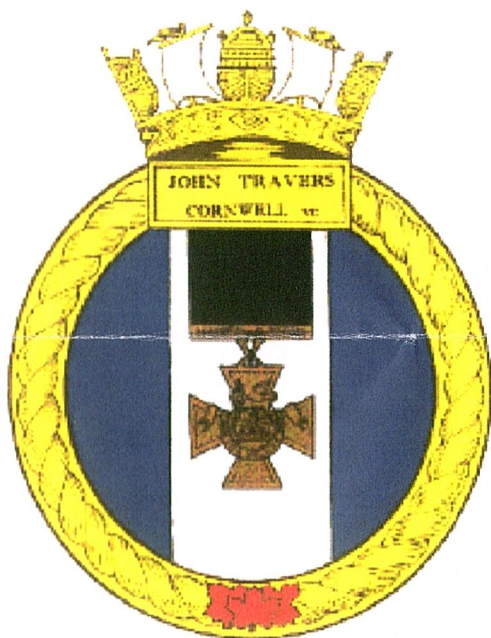


**ROYAL CANADIAN SEA CADET CORPS
JOHN TRAVERS CORNWELL
VICTORIA CROSS**



**92nd ANNUAL CEREMONIAL REVIEW
MAY 17, 2012**

**The Navy League of Canada
Cornwell (Winnipeg) Branch**

**Welcome everyone to Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps John Travers Cornwell
Victoria Cross 91st Annual Ceremonial Review.**

I would like to congratulate the Corps Commanding Officer, Lt(N) Lorne Palmquist, his Officers, and the Corps Coxswain, CPO1 Chartier and her Petty Officer's Mess and the Cadets, for achieving another successful cadet year. They have worked very hard to reach this point and continue to show the Cornwell pride.

The cadets parading before you tonight are part of the Canadian National Cadet Program. The partnership between the Navy League of Canada Cornwell Branch and the Department of National Defence sponsor RCSCC John Travers Cornwell VC. There are many people who work behind the scenes who support our program and I would like to acknowledge just a few here at our local level:

- The staff at the Regional Cadet Support Unit (Prairie);**
- The Commanding Officer of HMCS Chippawa, LCdr Paul Stiff;**
- Ms. Lynn Hawkeye, President Manitoba Division Navy League of Canada;**
- The Executive and Members of the Cornwell Branch Navy League of Canada;**
- Mr. John Chapman, President Manitoba Rifle Association.**

Most important, I would like to thank the parents and their families. Without your support and encouragement, our cadets would not be able to achieve the success they share with you tonight.

Stand Your Station,

**Don Bullee
President
Cornwell (Winnipeg) Branch**

Coxswain's Remarks

When I first joined the corps, this position seemed to be impossible to achieve; but the program truly shaped me into the person I am today. This is now my second Annual Ceremonial Review serving as Corps Coxswain, and I am proud to say that John Travers Cornwell VC is my corps. I am optimistic that this corps will continue to increase in size and flourish as it has for the past two years. It has been quite a busy and successful year with the new training program and uniform coming into place. I am also proud to be representing our corps as the Coxswain of HMCS Quadra this upcoming summer; it is quite an experience to look up to.

CPO1 Chartier. Francine

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PARADE ROUTINE

**1845 - SHIP'S COMPANY MUSTERS
SHIP'S COMPANY FALLS IN
OFFICERS FALLS IN
GUARD AND BAND MARCH ON
COLORS
ARRIVAL OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY
REVIEWING OFFICER INSPECTIONS
MARCH PAST**

1925 - SHIP'S COMPANY DOUBLES OFF

**1930 - BAND DISPLAY
DRILL TEAM DISPLAY
GYN/STATIC TRAINING DISPLAYS**

2010- STAND EASY

2030 - MARCH ON SHIP'S COMPANY

2040 - AWARDS,PRESENTATIONS, AND SPEECHES

2100 - SUNSET

2105 - INSPECTING PARTY DEPARTS

2110 - LIBERTY BOATS

REVIEWING OFFICER

Lieutenant-Commander D.M.C. Fitzpatrick (David), CD Officer In Charge Sea Training Regional Cadet Support Unit (Prairie)

LCdr David Fitzpatrick is originally from Dublin, Ireland and moved to Winnipeg, Manitoba with his family in 1976. He first joined the Navy League Cadet Corps "J.R.K .Millen" as a cadet in 1977. He later joined the Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps "Crusader" in 1979, finishing as a cadet Chief Petty Officer Second Class and joining the ranks of the Cadet Instructor Cadre in 1985.

LCdr Fitzpatrick commissioned in 1988, has served with two sea cadet corps in Manitoba, RCSCC CRUSADER and RCSCC QU'APPELLE. He was the Executive Officer of RCSCC CRUSADER, and has held training and support positions at these corps, the Regional Cadet Instructor School (Prairie) and at Cadet Summer Training Centre's.

Prior to commencing full-time employment with RCSU (Prairie) LCdr Fitzpatrick worked as an Office Manger for Law Reporting Transcription Services and previous to that as a Draftsman for a Mechanical Systems Manufacturer, CL Malach LTD upon completion of the Drafting Certificate Program at Red River Community College in 1988.

LCdr Fitzpatrick joined Region Cadet Staff Establishment (Prairie) in 1992 serving as the Staff Officer Cadet Boats until 2007, when he became the Regional Cadet Training Officer (Sea).

LCdr Fitzpatrick was appointed to his current position Officer In Charge Sea Training on 1 April 2009.

LCdr Fitzpatrick is married to the former Michelle Wain and they have three children – daughters Victoria - (1994), Shona - (1996) and son Michael - (1999).



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 at sixteen remained at his most exposed post for orders that never arrived. It was here he received his mortal wound. This act of bravery earned him the Victoria Cross, the Commonwealth's highest honour. His action inspired a nation trapped in a war to end all wars.

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

The Annual Inspection is a culmination of a year's hard work. Through Annual Inspection **2012** the cadets and officers show a respect for history and a commitment to the future of this proud corps. Thank you for showing your support this evening.

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