

ROYAL CANADIAN SEA CADET CORPS NELSON

ROUTINE ORDERS

January 2024

2111 Upper Water Street, Halifax, NS

<http://www.1nelson.ca>

Part 1: DUTIES, DRESS AND APPOINTMENTS

DATE	OOD	POOD	BROW	QM	DUTY	DRESS
9 Jan	Capt Weatherbee	PO1 Fu	PO2 Abi-Daoud	PO2 Grandbois	Trafalgar	CAF Mbrs: Civies Cadet: Civies
16 Jan	NCdt Kirkpatrick	PO1 Su	PO1 Akintokun	PO2 Lavoie	Victory	CAF Mbrs: No. 5 Cadet: C4 (STU)
23 Jan	SLt Jack	PO1 Gilligan	PO1 MA, A	PO2 Mathukuda	Trafalgar	CAF Mbrs: No. 5 Cadet: C4 (STU)
30 Jan	Lt(N) Taylor	PO1 Akintokun	PO1 Su	MC Babburi	Victory	CAF Mbrs: No. 1A Cadet: C1

Part 2: PERSONNEL TRANSACTIONS

Taken On Strength (TOS)	Struck off Strength (SOS)	Excused Drill and Training (ED&T)	Volunteers
Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Savard, S
			Willis, D
			MS Richards, C
			Lt(N) Kavanaugh, D
			Schmidt, B

Part 3: GENERAL ITEMS

1. Appointments.

a. The following personnel have been appointed to the indicated primary duty:

i. Nil.

b. The following personnel have been appointed to the indicated secondary duty:

i. Nil.

2. **Excused Absences.** If you are unable to attend training, please be sure to email 1Sea@cadets.gc.ca and inform us ahead of time of date(s) you will be absent.

3. **Change of Command.** On January 30, 2024, RCSCC Nelson will conduct a Change of Command Parade at HMCS *Scotian*. Parents / Guardians are invited to attend this ceremony. An official invitation will be distributed via social media and email in the coming weeks.

4. **Open Collared Shirts.** Cadets are advised that open collared shirts are no longer authorized for wear with the C1 uniform. If cadets have a short sleeve shirt without a top button, they should see supply ASAP.

5. **Cadet Documents & Paperwork:** We continue to work on the yearly process of making sure that all Nelson cadet paper and digital files are up to date. In the coming weeks, parents/guardians may receive notices by email, or as a paper handout, which request that they provide certain specific documents or information to our Admin staff for their cadet's file. If you cannot provide a document that is requested, or if you have questions about what is being asked and why, please reach out as soon as possible to the Admin Officer, SLt Jack (olivia.jack@cadets.gc.ca). We are happy to work together with our families to make sure each cadet's file is complete, and to answer any queries you may have about how these documents are used.

6. **Nelson Website.** Did you know that many useful notices, items, and information for corps activities can be found any time on our corps website at www.1nelson.ca? Uniform tips, a digital event calendar, online copies of these Routine Orders, links to our corps

social media accounts, an easy quick-contact form, and more. And it's mobile-friendly! Check it out, add it to your bookmarks! We are always updating and adding to our website to better serve everyone at Nelson.

7. Training Activities

a. Upcoming Training Activities

- i. **13-14 Jan - Advanced Leadership.** All Phase 4 and 5 cadets have been registered and are expected to attend. If you do not intend to attend the activity, they are to inform the TrgO.
- ii. **26-28 Jan Sea Elemental Training Weekend** – The mandatory elemental training weekend will take place 26-28 January. The event will be held at 12 Wing Shearwater. Further details and a sign-up sheet will be distributed via Social Media and Email.

b. Sunday Training Schedule

14 January

- i. **Band Practice: 0900-1200.** Nelson will hold a band practice at HMCS *Scotian* for cadets who have signed up to play in our band. For more information, cadets are to contact SLt Taylor (Joseph.Taylor@cadets.gc.ca)
- ii. **Marksmanship Practice: 1200 – 1500.** Open try out for the unit's marksmanship team. Questions or concerns can be sent to 1Sea@cadets.gc.ca.

21 January

- i. **Drill Practice: 0900-1200.** Nelson will hold a drill practice for cadets interested in being on the Unit's Drill Team. This practice is open to all cadets. Questions can be directed to SLt Taylor (Joseph.Taylor@cadets.gc.ca).
- ii. **Marksmanship Practice: 1200 – 1500.** Open try out for the unit's marksmanship team. Questions or concerns can be sent to 1Sea@cadets.gc.ca.

c. Dress for Weekend Training is civies unless otherwise directed.

8. **Message from the Commanding Officer.** This month marks the transition of the helm from myself to SLt Edwards. When I came to Nelson, the intent was to ensure that the corps had a strong adult team to lead it out of the COVID-19 pandemic. Over the last 18 months, the staff of Nelson has grown far quicker than anticipated and the time is right to allow SLt Edwards to take over. I know that the cadets, parents, and branch will provide SLt Edwards the same level of dedication and support which they have provided me. I look forward to seeing everyone at the change of command on January 30th.



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