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Capt Daniel David, CD

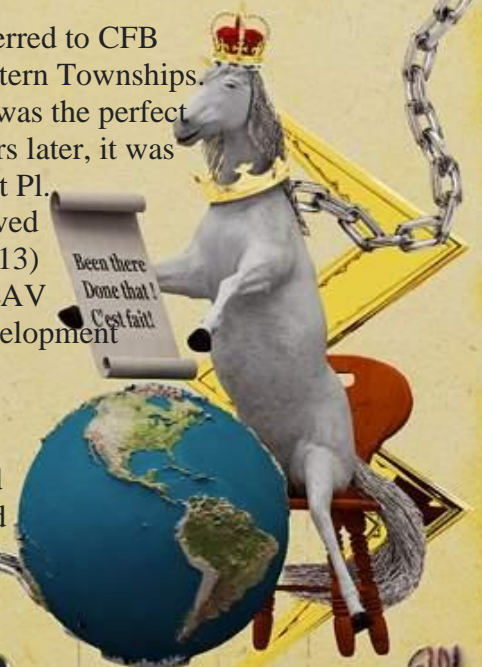
After nearly 35 years of loyal service to the RCEME Corps and the CAF, Capt Daniel David will retire on July 6, 2018.

Capt Daniel David was born in Montreal, QC. He joined the Canadian Forces on 11 Oct 1983 as a Vehicle Technician. His first posting after completing his QL3 technical training at CFB St-Jean was to 12th Canadian Armored Regiment (12 RBC) in November 1984. After 5 great years with Maintenance Pl. 12 RBC, he was transferred to 1R22R Lahr Germany in July 1989.

That same year he married his wife Denise. During this period (honeymoon) of 4 years in Germany, they lived on the German economy in the village of Wallburg and Capt David had the chance to participate in the 1st UN mission in former Yugoslavia with 1R22R BG (April-October 1992). It was also during this mission that he participated in the reopening of Sarajevo airport in July 1992 so that humanitarian aid can be delivered to the population that needed it.

In July 1993 he was promoted to the rank of MCpl and transferred to CFB Montreal as Sherbrooke Maintenance Det Manager in the Eastern Townships. It is at that moment that he and his wife Denise decide that it was the perfect time to expand their family. In July 2000, two boys and 7 years later, it was time again to pack for a posting to Valcartier, 1R22R as Maint Pl. Prod Sergeant. During these four years, he was actively involved in the divestment of the armored personnel carrier (TTB / M113) and in the commissioning of the new light armored vehicle (LAV III). He was also involved in the integration and technical development of this new piece of equipment.

Four years passed and in July 2004 he was awarded with a promotion to the rank of Warrant Officer. This promotion and his technical experience acquired over the last 20 years earned



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him a posting to 5 Svc Bn Maintenance Company, more particularly as 2IC Trg Pl. for the vehicle technicians to complete their QL4.

He remained in this position until January 2006, at which time he joined TF 4-06 as part of the 1R22R BG. He completed the training until January 2007 but the BG never deployed. Back at Maint Coy, he is reassigned as a Control Officer and IC HQ & Adm Pl. This new position allows him to be promoted to the rank of Master Warrant Officer in May 2007 and he remained in that position until December 2008 when he was nominated to the position of CSM Maint Coy.

At the beginning of 2010, he was selected to be the ETQMS for the next mission Afghan 3-10 roto 10. He completed his training during a good part of the year 2010 until his deployment in November of 2010. Back from tour in the summer of 2011, he is once again posted and takes his whole family to Ottawa at CANOSCOM HQ. During his time in Ottawa, he held the position of operations manager for the operational contract support cell until February 2012. He was subsequently reassigned internally from HQ CANOSCOM to occupy the position of J7 collective training. In July 2012, he was promoted to the rank of CWO and transferred to QETE as the first Unit CWO until July 2015, until his appointment as Career Manager for the occupation of senior vehicle technicians of the RCEME Corps. In 2015, CWO David was nominated for the SRCP program and he accepted an offer for a Capt position at 202 Workshop Depot in Montreal as team leader for development projects team starting July 25, 2015. After just over 10 months as development team leader, he is transferred to the Production Program in an acting position of Auxiliary Workshop Manager. He is later transferred once again as a Vehicle Workshop Manager on April 30, 2018, a position he will officially occupy until his last day as a soldier on July 6, 2018.

Daniel has accepted an indeterminate position with the Public Service of Canada as EG-06 / Vehicle Workshop Manager starting on July 09, 2018.

A luncheon for his DWD will be held on Wednesday, July 4th, at the Montreal Garrison KOLOK (Officers, WO's & Sgt's) Mess at 1130 hrs. Please forward your stories and anecdotes and confirm your attendance to the luncheon to CWO Beaumier, eric.beaumier@forces.gc.ca
NLT 22 June 2018.



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