

Helicopters bound for the Balkans transit through Winnipeg

Photos by Sgt Dennis J. Mah, 1 CAD Public Affairs

Eight CH-146 Griffon helicopters from Edmonton-based 408 Tactical Helicopter Squadron departed Winnipeg on May 11 on the second leg of a cross-country journey that will eventually see the aircraft and their crews in the Balkans. The helicopters are en route to Montreal for loading aboard a cargo ship bound for the former Yugoslav republic of Macedonia.



The first helicopters take off from Winnipeg. The remaining four arrived a few hours later, delayed by the weather.

There are about 200 air force personnel among the 800-strong Canadian Forces

contingent slated for deployment to the region. The Canadian contingent will be part of the NATO peace-

implementation force intended to enter Kosovo after a peace agreement has been reached. In the meantime, the

force will assist with humanitarian efforts in the former Yugoslav republic of Macedonia.



MCpl Marki Anderson, a flight engineer with 408 Squadron adjusts his helmet as he prepares to depart 17 Wing.

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Mail to Voxair

By Major CM Walton-Simm
Managing Editor

Last year we indicated to our readership that we had initiated the development of a Voxair Web Page. I am happy to announce that our Web Site is up and running effectively immediately. The design work and construction has been spearheaded by our Systems Coordinator, Sgt Bill Sproul, who has had to develop the site in his spare time (what little we have left of that) and in conjunction with TISS and the 17 Wing Web Site initiative. As a result of the collaboration required, it took a little longer to reach our objective. However, the Web Site is now operational and you are welcome to view it through the Internet, utilizing the following address:

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In the next few months it should become a component of the 17 Wing Web Site as well. When accessing the 'current issue', we have placed, on-line, a few articles from the most recent issue of the Voxair. We have chosen to update on a monthly basis for now (ie: articles will be selected from the end month issue of the Voxair) and articles are selected that will be of interest to a broader readership.

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from the likes of global warming, ozone layer depletion, the collapse of a fishery, floods, record heat waves or pollution of the biosphere, but just the same is trying to make a difference...a little bit at a time. For more information on how to nominate someone, or other information on Environmental Week activities, check out the 1 CAD A4 Env DIN site or contact Lise Smith, A4 Env 3A at local 5776.



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The Supply Line

by Maj D Miller, WSUP0

'Just-in-Time Delivery' or 'JIT', we've all heard the phrase but what does it really mean and how does it apply in this day and age of evolution, revolution, and devolution.

The current evolution of 'core capability' to conduct military operations is being defined as the resources and activities that place hot metal on a target. While somewhat short sighted, the demarcation line between combat service support at the tactical and strategic level is a reasonable point to examine JIT material (goods & services) delivery. The three legs of war have always been strategy, tactics, and logistics.

JIT, in military terms, is the application of continuous improvement activities to military tasks in an effort to become a most efficient organization (MEG). To accomplish this objective, we will use all options available to us in the appropriate situations. Both Just-in-Case (status quo) and Alternate Service Delivery (ASD) provide valid solutions to specific combat service support concerns. The professional logistician will determine what course of action in a given situation is the best use of available resources.

JIT delivery of materials in support of war does not imply zero inventory holdings prior to planned customer delivery date. The primary elements of JIT are universal: to dynamically improve quality planning; to have a predetermined inventory when and where required; to reduce the lead-time of getting resources to location when required; to dynamically revise operations themselves; and, to accomplish these tasks within the current resource envelope.

The core of this article will focus on the mission package - the lowest common component in war. The mission package consists of the mission, the resources, and the combat support service resources (Eng/Log).

The operational element is the decision-maker, responsible for mission planning, strategy and tactics. The combat services support elements, a combination of engineering (technical authority) and logistics (resource manager) elements, provide the operators the combat capability available to the mission. The operational element decides on the mission execution, adjusting tactics to account for their input. Though over simplified, the mission package can be applied at all three levels: tactical, operational, and strategic.

To mount and sustain the mission you need to be integrally involved in all aspects of planning the mission parameters - what, where, when, resource requirements (people, equipment, stores). A consistent theme in all joint operations is the failure to integrate the operational and combat service elements throughout operations, which results in inefficient utilization of resources. While generally successful, there is a concern that conducting operations in a higher threat environment may be less effective and more costly in resources.

Combat stores are held at all three levels. The type and quantity of material held at each location is a balance of the mission package(s), equipment involved, load capacity, replenishment lead-time, and threat. Built into the combat stores at each level is a planned safety stock for critical stores. An infantryman armed with a personal weapon carries one-day combat load. More complicated weapons platforms carry a mission-specific ordinance load. The primary source of strategic sustainment will be industry with delivery lead-time the primary risk. In Canada, very little war industry capacity exists. United States, our major ally and trading partner, has the necessary war industry capacity but their first priority will be the US DoD. At the operations level, our allies would be a potential sustainment source. Our sustainment plans must take this

into account. Both critical spares for essential equipment and ammunition are valid items to hold as strategic inventory (Just-in-Case) to mitigate sustainment problems.

Replenishment is dictated by a combination of mission requirements, material availability, distribution capability, external threat and resource limitations. Mounting and sustaining operations is dependent on integrated planning of both operational and combat support services elements. Combat Service Support (CSS) must be involved in the recess. From this they can plan the distribution network. Mobilizing industrial capability and effective use of allied sustainment capabilities are critical to both and operational support levels of the mission(s). While there is a risk to relying on commercial distribution at the operational and tactical levels, they have proven themselves at the strategic level. Joint tactical distribution with allies is a viable means of ensuring distribution. Again, sustainment plans must be adjusted to reflect the capability restrictions.

CSS sustainment plans must be integrated with the operational elements so that they can adjust strategy and tactics to reflect the logistics impact on their combat capability. Timely information, positive and negative, will permit the operational element to maintain tactical flexibility.

For JIT material delivery to be effective, there are a number of critical factors: change management - a buy-in to continuous improvement at all levels; iterative business planning - the determination of core competencies, infrastructure and resources required for the military role; good management information systems - integration of CFSSU, FMAS, HRIS, J2CIS, and MASIS; engineering - simplification and standardization of equipment, a minimization of customization and a move to commercial off the shelf (COTS) systems and equipment; and, supplier partnerships - it is necessary to seek changes in procurement policies and investigate

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new avenues of capability to tap.

The CF is undergoing significant changes. The JIT approach to material sustainment is a viable approach to performing combat services support when resources are limited. While there is a higher level of risk, retaining military control of core sustainment activities is more reliable than privatizing operation/tactical level

sustainment services. JIT represents a less expensive way for sustainment than the actual status quo, and a less risky way to sustain our operation than ASD.

So there you have it-an explanation, be it brief, on JIT. Should you have any questions on the subject I would be happy to address anything discussed in this column.

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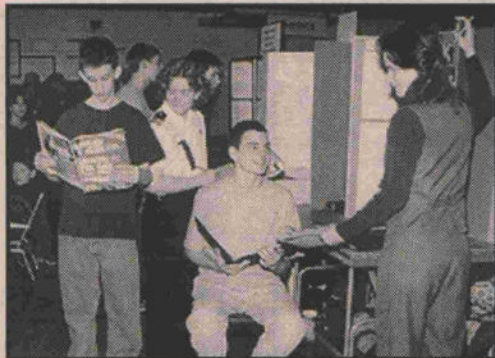
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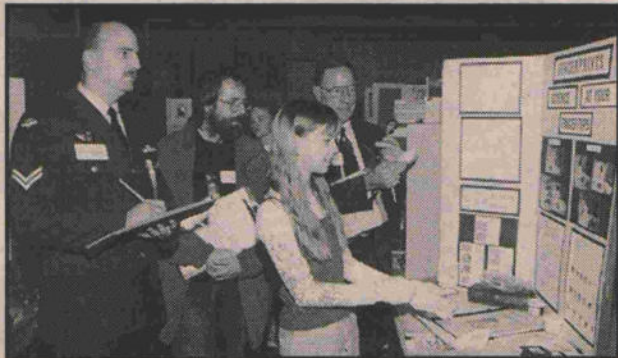
By 2Lt. Doyon-Gosselin

Once again this year, some 17 Wing members took the time to judge at a Science Fair for a day. Held at John Taylor Collegiate, the best of St-James-Assiniboia divisional projects were displayed in the gymnasium. In the morning, military members along with civilian teachers and professionals viewed all the high schools' projects. Most were impressed with a project named 'Automated Guidance System', which could help blind people to drive a vehicle.

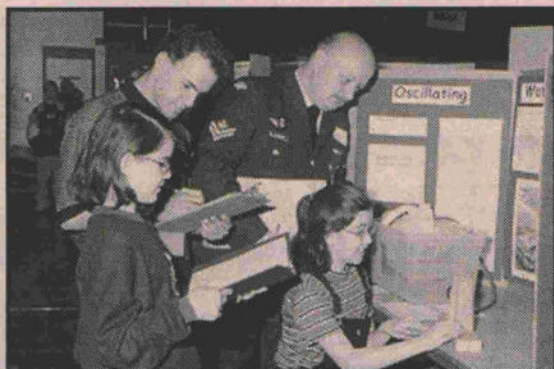
After lunch, judges proceeded to the gymnasium, this time to be surprised by projects from grades 4 to 6. It is always rewarding to see that young students are leaning toward working in the field of science. It's satisfying to be a judge in a Science Fair, but it's really not a day off work. In fact, it drains a lot of energy to work with the youth! But seeing them happy and smart makes you think that the future generation of scientists will be more creative than ever.



Grade 9 student Blair Evans of Westwood Collegiate shows Lt(N) Donna Dynes, WHosp, his magazine articles while his partner in the experiment, Jeff Bartz describes his nores on the subject to Ms Lise Smith, 1 CAD Environment Section of Air Field Engineering. The name of the experiment is "Y2K".



Grade 6 student Amber Rodger of Bruce Middle School demonstrates the art of her experiment called "Fingerprints science at your fingertips". Judging the experiment are (l to R) Cpl Marco Fillion, from Wing Supply, Dr Randy Kobes, Professor of physics at U of W and Mr Tom Carlyle, Superintendent of Secondary Schools for the Division.



Tabitha Marshall, a Grade 6 student from Ness Middle School describes her experiment called "Oscillating water column generator" to MCpl Blair Sherwood from 1 AMS, while twin sister Amy goes over notes with another judge, Mr Kevin Barrett, a mechanical engineer.



Katherine Ward, a grade 9 student from Silver Heights High School explains her "How pure is our drinking water?" experiment to judges 2Lt Benoit Doyon-Gosselin, WCOL and Mr Don Sexton, a biologist.

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Sitting in the front row, from left to right, are Lieutenant Colonel Dan Edgar, Commandant of 3 CFFTS, Brigadier Lucas, A3 Operations 1 CAD and Reviewing Officer, and Colonel Hal Wishart, our Honorary Colonel.

Congratulations to all the Wings Graduates of Course 9805 from the staff of 3CFFTS, Southport.

On 23 April, two students from the Basic Helicopter School and four students from the Multi School received their Canadian Forces pilot wings from Brigadier J.S. Lucas, A3 Operations 1 Canadian Air Division. The occasion was marked with a Wings Presentation Ceremony and formal dinner in the Combined Mess of 3 Canadian Forces Flying Training School Southport, where families and friends gathered to celebrate.

The graduates of course 9805 are as follows (standing, back row, left to right): Capt Larry Arnold is posted to 407 Squadron in Comox, B.C. to fly the Aurora aircraft; Capt Brad Steels is posted to 444 Squadron in Goose Bay, Labrador to fly the Griffon helicopter; Capt Shawn Duffy is posted to 417 Squadron in Cold Lake, Alberta to fly the Griffon helicopter; Capt Michel Goulet is posted to 429 Squadron in Trenton, Ontario to fly the Hercules aircraft; Capt Shaun McIntosh is posted to 402 Squadron in Winnipeg, Manitoba to fly the Dash-8 aircraft; and, Capt Mark Lecours is posted to 435 Squadron in Winnipeg, Manitoba to fly the Hercules aircraft.

Of interest, two graduates had the honour of being presented their wings by a family member who has had previous military service. Capt Shaun McIntosh was presented his wings by Mr. Roger McIntosh, Shaun's brother, in memory of their father, Capt R.W. McIntosh, who was killed on active duty in April 1971. Capt Shawn Duffy received his wings from his father, Petty Officer First Class (Ret'd) Ted Duffy, who served with the Canadian Navy from

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By Captain J. Tardivel
Stds O CFMDS

The Canadian Forces Management Development School (CFMDS) gets a lot of mileage out of its Middle Management Leadership Development Course (MMLDC). This course is intended for middle managers with the rank of Maj/Capt, Sgt/WO and DND civilian employee of equivalent status. The course duration has recently been reduced from three to two weeks. The MMLDC covers all the important themes of leadership and management using a participative approach, thus allowing for increasing the level of reflection and awareness of participants in order to ultimately modify attitudes and behaviours. The CFMDS General Management Education (GME) Team has responded to Naval Staff requests by conducting the MMLDC at both Halifax and Esquimalt in March 99. The participants were some 40 Senior NCMs selected by the requesting agencies. Meanwhile, a few thousands kilometres away, three-members of the GME Team were offering the MMLDC to some 26 leaders of the Cambodian Mine Action Centre (CEMAC) in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. The CEMAC comprises over 3000 employees and is supported by the United Nations. The Canadian ambassador to Cambodia, His Excellency Gordon Longmuir, was present at the end of course ceremony, which was certainly somewhat out of the ordinary! The event was reported in the national media. CFMDS has proven without a doubt that it is open to the formula of offering courses based upon the requesting unit's requirements. In the case of the MMLDC, you may contact the Team

Leader, Maj Christian Desrosiers at CSN 661-7856 or (450) 358-7099 ext. 7856 or the GME clerk Cpl Christian Brodeur at CSN 661-7522 or (450) 358-7099 ext. 7522. Visit our Internet web site in order to learn about our other services at <http://www.cfmds.netc.net/>.

L'École de Perfectionnement en gestion des FC rayonne d'un océan à l'autre et au-delà...

Par le capt J. Tardivel,
O Normes ÉPGFC

L'École de perfectionnement en gestion des FC (ÉPGFC) fait du mileage avec son Cours de perfectionnement en leadership et gestion intermédiaire (CPLGI). Le CPLGI est dédié aux gestionnaires intermédiaires

du grade de maj/capt, et sgt/adj ainsi qu'aux employés du MDN de statut équivalent. La durée de ce cours vient d'être modifiée de trois à deux semaines. Le CPLGI aborde tous les grands thèmes du leadership et de la gestion en utilisant une approche participative ce qui permet d'élever le niveau de réflexion et de conscientisation des participants afin d'ultimement modifier les attitudes et les comportements. L'équipe de l'éducation en gestion générale (EGG) de l'ÉPGFC a répondu à la demande de l'États-major de la Marine, et a conduit simultanément le CPLGI à Halifax et à Esquimalt durant le mois de mars 99. Les quelques 40 participants furent des sous-officiers supérieurs sélectionnés par les unités requérantes. A quelques milliers de kilomètres de là, trois membres de l'équipe EGG offraient le CPLGI à quelques 26 cadres du Centre Cambodgien d'Action Contre les Mines (CCACM) à Phnom Penh au Cambodge. Le CCACM emploie plus de 3000 personnes et est supporté par les Nations Unies. Le CPLGI fut extrêmement apprécié par les Cambodgiens. L'ambassadeur canadien au Cambodge, Son Excellence Gordon Longmuir, a assisté à la cérémonie de fin de cours ce qui sort quelque peu de l'ordinaire, et le tout a été souligné dans les médias nationaux.



From L to R, the General Management Education Team Leader, Maj Christian Desrosiers is welcoming back the three facilitator groups of globe-trotters, the Esquimalt contingent, Maj Yves Simard and Mrs Lucie Grandmaitre; the Halifax contingent, Mrs Andréa Legros and Capt Nathalie Bissonnette; the Cambodia contingent, Capt Jacques Rouillard and Capt Jean Lefebvre, and finally one of those keeping the fort, the GME Team clerk, Cpl Christian Brodeur.

De G à D, le chef de Piquette EGG, le maj Christian Desrosiers souhaite la bienvenue au bercail aux trois équipes volantes de facilitateurs, équipe d'Esquimalt, le maj Yves Simard et Mme Lucie Grandmaitre, équipe d'Halifax, Mme Andréa Legros et le capt Nathalie Bissonnette, et équipe du Cambodge, le capt Jacques Rouillard, le capt Jean Lefebvre et finalement un de ceux qui gardent le fort, le commis de PCquie EGG, le cpl Christian Brodeur.

L'ÉPGFC a bien prouvé qu'elle est ouverte à la formule de cours dispensés selon les exigences des unités requérantes. Dans le cas du CPLGI, vous pouvez contacter le chef de l'équipe EGG, le maj Christian Desrosiers au RCCC 661-7856 ou (450) 358-7099 poste 7856 ou le commis EGG, le cpl Christian Brodeur au RCCC 661-7522 ou (450) 358-7099 poste 7522. Visitez notre site internet afin de connaître les autres services au <http://www.cfmds.netc.net/>.



End of course ceremony. At the head table on the left is the Canadian Ambassador to Cambodia, His Excellency Gordon Longmuir. At his side is the chairman of the CMAC, His Excellency Ieng Mouly and to his right is the Director General of the CMAC, His Excellency Sam Sotha.

Cérémonie de fin de cours au Cambodge, à la table d'honneur, à gauche l'ambassadeur canadien au Cambodge, Son Excellence Gordon Longmuir, à ses côtés, le président du CCACM, Son Excellence Ieng Mouly, à droite, le Directeur-général du CCACM, Son Excellence Sam Sotha.

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Cadet Band C

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Annual Music Competition: Held for all Manitoba/Northwest Ontario cadet units (Pipes & Drums or Military) on Saturday, April 24th, 1999.

Event #1: Participants:

- 42 (Vindictive) Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps from Thunder Bay, ON
- 49 (John Travers Cornwell, VC) Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps from Winnipeg, MB
- 6 (Jim Whitecross) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
- 170 (St. James Kiwanis) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
- 177 (Air Canada) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
- 191 (West Winnipeg Rotary) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
- 573 (#141 Legion) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB

Military Band Winners:

- 1st Place** - the combined bands of 6 (Jim Whitecross) and 573 (#141 Legion) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadrons
- 2nd Place** - 49 (John Travers Cornwell, VC) Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps
- 3rd Place** - 170 (St. James Kiwanis) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron
- Pipes & Drums Winners:** 177 (Air Canada) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron

Event #2: Top Drum Major Award - held in conjunction with the Annual Music Competition.

Winner: F/St Scott Jones, Drum Major of 170 (St. James Kiwanis) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron



Maj Gerald Bohemier presents Strathcona Trust Fund Trophy to Air Cadet CWO Leslie McKenzie from 170 RCACS for Top Drill Team.



On left, PO1 Andre Sheppard address participating Drum Majors at the Cadet Band Competitions.



Maj Gerald Bohemier presents plaque to Air Cadet F/Sgt Scott Jones from 170 RCACS for being the Top Drum Major.



Gerald Bohemier presents plaque to Air Cadet WO2 Andrew Flook the Cadet Pipe & Drums Championship Award from 177 RCACS.



Maj Gerald Bohemier presents plaque to Air Cadet Drum Major, F/Sgt Brian Piga from 6 RCACC for the Top Military Cadet Band.

Around the Canadian Forces

Did you know...

17 May 99 - Kosovar Refugees in Canada
A decision will have to be made soon on whether Canada will accept more Kosovar refugees. So far, more than 3,000 refugees have already arrived at either CFB Trenton or CFB Greenwood. At a rate of close to 300 per day, Canada's quota of 5,000 could be reached within seven days. At the daily DND briefing, Gen. Ray Henault said that if asked, the military is ready to house more refugees than the original 5,000. Such a request would have to come from the United Nations Commissioner on Refugees (CTV N1 10:00 pm, CTV 11:30 pm).

21 May 1999 - Nanoose Test Range
An unidentified BC official has contradicted BC Premier Glen Clark's account of the failed negotiations with the federal government on the Nanoose torpedo test range. Clark has maintained that the province had an agreement signed by the federal officials to not allow nuclear warheads in Nanoose Bay. According to the official, federal and provincial negotiators never signed a fiscal agreement over terms for renewing the federal lease, but they had drawn up a list of nine principles that were to form the basis for an agreement. He added that

17 Wg Ops Situation Report 3 MAY - 9 MAY 99

OPERATION	COUNTRY	PERS DEPL
Op Calumet	Egypt	2
Op Danaca	Golan Heights	6
Op Echo	Italy	7
Op Palladium	Bosnia	3
Op Prudence	Central Africa	0
CFS Alert	NWT, Canada	5
DCDS Taskings*		0
1 CAD/Indiv Taskings**		4
1 AIR MOV Sqn Taskings***		0
TOTAL PERS DEPLOYED		27

* DIRECTING STAFF - ALOC CRSE, CFB BORDEN (2)
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everyone involved in the process knew that they lacked the authority to sign a final agreement. Federal Fisheries Minister David Anderson reportedly explained that the talks broke down because at the last moment, the province insisted on a nuclear-weapons ban at the range knowing Ottawa could not endorse it (G&M A4).

21 May 1999 - Labrador Makes Forced Landing
A military spokesperson has confirmed that a Labrador helicopter made a forced landing in a field near Baxter's Harbour after one of its rotor blades clipped a tree. None of the aircraft's six crew members were injured in the incident. The spokesperson said that the helicopter did not have a mechanical breakdown (G&M A5).

21 May 1999 - Investigation Determines Cause of Military Accident
An investigation into an accident wherein an acrylic canopy tore off a military jet and fell onto a golf course near Edmonton, Alta., has determined that the cause of the accident was pilot error. The pilot, Captain Dan Clarke, was said to have forgotten to check whether the canopy was shut tight before he took off on September 9, 1997. Colonel Doug McLennan said yesterday that no disciplinary action has been taken, but indicated that all pilots have been reminded to perform the required pre-flight checklist. The report said that no one was hurt by the accident (G&M A5).

Competition

ng Winnipeg 25 April 1999

Event #3: Drum Line Competition - again held in conjunction with the Annual Music Competition

Participants:

49 (John Travers Cornwell, VC) Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps from Winnipeg, MB
 2701 (Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry) Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps from Winnipeg, MB

Winner: 49 (John Travers Cornwell, VC) Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps from Winnipeg, MB

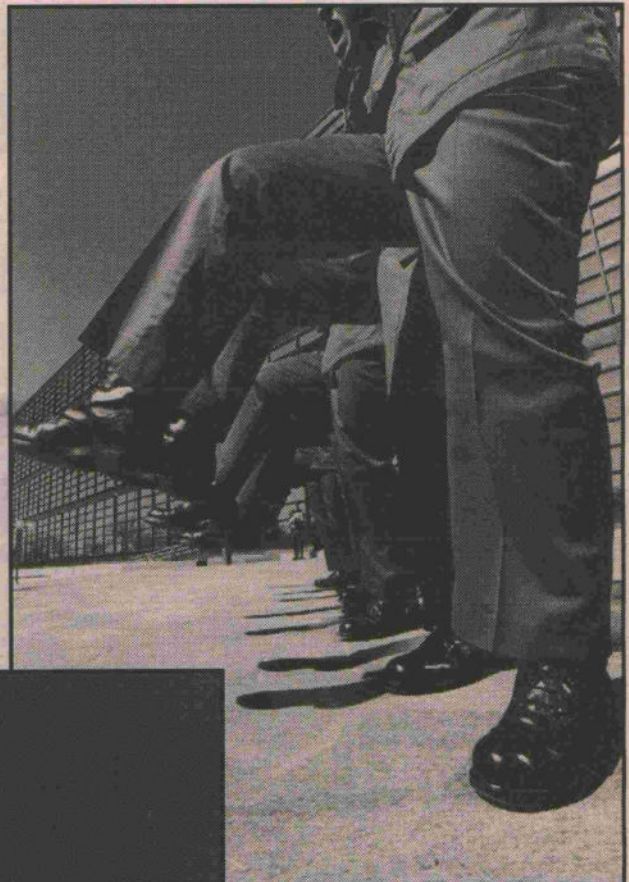
Lord Strathcona Drill Competition Finale - this is an annual event held for the top four cadet drill teams in the Manitoba/Northwest Ontario region. The event took place on Sunday, April 26th, 1999.

Participants:

6 (Jim Whitecross) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
 84 (Astra) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Thunder Bay, ON
 170 (St. James Kiwanis) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron from Winnipeg, MB
 191 (West Winnipeg Rotary) Royal Canadian Air Cadet squadron from Winnipeg, MB
Winner: 170 (St. James Kiwanis) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron



Winnipeg RCSCC JT Cornwell's Drum Major QP01 Phil Roszel and Thunder Bay RCSCC Vindictive's Drum Major PO1 J. Zuliani leads the Thunder Bay band in some high stepping 'rhyme & sole'.



RCACS Drum Major Jason Lozie in center, watches members of the band practice their marking time in front of 1 CAD HQ.



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17 WING SPORTS

17 WG salutes it's top athletes, coaches, officials, teams for 1998-99

On Friday, 30 April 99, 17WG paid tribute to those individuals who, through their tireless efforts were instrumental in the overall success of the Wing Sports program this year. These individuals have shown a certain level of enthusiasm and dedication to their sport. The awards presented

were given to those members whose performance both on and off the playing surfaces, typifies the qualities of professionalism and sportsmanship. Whether it be through individual achievements or a concentrated team effort, each recipient clearly displayed outstanding talents in each of

their respective fields.

Congratulations to all award winners. We hope that you will continue to strive for personal excellence within yourselves. As well, we look forward to your continued involvement within the sports program here at 17WG WPG.



17 WG Team of the Year - Men's Volleyball Team - "Hornets" 99 CF Ntl Champions. Back: Capt Little, Cpl Caroll, Cpl Forest, Cpl Dowcet, Cpt Harold, Cpl Simonsen. Front: 2Lt Wilmot, Pte Day, Maj Sturgeon, Cpl Briggs, Pte Dukeshire

17WG MEN'S Volleyball team has just completed their most exciting and successful season to date. With 5 CISM players on the roster and a few new additions, the 1998/99 17WG WB team was a very powerful team indeed.

As with many of our base teams, the "Hornets" used their play in the downtown league to prepare for Regional competition. After a slow start in the Winnipeg City League, the team quickly moved from 8th place in January to 1st place by the end of the season to become league champions. The team cruised through the Regional competition undefeated to be crowned Prairie Region Volleyball champions. The team's ultimate goal was to win the 1999 CF National Volleyball Championship and they accomplished this goal dominating their opposition on their way to their 2nd National Championship in the last 3 years without losing a game. Congratulations to a most deserving nomination for team of the year, 17WG WPG Men's Volleyball team.



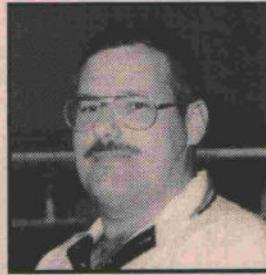
17 WG Most Dedicated Unit - WFoods

WFoods has been an integral part of P.T. classes at 17WG Winnipeg since the inception of the PSP organization two years ago. As one of the first units to sign up for P.T. classes, WFoods procured a spot in the fitness schedule five days a week and are still going strong.

The cooks enjoy a varied PT program which consists of a pool circuit on Monday, outdoor/gym floor circuits Tuesday and Thursdays, cardio/weight training Wednesdays and sports in the pool on Fridays. Group cycling, ultimate frisbee, Tae-bo, step aerobics, squash, trekking or group treadmill classes, skipping circuits, aquasize, jogging, weight training, volleyball, water basketball, endurance training, karate, and stability training, are but a few of the classes WFoods undertakes on a weekly basis.

The result of this training is that more and more members of this unit are seeing improvements on Express evaluations. Meeting the minimum physical fitness requirements is a reality and incentive exemption status is not uncommon. Positive fitness results on paper are one thing but more importantly positive attitudes and healthy lifestyles are being achieved. Their dedication, hard work and enthusiasm are second to none. We wish to congratulate WFoods on their commitment to fitness as we present the award of "the most dedicated unit."

Photos by 17 Wing Imaging Section



Male Athlete of the Year - Sgt Runge 402 SQN

Joe is a highly motivated athlete whose devotion towards the Wing sports program paid dividends in 1998 as he dominated the competition at the Prairie Region Badminton Championship on the way to his 4th CF National Badminton Championship. He had a very successful Badminton season winning numerous badminton championships in the province of Manitoba and was provincially ranked 9th overall by Badminton Manitoba. His 1998/99 accomplishments include:

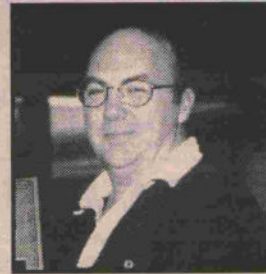
A. Manitoba Provincial Badminton Open B Gold Medalist in singles, doubles, and mixed doubles; B. Prairie Region Badminton Gold Medalist in senior singles, mixed doubles; C. CF National Badminton Champion - senior singles, mixed doubles; D. Intersection Hockey- "B" Champions; E. Intersection Slo-pitch "A" league Champions; F. Player of the game award - Championship game at the Prairie Region Oldtimer Hockey Championship.



Female Athlete of the Year - Capt Deanna Manson 1 AIR MOV SQN

Over the past year, Deanna has displayed her dedication towards the CF Sports Award program. Her knowledge and skill enabled her to excel in various competitions, whether it is Regional, National or CISM. As well, her involvement in civilian competition continues to bring credit not only to herself but also to 17WG WPG and the military in general. Without a question, Capt Manson displays those important qualities that set her apart from other athletes. Some of her 98/99 activities include:

A. Team Manager, Team Captain and leading scorer of the 17WG Women's Broomball team; B. Member of the Manitoba representative that participated at the 1999 Canadian National Broomball Championships; C. Participated in I/S Hockey with 1 AIR MOV SQN; D. Member of 17WG Women's soccer team that won the WPG Senior Women's Soccer League Division 1 Championship; E. Attended CISM Women Soccer Training camp in Victoria, B.C.; F. Member of planning committee at the 1st CF Invitational Women's Hockey Championship and is a key member lobbying for establishment of women's hockey in Regional and National Competition.



Official of the Year - Sgt Ted Scott WSAMP

Ted is a highly motivated and dedicated official, who, over the course of the year, has officiated at the Intersection and Regional level. He is a very conscientious official, who continually strives to improve his performance and upgrade his qualifications. He eagerly provides assistance to fellow umpires or to offer his umpire services at a league game or tournament. His 1998/99 accomplishments include:

A. Asst. Umpire in Chief - I/S Slo-pitch League; B. Umpire in Chief, Assignor and Umpire - Wing Commander Tourn.; C. Volunteer Umpire in Chief, Assignor and Umpire for the 1st ever Prairie Region Slo-Pitch Tournament; D. Volunteer Official (Time/Scorekeeper) for the 99 PR OLT/1st Invit. Women's Hockey Tournament hosted by 17WG WPG.



Coach of the Year - CWO John Kamperman 435 SQN

John has spent countless hours volunteering his time and knowledge for the benefit of the hockey program at 17WG WPG. He is well respected by all members on his team and his desire to win is contagious. His team handily won the Prairie Region Oldtimer Hockey Championship and advanced to the CF National Oldtimer Hockey semi-finals before bowing out to eventual champions CFB Halifax. Kamperman's dedication towards the CF sports program extends beyond the ice surface as he sits on the disciplinary board and acts as a playing coach for both I/S Slo-pitch and I/S Hockey.

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M.F.R.C. Annual General Meeting

Winnipeg Military Family Resource Centre
1900 hrs, 23 June 1999 at Westwin Community Centre
1999 in Review

Open to all members of the Winnipeg Military Community
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Agenda: 1. Call to Order. 2. Chairperson's Report. 3. Treasurer's/Auditor's Report. 4. Executive Director's Report. 5. Old Business. 6. New Business; a. Election of New Board Members; b. Election of Auditor. 7. Open Discussion. 8. Adjournment

PARENT/EDUCATION PROGRAMS

For more information call Victoria Lambert, Coordinator, 489-7003

New & Expectant Parents' Group

If you are expecting a baby or have a new baby (under 1 year old) join us for our last meeting before the summer for snacks, coffee, and conversation. A public health nurse is available to do healthy baby checks. Our next meeting is June 2, 1999. After that, we'll see you in September!

MFRCC, 350 Doncaster Street - First Wednesday of the month 1 - 3 p.m.

Parents' Morning

Coffee, conversation, guest speakers, parenting seminars, fitness workouts, group activities. Our last meeting before the summer is June 29, 1999. After that, we'll see you in September! NEW! Childcare available at half price - book at least 24 hours in advance by calling Wendy 833-2500 ext. 2491 - cost \$1/hr for first child, \$.50/hr for second, free for third child in same family. Children under 18 months can stay with Mom or Dad in the kitchen. For more info contact Natalie at 889-3882.

A parenting course is being offered free on May 25 and June 22, 1999.

1-2-3-4 Parents! focuses on parenting children ages 1-4. Please join us.

Westwin Community Centre - Tuesday mornings - 9 - 11 a.m.

Special Needs Program

Support, liaison, and advocacy services are available at the MFRCC. Are you being posted and need information regarding schools for your children? For more information contact Victoria 489-7003.

Special Needs Parents Network The MFRCC now offers a forum for parents to meet on the first Wednesday evening of the month from 6:30-8:00 p.m. The format of the evening is usually informal coffee and conversation. Parents and community members have shared valuable information about resources, schools, daycares, parenting concerns, job concerns, specialists, social services agencies, and the military. However, we are primarily a social group taking a well deserved break from many responsibilities.

At the MFRCC, we understand the challenges of raising a family in the military lifestyle. If you or your children experience special needs of any kind, this can be an opportunity to meet new people and share your valuable insights with others in a comfortable, confidential setting. hope to see you there!

Our last meeting before the summer months is June 2, 1999. After that, see you in September!

MFRCC, 350 Doncaster Street - First Wednesday of the month - 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Military Family Resource Centre Special Event Volunteers Needed

June 5th & 6th International Air Show

Volunteers are needed to help work at a novelty booth during this year's air show. Volunteers will be selling souvenirs and must be able to work for a minimum of 5 hours. This is a fundraising event for the MFRCC Youth Centre. Volunteers receive free admission to the air show.

June 5th Hanger Dance "Operation Safe Return"

Volunteers are needed for a safe drive home program during the Hanger Dance. Volunteers will be driving people and their vehicles home during the evening. Mileage will be reimbursed. This is also a fundraising event for the MFRCC.

Safeway Barbecue & Fundraising (May, June, July, August)

The Tuxedo Safeway (Corydon) will be having lunchtime BBQs on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 11:30 to 1:30. Volunteers are needed to help Safeway staff, and represent the MFRCC. If you can't help, why not stop by and have a hot dog and support your MFRCC.

If you would like more information on these fun special events, please give Celine a call at the Military Family Resource Centre 489-7003.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Youth Trek 99

This summer military youth from the Prairie region will gather in Calgary for a week of fun and friendship. Youth must be between the ages of 10 and 14. This is an excellent opportunity to exchange experiences and information about your present posting and life in a military family. We will be travelling by bus to Calgary. We will be stopping on the way at Shilo and Moose Jaw. While in Calgary we will visit the Zoo, a wave pool, the Olympic Park and other sites around Calgary. We are still working out the details of a trip to the mountains. There are only a few spots available. If you are interested in attending contact Diane Brine, 488-8563. No registrations will be accepted past June 15. Registration with payment of \$50.00 is required to guarantee your place for the trip. Dates for this event are July 4 - 10. Cost of the trip is \$50.00 plus transportation cost.

Thank You!

I would like to thank all the community members who purchased flowers from the Youth Services program this spring. Your ongoing support is important to the program and the children.

Drop-In Programs

Youth Services operates a drop-in program for both elementary school-age children and Middle/High school youth. The Afterschool program is offered to children in elementary school. The staff and volunteers at the Centre provide a safe environment for youth to explore new games and activities, challenge themselves with the computer or Nintendo, meet new friends or visit with old ones. There is also a place for homework and research. The Afterschool program is open Monday to Thursday from 3:45 to 5:30. Teen drop-in is open to all youth in Middle or High School. Teens are encouraged to make use of all the resources at the Centre. The staff at the Centre is open to ideas and suggestions for new activities. The Centre is open for teen drop-in Monday to Thursday from 6:30 to 9:00.

June 6 - Father's Day Craft

Please pre-register for these events. If less than 7 people are registered the event will be cancelled. Registration deadline is one week prior to the event. If you require further information on these or any other programs at the Centre, please do not hesitate to contact the Youth Services Coordinator at 488-8563 or the main office at 489-7003.

Employment Opportunities

The Winnipeg Military Family Resource Centre is currently hiring students to work in the youth Services Department. The Winnipeg Military Family Resource Centre (MFRCC) is a progressive, not-for-profit organization offering supports and resources for families attached to the Armed Forces in this Community. We seek individuals to be leaders in a summer recreation program for elementary age youth and individuals to be leaders in a teen drop-in Centre.

Requirements: Excellent behaviour management skills and awareness of developmental; Needs of elementary age children and/or youth; Good teaching skills; Patient and sensitive, with a child-oriented perspective; Strong skills in sports and recreation programming; Experience in teaching/coaching a variety of activities; First Aid/CPR; Awareness of military lifestyle and a working knowledge of French would be assets to these positions; Enjoy working out of doors; Team player; and ability to work well under minimal supervision. The successful candidates will receive orientation to Program, Agency and Military Community. Successful candidates will require police/Child Abuse Registry checks.

Interested individuals should mail resumes to:

Youth Services Coordinator
Winnipeg Military Family Resource Centre
350 Doncaster Street, Winnipeg, MB
R3N 1W8

Closing date for applications is June 4, 1999.

We thank all applicants in advance for their interest; however, we will only be in contact with those who will be interviewed.

MFRCC Child Care Centre

will be hosting their

Registration Evening

Coordinator Shauna Bruce

The new MFRCC Child Care Centre will be accepting applications at their Registration Evening to be held Wednesday 9 June at 7 p.m. in the conference room of Westwin Community Centre. Applications will be processed on a first come, first serve basis and must be accompanied by a non refundable deposit of \$30.00.

To ensure the centre meets the demands of the community, registrants will be asked to complete a "user survey". This information will help to determine the hours of operation for the centre, and the requirement to offer evening and possibly overnight care in the future.

The excitement surrounding the opening of the centre has many people posing similar questions. The following is a review of the most frequently asked:

Q. Will the centre be fully licensed?

A. Yes, the centre will be fully licensed to meet all requirements and guidelines administered by the Manitoba Day Care Office.

Q. Will the staff be qualified?

A. As with all Children's Programs sponsored by the MFRCC, the staff will be trained in CPR and First Aid. As per regulations, two-thirds of the child care centre staff will be qualified with Early Childhood Education Certificates.

Q. How much will the child care cost?

A. The fees for the centre will be set in accordance with the guidelines for the province of Manitoba and will be based on a daily rate of \$27.45 for infants and \$18.45 for pre schoolers. These prices are subject to change dependent upon provincial reviews.

Q. Are military families eligible for child care subsidies?

A. Subsidies are granted on an individual case basis. Information concerning eligibility for child care subsidies will be made available at the registration evening on 9 June.

Q. Will the nursery program at Lipsitt Hall and Westwin Community Centre be moved?

A. No. The nursery drop off child care programs and the other children's programs currently in place in these locations will remain. Nursery school and child day care are separate initiatives.

Q. Will there be before and after school care?

A. The requirement to offer before and after school care is currently under review. If your child will be attending Bannatyne, Strathmillan, Golden Gate or Tache schools, arrangements can be made to bus the children to and from the child care centre, as their regular pick up and drop off point. This will apply to kindergarten children for the fall of 1999.

Q. How do I register my child?

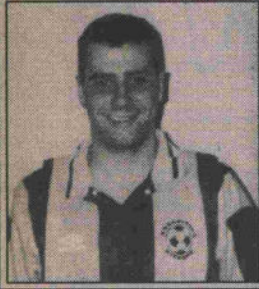
A. To register, you must pick up an application at the Registration Evening to be held on Wednesday June 9th at 7 p.m. in the conference room of the Westwin Community Centre. Applications will be processed on a first come, first serve basis and must be accompanied by a \$30.00 non refundable deposit.

Q. How do I get involved as a volunteer at the child care centre?

A. The child care centre will be actively recruiting members for their Parent Advisory Committee. They will require at least two parents of children registered at the centre to sit on the MFRCC Board of Directors. Anyone interested in becoming involved, please make your interest known at the Registration Evening on 9 June.

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#21 Gord Currie



Gordie was born 13 Jan. 76 in Advocate, Nova Scotia where he played high school soccer since the age of eleven and continued through into the second division New Brunswick league for four years. This will be his first military team.

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Celebrations mark the 50th Anniversary of the 504 Squadron



Major Imre Bogovics and Mr. Doug Rosentreter announced plans for a spectacular celebration to mark the 50th anniversary of the 504 Squadron, Royal Canadian Air Cadets. The current Commanding Officer of the squadron, Major Bogovics, and the President of the sponsoring organization, Friends of 504, Mr. Rosentreter, are pleased to announce that both the current staff and the many volunteers who make up the friends organization are working together to insure that all who are now or have ever been involved with this group of air cadets, will be invited to share in the festivities marking the milestone accomplishment of the 50th anniversary.

Founded in 1949, the men and (today) women of the 504 Squadron, have set a standard of achievement of excellence that many have tried to copy but few have succeeded in duplicating. 1999 is a year in which the squadron celebrates not only its historic birthday but also recognition as the top air cadet squadron in the entire province of Alberta. Winning this honor over the other 38 squadrons in the province is a fitting birthday present and showcases the hard work of the current staff and youthful membership of the Edmonton based 504.

Housed in the "Hangar on Kingsway", 11410 Kingsway Ave., at the Edmonton City Center Airport the squadron is

steeped in its own history and that of aviation in general. Adjacent to the Aviation Heritage Museum, close working ties with the Royal Canadian Legion and a high level of involvement in the community as a whole insure that the youth who make up the squadron of today, never forget the importance of those who have gone before them.

Activities being planned as part of the celebration include, a Reunion Dance June 5th and the 50th Annual Parade along with an Awards Dinner. The Reunion Dance will be for adults including all former 504 cadets, staff, volunteers and parents. It begins with cocktails at 19:00 hours with dancing until midnight with a light supper being served at 23:00 hours. The Annual parade will get under way at 14:30 hours on Sunday and will be highlighted

by displays and demonstrations by the current 504 members. The Reunion and Annual Parade will take place at the "Hangar on Kingsway". The Awards Dinner, featuring a special presentation by the PPLCI Drum Line, will be held at the Polish Hall, 10960 - 104 Street, and begins at 17:30 hours.

The media are requested to help the celebration of "Outstanding Alberta Youth" by carrying the message to the community and inviting all former 504 cadets, staff and friends to participate in the activities and asking them to call for more information and or tickets. The squadron phone number is 780-451-5043, web page is www.blatchfordfield.ab.ca and email can be sent to rcacs504@telusplanet.com. Celebration Committee Chair is Shelley Voss at 780-453-8996.

Anniversary of Public Affairs Policy

1. Canadians expect and deserve to know what the men and women of the CF and DND do on their behalf.

providing information, discuss only your own job within your personal areas of experience or expertise.

2. One year ago, the CF and DND adopted a new public affairs policy designed to inform Canadians of their policies, programs, services, activities, operations and initiatives in a manner that is accurate, complete, objective, timely, relevant, understandable, and open and transparent within the law.

C. Refer questions on matters outside your area of expertise to appropriate authorities.

D. Do not speculate about events, incidents, issues or future policy decisions.

E. Do not offer personal opinion on government, DND or CF policy.

3. With few exceptions, CF members and civilian employees have informed themselves of the policy, respected its provisions, and put them into practice.

F. Do not discuss advice given to the minister, cabinet or chain of command.

G. Keep your superiors informed, and

H. When in doubt, seek advice and support from public affairs through your chain of command.

4. Consequently, the policy is working well, with more and better information flowing to the public. Today it is one of the most open and progressive such policies in government

6. The public affairs policy's goal is to ensure that Canadians are well informed and aware of the role, mandate, operations and contributions to Canada of the CF and DND. Public support follows from public understanding of how the CF and DND make a difference at home and abroad.

5. On this first anniversary, it is timely to recognize and reinforce the policy's key provisions.

7. After one year in operation, the new policy has become an essential and successful tool towards achieving that goal. We must continue to improve its application. Canadians expect and deserve no less.

A. Maximize the availability of information to the media and public, within the law, respecting the principle of operational security, the judicial process with respect to matters before the courts, and federal laws and policies such as the privacy act governing the disclosure of information to the public.

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We are looking forward to your arrival. We will help you get settled in your new community. We invite you and your family to contact or visit our offices. We can help you find information you may need to get settled in, meet other members of the community and more. Give us a call or drop in!

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The Grace General Hospital Auxiliary will be holding a Records and Garage Sale on the following dates: **CJOB/Power 97** have generously donated a further 1,000 records for sale at this event:

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MILITARY WIVES WEB PAGE

The web site, formerly used for Operation Home Fires, has now been transformed into a web site for Canadian Military Wives. The new site can still be reached at <http://www.rene.igs.net/~tcollier/>. The new site is called: "Salute to Supporters - The First Home Page for Canadian Military Wives". This is the first site devoted entirely to Canadian Military Wives. The new site contains many sections: updated pictures of Home Fires Park; poems on the lifestyle by the guys and gals who have been there done that; Find a Friend; support for military wives/mothers who have a loved one involved in the Kosovo crisis; the Invisible Ribbon Campaign; a discussion page - "In My Opinion"; and links to other sites of interest to military wives, etc.

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I cannot, however, do all this without your help. I need volunteers to help organize the Hangar Dance or to volunteer a few hours of their time to man display booths, or both. The rewards, while not monetary, will be significant.

If you are interested in helping out, no matter how much or how little, please give me a call at local 2429 or send me an e-mail.

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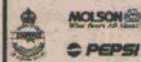
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Childcare Wanted - The Winnipeg Military Family Resource Centre is looking for community members who operate a family home daycare or casual childcare services. We would like to add you to our "Community Childcare Providers" listings. All we need is an 8.5x11 advertisement describing your service, be sure to include hours of operation, location, snacks, etc. Highlight any special services. Many Military Families are looking for care with extended/flexible hours to accommodate early timings and operational commitments. With posting season in full swing, many new families are looking for care. Our childcare resource listings are in high demand. Drop off or fax your ad to the MFRC at 350 Doncaster St. fx. 489-8587. If you have questions about childcare resources, call Catherine 489-7003.



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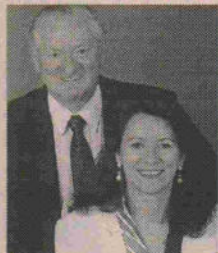
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