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PATRON: The Honourable John C. Crosbie, PC, OC, ONL, QC
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
June 1, 2009

129. Promotions

To Be Lance Sergeant

#16899 Michael Seymour
#17041 Crystal Hunt

Upper Gullies Company
St. Augustine's Company

To Be Warrant Officer Second Class

#16207 Tracey Fowler
#16245 Justin Evans

Topsail Company
St. Mark's Company

130. Appointment

On the recommendation of Rev. Lynn Courage and on the approval of the Executive of Brigade Council, Civilian Instructor Ruth Leake is appointed Officer Candidate wef May 1, 2009.

131. Colonel's Award

Congratulations are extended to the following recipients of the Colonel's Award:

Spr. Michaela Burke
#16681 Matthew Peach
PO1 Stephen Williams
#17268 J/LCpl. Nicolas Mercer
#17785Pte. Mitchell McCarthy
#17955 Pte. Devon Adams
#17430Pte. William Leake
#17745 Pte. Coady Dunne
#17950 Pte. Sarah Cooze
#15238 Sgt. David Morgan

2355 CLB RCACS
Foxtrap Company
81 NLCC Polynia
Portugal Cove Company
Paradise Company
St. Augustine's Company
St. Mark's Company
St. Michael's Company
Topsail Company
Upper Gullies Company

132. Bishop's Badge

Companies are reminded of the June 30, 2009 deadline for application of the Bishop's Badge. Copies of the revised application for the Bishop's Badge and criteria for awarding the Bishop's Badge were sent out with May Orders.

133. Report of Company Activities

To qualify for points under the Colonel Stirling Rankings system, the Company Activity Report Form (January to June) must be submitted to the Battalion Adjutant no later than June 30, 2009. A copy of the form was sent out with May's Orders.

134. Duke of Edinburgh Awards

Companies are reminded of the June 30, 2009 deadline for submission of the form with the names of youth who completed the Duke of Edinburgh Awards (all levels), for points to be awarded under the Colonel Stirling Rankings. A copy of the form is attached with Orders.

135. 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.

136. Avalon Battalion Spring Parade (Advance Notice)

The 2010 Avalon Battalion Spring Parade has been awarded to St. Mark's Company. Further details to follow.

137. Avalon Battalion Sports Schedule

All Companies are reminded that the 2009 - 2010 Sports Schedule has been released and asked to keep these dates in mind when scheduling Company Activities in the new training year.

138. Company Commander's Workshop (Advance Notice)

The Company Commanders' Workshop will be held on Sunday, September 13, 2009. It will begin with a Corporate Communion at 10:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided and the working session will commence immediately after. This workshop is a requirement for all Company Commanders plus one other Officer from the Company and they are expected to participate for the full workshop. Dress: Supplementary Uniform (blues).

The agenda and location for the workshop will be sent with September's Orders.

139. Avalon Battalion Officers' Mess

The Election of Officers for the Avalon Battalion Officers Mess will take place in the fall. The next meeting will be held at the Armoury on Sunday, September 28, 2008 commencing at 8:00

p.m. Any Officer interested in running for an Executive position, please forward your name to Lt. Wilma Williams at 773-1402.

140. End of Training Year

Lt. Col. Mercer would like to extend his sincere thanks and appreciation to all ranks for their hard work throughout the past training year and wishes fun and fellowship for those attending summer camp at Mint Brook.

Also, members of Avalon Battalion Staff express a sincere thank you and much appreciation for the friendly welcomes given them on their numerous visits during the past year. We wish all ranks a safe and enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing all of you in September.

141. Confirmation of Company Orders

Paradise Company #1010 (May)	Topsail Company #1001 (Apr/May)
St. Augustine's Company #4548 (May)	St. Mark's Company #1008 (May)
St. Michael's Company #4512 (May)	Upper Gullies Company #1004 (May)

142. Upcoming Events

June 21	Belize Church Parade
June 30	Deadline for submission of application for Bishop's Badge
June 30	Deadline for submission of Company Activity Report (January to June)
June 30	Deadline for report of recipients of Duke of Edinburgh Awards
July 4 - 11	1 st JTC Camp
July 11 - 18	2 nd JTC Camp
July 18 - 25	Senior Camp
Sept. 13	Company Commanders' Workshop

**Gail Dick, Captain
Adjutant**