Spring Parade held at St. Mark's Church on April 25, 2010. A special thank you to the Regimental Band and Avalon Battalion Drum and Bugle Band.

90. Colonel's Award

Company Commanders are reminded of the April 15th deadline for submission of application for the Colonel's Award. If you plan on awarding this to one member of your Company at your Annual Inspection you must submit application to the Battalion Adjutant a.s.a.p. A copy of the form for completion and submission was included in April's Orders.

91. Toast to the CLB

Included in March's Orders was a copy of a Toast to the CLB which should be used at all Company Banquets.

92. Bishop's Badge

Companies are reminded that the deadline for application for the Bishop's Badge is June 30th. The application for the Bishop's Badge and criteria for awarding the Bishop's Badge was sent out with April's Orders.

93. Report of Company Activities

To qualify for points under the Colonel Stirling Rankings System, Company Activity Report form (January - June) must be submitted to the Battalion Adjutant no later than June 30, 2009. A copy of this form is included with these Orders.

94. Duke of Edinburgh Awards

Companies are reminded of the June 30, 2010 deadline for submission of the form with the names of youth who have completed the Duke of Edinburgh Awards (all levels), for points to be awarded under the Colonel Stirling Rankings.

95. Summer Camps

Lt. Col. Mercer encourages all ranks to attend this years summer camps at Mint Brook. The experience and friendships made attending these camps will last for years to come.

96. Senior Corps Attendance Medal

Companies are reminded that when members of the Senior Corps are awarded the Attendance Medal, they can only wear the medal for one training year following the presentation of the medal, and in order to continue wearing it they must re-qualify each training year thereafter.

97. Mess Meetings

Lt. Col. Mercer wishes to congratulate the following on being elected to the Executive of the W & NCO's Mess:

President	Sgt. Eric Balkam
Vice President	WO2 Kathleen Mercer
Treasurer	Cpl. Kassandra Hibbs
Secretary	Cpl. Taylor Mercer

98. Company Commanders' Workshop (Advance Notice)

There will be a Company Chaplains/Company Commanders meeting held on Sunday August 29, 2010 at 2:00 p.m. at the CLB Armoury. If any Company Commander cannot attend this meeting, please contact Major Rose and ensure another Officer from your Company attends on your behalf. It is mandatory for all Companies to be represented at this meeting as we will be discussing plans for the upcoming 2010 - 2011 training year.

99. Applications for Battalion Sergeant Major

Major Gary Rose is now accepting applications for the position of Avalon Battalion Sergeant Major (BSM). Please forward written resume including your CLB history, why you fell you are suited for this position and what you feel the role of the BSM entails. All resumes should be sent to Major Gary Rose, 1071 Indian Meal Line, Portugal Cove - St. Philips, NL, A1M 3C4 no later than May 31, 2010.

100. Confirmation of Company Orders

St. Mark's Company # 1008 (Mar./Apr.)	Foxtrap Company #4435 (Feb. - Apr.)
St. Augustine's Company #4548 (Mar./Apr.)	St. Michael's Company #4512 (Nov. Mar.)
Paradise Company #1010 (Mar./Apr.)	Topsail Company (Mar.)
Upper Gullies Company #1004 (Mar./Apr.)	

101. Upcoming Events

Apr. 15	Deadline for Submission of Colonel's Award
May 31	Deadline for Applications for Avalon Battalion Sergeant Major (BSM)
June 30	Deadline for Submission of Company Activity Report (Jan. - June)
June 30	Submission of Bishop's Badge Application
June 30	Submission of Duke of Edinburgh Recipients
July 3 - 10	Senior Camp
July 10 - 17	1 st JTC Camp
July 17 - 24	2 nd JTC Camp
Aug. 29	Company Chaplains/Company Commanders Meeting

**Capt. Gail Dick
Adjutant**