

Parade Routine

No	Command	Given By	Executions	Observations
1			The RPO marches to and halts three paces in front of the 'A' Coy flag	Cadets are formed into their divisions and assume the position of 'stand easy'
2	MARKERS	RPO	The markers come to attention and march onto the parade square. The marker halts at the front marked by a 'x'	Remaining division stays at 'stand easy'
3	MARKERS, RIGHT – TURN	RPO	Both markers turn and face the dais.	
4	MARKERS – STEADY	RPO	The markers stand fast.	
5	MARKERS, LEFT – TURN	RPO	The markers turn left	This order places the markers in line. The RPO marches to a position 15 paces in front and center of where the Ship's company will be formed.
6	RCSCC NELSON, FALL – IN	RPO	Each DPO comes to attention and turns to face their division	
7	DIVISION (NAME) – ATTENTION	DPO		These are given by each DPO consecutively.
8	DIVISION (NAME), MOVE TO THE RIGHT IN COLUMN OF THREES, RIGHT – TURN	DPO		These are given by each DPO one after the other.
9	DIVISION (NAME), QUICK – MARCH	DPO		Where required, commands for wheeling will be given to bring the division to its marker. Each company will be maneuvered to be in line with its

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				marker from the left.
10	SHIP'S COMPANY – HALT	RPO		The division will mark time until the halt is called.
11	RCSCC NELSON, ADVANCE, LEFT – TURN	RPO		
12	RCSCC NELSON, OPEN ORDER – MARCH	RPO		
13	RCSCC NELSON, RIGHT – DRESS	RPO		
14	RCSCC NELSON, EYES – FRONT	RPO		
15	REPORT FOR YOUR DIVISIONS	RPO	The DPO reports the strength of their divisions from the right.	“ _____ division, ___ cadets on parade, Chief”
16			The RPO turns about and reports the Ship's Company to the Coxswain. The Cox'n orders the RPO to fall in. RPO turns right, and marches to their position on parade. The Cox'n takes two paces forward to assume the RPO's former position	The Cox'n shall wait until the RPO has adopted this new position before giving any further commands. It is common for the Cox'n to exercise the Ship's Company by ordering it to stand at ease and then back to attention.
17	DIVISION (NAME), STAND AT EASE	DPO		
18	RCSCC NELSON, ATTENTION	COX'N		
19	MARCH ON THE GUARD AND BAND	COX'N		
20	GUARD AND BAND – ATTENTION	GUARD PO		
21	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	GUARD PO		
22	GUARD AND BAND, BY THE CENTRE, QUICK – MARCH	GUARD PO		
23	GUARD, LEFT (RIGHT) – TURN	GUARD PO		The guard and band line up in the centre of the dais

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24	GUARD – HALT	GUARD PO		
25		DRUM MAJOR	The band stops at the correct position, carrying out the signals given by the Drum Major.	
26	GUARD AND BAND, BY THE CENTRE – DRESS	GUARD PO		
27	GUARD AND BAND, EYES – FRONT	GUARD PO		
28	GUARD, ORDER – ARMS	GUARD PO		
29	RCSCC NELSON, STAND AT EASE	COX’N		Ready to receive the reviewing party.
30	RCSCC NELSON, ATTENTION	COX’N		Upon the arrival of the reviewing party.
31	GUARD, SLOPE ARMS	COX’N		
32	RCSCC NELSON, GENERAL SALUTE, PRESENT ARMS	COX’N	All DPOs salute at the last movement of the guard	
33	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	COX’N		
34	GUARD, ORDER – ARMS	GUARD PO	The Cox’n goes to take up a position to the left of the dais, facing the rear.	
35		GUARD PO	The Guard PO moves forward three paces from the dais and salutes Address the reviewer: “I am (rank and name). The guard of RCSCC Nelson, is ready for your inspection (sir/Ma’am).” The Guard PO accompanies the dignitary during the inspection. When	

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			<p>the inspection is finished the Guard PO returns to the dais with the dignitary. When the dignitary is on the dais, the Guard PO asks his/her permission to carry on, salutes and returns to their position.</p>	
36		COX'N	<p>The Cox'n moves forward three paces from the dais and salutes</p> <p>Address the reviewer: "I am (rank and name). The Ship's Company of RCSCC Nelson, is ready for your inspection (sir/Ma'am)."</p> <p>The Cox'n accompanies the dignitary during the inspection. When the inspection is finished the Guard PO returns to the dais with the dignitary. When the dignitary is on the dais, the Guard PO asks his/her permission to carry on, salutes and returns to their position.</p>	
37	RCSCC NELSON, CLOSE ORDER – MARCH	COX'N		
38	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	COX'N		

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39		COX'N	Reports to the dais: "Inspection complete permission to carry on with the march past?"	
40	RCSCC NELSON WILL MARCH PAST IN COLUMN OF ROUTE AND IN CLOSE COLUMN OF DIVISIONS. MOVE TO THE RIGHT, IN COLUMN OF ROUTE, RIGHT – TURN	COX'N		
41	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISION, BY THE LEFT QUICK – MARCH	COX'N		
42	GUARD, BY THE LEFT, QUICK – MARCH	GUARD PO		
43	DIVISION (NAME), BY THE LEFT, QUICK – MARCH	DPO		In succession of division
44	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISION, EYES – RIGHT	COX'N		
45	GUARD, EYES – RIGHT	GUARD PO		
46	DIVISION (NAME), EYES – RIGHT	DPO		
47	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, EYES – FRONT	COX'N		
48	GUARD, EYES – FRONT	GUARD PO		
49	DIVISION (NAME), EYES – FRONT	DPO		
50	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, LEFT – TURN	COX'N		
51	GUARD, LEFT – TURN	GUARD PO	At completion of the turn, the Guard PO and Cox'n move to the front of the division.	
52	DIVISION (NAME), LEFT – TURN	DPO	At completion of the turn, the DPO moves to the front of the division.	
53	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, EYE – RIGHT	COX'N		
54	GUARD, EYES – RIGHT	GUARD PO		
55	DIVISION (NAME), EYES – RIGHT	DPO		

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56	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, EYES – FRONT	COX'N		
57	GUARD, EYES – FRONT	GUARD PO		
58	DIVISION (NAME), EYES – FRONT	DPO		
59	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, ADVANCE FROM THE RIGHT IN THREES, RIGHT – TURN	COX'N		
60	GUARD, RIGHT – TURN	GUARD PO		
61	DIVISION (NAME), RIGHT – TURN	DPO		
62	IN SUCCESSION OF DIVISIONS, HALT	COX'N		
63	GUARD, HALT	GUARD PO		
64	DIVISION (NAME), HALT	DPO		
65	RCSCC NELSON, LEFT – TURN	COX'N		
66		COX'N	Reports to the dais: “March Past complete permission to carry on with awards and presentations?”	
67	GUARD, ORDER – ARMS	GUARD PO		
68	RCSCC NELSON, OPEN ORDERS – MARCH	COX'N		
69	RCSCC NELSON, RIGHT – DRESS	COX'N		
70	RCSCC NELSON, EYES – FRONT	COX'N		
71	RCSCC NELSON, STAND AT – EASE	COX'N		
72	STAND EASY	COX'N		
73	RCSCC NELSON, ATTENTION	COX'N		
74	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	COX'N		
75		COX'N	Reports to the dais: “Awards and presentations complete permission to carry on with advance in review order?”	

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76	GUARD, PRESENT – ARMS	COX'N	At the last movement of the guard the band begins playing the national anthem and the Cox'n, the DPO salute but do not sing.	
77	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	COX'N		
78	RCSCC NELSON WILL ADVANCE (7 PACES) IN REVIEW ORDER, BY THE CENTRE, QUICK – MARCH	COX'N		
79	RCSCC NELSON, GENERAL SALUTE, PRESENT – ARMS	COX'N		
80	GUARD, SLOPE – ARMS	COX'N		
81	MARCH OFF THE GUARD AND BAND	COX'N		
82	GUARD, RIGHT – TURN	GUARD PO		
83	GUARD AND BAND, QUICK – MARCH	GUARD PO		
84	STAND AT – EASE	COX'N		
85	RPO	COX'N	<p>The RPO presents themselves and receives instructions. The Cox'n returns afterwards and leaves the parade square.</p> <p>The RPO orders the Ship's Company to stand at attention at the departure of the Cox'n.</p>	
86			The RPO carries out the instructions received from the Cox'n and dismisses the Ship's Company.	