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RETIREMENT MESSAGE



WO C. Nightingale

WO Chris Nightingale will retire on 15 August 2019 after 23+ years of service with the Canadian Armed Service and the RCEME Corps.

WO Chris Nightingale enrolled into the CAF on 19 Dec 1995. After completing his Basic Training in Saint-Jean, QC WO Nightingale proceeded to POET in Kingston and then to his QL3 in Borden where he finished top of the class. After, he joined the majority of his classmates for OJT in CFB Gagetown from Aug 1997 to Dec 1999. In Jan 2000 WO Nightingale began his QL5 which ran the entire year until Dec 2000, once again finishing top of the class. In Mar 2001 he was attached to 3 RCR for a tour to Bosnia until Sep 2001. Upon his return, he submitted his application to JTF 2 as a supporter, and was posted to JTF 2 in July 2002. WO Nightingale spent fifteen years with JTF 2.

WO Nightingale requested a posting in Jul 2017 departing JTF 2 for 1 Svc Bn in Edmonton where he filled the Ancil Sgt position in the OJT Centre and then Grn Maint Pl WO. He also took over as Western Area RCEME Fund Manager and spear-headed the RCEME 75th anniversary beer project with Medicine Hat Brewing Co.

Chris has accepted a Federal contract job and will move back to Ottawa with his 2 daughters upon his retirement.

His DWD will be held at the Edmonton Garrison Memorial Golf and Curling Club 15 Aug 19 from 1200 – 1600 hrs. Any anecdotes, comments or best wishes please sent them to Sgt Neil @ Michael.neil@forces.gc.ca.



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