

*Annual Ceremonial Parade  
&  
Change of Command*

*13 May 1999*

## **Lieutenant-Commander J. Ruel CD** **Out-Going Commanding Officer**

Lieutenant-Commander Jim Ruel was born in Winnipeg in 1962. He joined J.R.K. Millen NLCC in 1973 and RCSCC JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC in 1975. As a cadet, Lieutenant-Commander Ruel spent most of his time in the Gun Crew and trained as a naval airman with the United States Naval Sea Cadets in 1980 at Naval Air Station Glenview in Illinois.

Lieutenant-Commander Ruel joined the officers cadre of RCSCC JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC in 1981 and took his commission in 1983. He held various positions including Gun Crew Officer, Training Officer, Executive Officer, and Commanding Officer. He served aboard HMCS QUADRA from 1988 to 1994 in senior positions in the ship's training branch. Lieutenant-Commander Ruel escorted Canadian sea cadets to The Netherlands (1995), Japan (1996), and Sweden (1997) with the Navy League International Sea Cadet Exchange Programme.

Lieutenant-Commander Ruel graduated from the University of Manitoba with a B.A. in History and Political Science in 1989 and with a B.Ed. in History and French in 1991. He currently teaches History, Geography, and World Issues at Nelson McIntyre Collegiate in the St. Boniface School Division. Lieutenant-Commander Ruel is leaving the corps to pursue his Masters of Business Administration at York University in Toronto.

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Colours

Ceremonial Divisions

March Past

Gun Run

Stand Easy

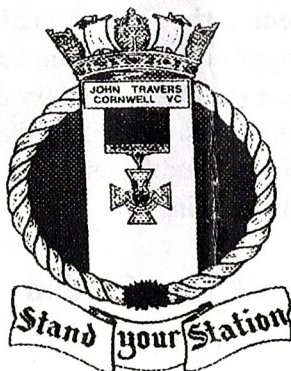
**Commander L.J. Falloon CD**  
**Commanding Officer HMCS WINNIPEG**  
**Reviewing Officer**

Commander L.J. (Les) Falloon was born in the small rural community of Russell, Manitoba. He enrolled in the Canadian Forces in 1972 under the Regular Officer Training Plan and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from the Royal Military College in Kingston in 1976. He was commissioned in 1976 and after initial naval training in Esquimalt, BC, he joined the Fleet in 1977.

Commander Falloon has served in Her Majesty's Canadian Ships ASSINIBOINE, MACKENZIE, PROVIDER, and KOOTENAY in various positions including Bridge Watchkeeping Officer, Destroyer Weapons Officer, Deck Officer, and Operations Officer. He has served as the Executive Officer of HMCS SASKATCHEWAN and HMCS PROTECTEUR. Commander Falloon has served at National Defense Headquarters as the desk officer for the Tribal Class Update and Modernization Project (TRUMP), as Career Manager for Maritime Surface Officers, and as the Level One Business Planner for the Associate Deputy Minister of National Defence Information Systems.

Commander Falloon was promoted to his current rank in 1995 and was appointed to command HMCS WINNIPEG in December of 1998.

Commander Falloon is married to the former Susan Roberts of Kingston ON and resides in Victoria BC with his wife and their two children



## **Lieutenant(N) D. Bullee CD In-Coming Commanding Officer**

Lieutenant(N) Don Bullee was born in Winnipeg in 1958. He joined RCSCC JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC in 1971. As a cadet, Lieutenant(N) Bullee participated in the Guard and Gun Crew and spent summers training at HMCS QUADRA as a course cadet and a staff cadet.

Lieutenant(N) Bullee joined the officers cadre of JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC in 1977 and was commissioned in 1979. He held various positions in the corps including Gun Crew Officer, Guard Officer, Training Officer, and Executive Officer. Lieutenant(N) Bullee was the Commanding Officer of JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC from 1990 to 1994. He has had 28 years of unbroken service with the corps. In 1994, he was presented with the Navy League of Canada Distinguished Service Award.

Since 1980, Lieutenant(N) Bullee has been employed as a police officer with the Winnipeg Police Service and is currently assigned as a Forensic Identification Specialist. Lieutenant(N) Bullee has been married to his wife, Susan, since 1985.

### **Change of Command**

Fanfare  
Tattoo  
Advance  
Trooping of the Colours  
Awards  
Inspection  
March Past  
Change of Command  
Inspection  
Sunset  
March Past

## **Commanding Officer**

Lieutenant-Commander J. Ruel CD

## **Corps Officers**

Lieutenant(N) D. Bullee CD

Lieutenant(N) S. Chadwick

Lieutenant(N) G. Bruce CD

Sub-Lieutenant K. Daeninck

Sub-Lieutenant J. DiMartino

Naval Cadet A. Puvirajah

Executive Officer

Training Officer

Supply Officer

New Entry Officer

Guard Commander

Administration Officer

## **Corps Volunteers**

Mr K. Martin

Ms N Ansah

Mr J. Bruce

Ms L. Foster

Mr G. Sysak

Mr S. Yaskiw

Mr A Morsette

Ms A. Edwards

## **Cornwell (Winnipeg) Branch**

### **Navy League of Canada**

Mr R. Hunt

Mr H. Walker

Mr J. Jamieson

Mr A. Northam

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Secretary



## JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VC

At the height of the Battle of Jutland on 31 May 1916, **Boy Seaman First Class John Travers Cornwell** stood his station at his gun aboard HMS Chester. With his gun's crew dead and dying, the boy seaman, aged sixteen, remained at his most exposed post for orders which never arrived. It was here, he received his mortal wound. This act of bravery earned him the Victoria Cross, the Commonwealth's highest military honour. His action inspired a nation trapped in a war to end all wars.

**Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VICTORIA CROSS** was formed in 1920 first known as the Boy's Naval Brigade and was known for many years as the Winnipeg Sea Cadets. In the 1940's the name, **JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL VICTORIA CROSS**, was selected, and the corps continues a proud history of dedicated service to the youth of our great country.

The Annual Ceremonial Parade is a culmination of a year's hard work. Through Annual Ceremonial Parade 1999, the cadets and officers show a respect for history and a commitment to the future of this proud corps. This year the parade is combined with a Change of Command Ceremony. Thank you for showing your support this evening.

**Stand Your Station**