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RETIREMENT MESSAGE



Sgt Schamehorn, CD

After 33 plus years of loyal and dedicated service with the RCEME Corps and the CAF, Sgt. Roy Schamehorn retired from the military on 23 Mar 2019.

Sgt Schamehorn enrolled in the military on the 10th of Oct, 1985 in North Bay, Ontario. On the 17th of Oct, he started Basic training in CFB Cornwallis, Nova Scotia. After graduating he was posted to CFB Borden for his QL3s. Upon completion of his course he was posted to CFB Petawawa 2 Svc Bn Maint Coy. While in Svc Bn over the next three years he completed his QL4s. In the fall of 89 he was back off to Base Borden where he completed his QL5 course.

As he returned to Pet he was posted to 2 Svc Bn Adm coy. A few months later he was asked to go to Lahr, Germany which he accepted and worked at base maintenance. He enjoyed life abroad for two and a half years. Then his time was up and he was posted again to 1 RCR in Petawawa which he was with for the next five and a half years. During his time with the RCR's he went on multiple exercises and two tours. In Oct 94 he was off to Croatia on a peace keeping mission then in Jan 98 it was off to Bosnia Herzegovina. On his return back to Petawawa he was again posted, this time to 2 CER. He was here for the next 6 years and while with the engineers did many taskings and exercises such as the francophone games in Ottawa and an exercise in Nunavut.



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In July 2004, he was posted to 427 Tac Hel Sqn. He enjoyed his time with them and during this time he even received a tan beret as well as getting promoted to MCpl. In July 2006 he was posted back to 2 SVC Bn Maint Coy, where he worked on a 2nd line MRT with a crew. In Feb 08, it happened he was sent to be the IC tool crib. While in the crib he went on many taskings such as training troops to go on tour to Afghanistan and also the G8 summit.

In August 2012, he was posted to ASU London in a Sgt Position as Veh Tech supervisor. He did this for a year, then when ASU changed to 31 Svc BN he then ran the tool crib for a year at which time he was promoted and changed positions to the reserve side where he was IC Maint. In Sept 2015 he was posted to the RCDs where he is still today.

Roy would like to thank everyone he has worked with over the years and those who made things go a little easier...you know who you are.

His retirement function will be held at the Royal Canadian legion in Petawawa 1300 hrs on 04 April 2019. Send retirement messages and humorous anecdotes to Sgt J.D. Mailman, RCD Email; Jeffrey.mailman@forces.gc.ca.



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