RETIREMENT MESSAGE



Cpl J.L. Michel

After 12 plus years, Cpl Jonathan Michel will retire on 28 August 2020.

Cpl Michel was born in Sao Paulo Brazil in 1981 and moved to Canada where he settled in Quebec. After hitting the work force and realizing his love for welding, heavy duty mechanic and machine operator he decided to take his passion and join the CAF.

Cpl Michel joined the CAF on the 9 December 2007, making his way to basic training in Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Quebec. On completion of basic in April of 2008, Jonathan travelled to CFB Borden where he started his trades training, becoming a material technician.

Done that ' Cest fait!

In 2009 Cpl Michel got his first posting to 1 Svc Bn, where he completed his apprenticeship package and second language training. If the stressors of work was not enough, Jonathan was blessed with the birth of his 5th child.

In 2012, Cpl Michel was posted to CFB Esquimalt, where he currently resides. Jonathan plans to continue his work within the trade, growing the knowledge and skills that he has acquired in the military. He plans to stay in the Victoria area where he plans to achieve his Red Seal as a welder and heavy machine operator.

He would like to thank his wife Isabel and SIX children Oceane, Antonin, Maelie, Maima, Loralia, and Caleb for their unwavering support over the years.

At this time a Depart with Dignity luncheon will be on hold for Cpl Michel. Please send congratulatory messages, anecdotes and best wishes to JOHN.BRENT@forces.gc.ca as all received correspondence will be presented to Cpl Michel.

Arte et Marte

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