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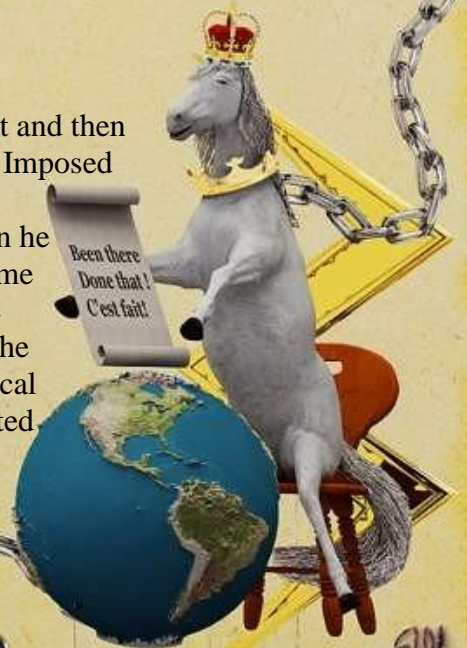


Cpl Martin Parent

After 27 years of service with the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) and the Corps of Royal Canadian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (RCEME), MWO Arnold will retire on 06 March 2020.

Joined the reserves in June of 1992 in Halifax, then known as 33 Svc Bn. Then decided to direct transfer to the regular forces in 1996. He was Posted to CFB Petawawa, 2 Svc Bn ON December of 1996. Served with 2 Svc Bn until July 2000. Then was posted to the Royal Canadian Dragoons (RCD). Served with the RCD until 2005, then deployed on Roto 3/05 OP Athena. At the end of his tour in Afghanistan he was promoted to the rank of MCpl and posted to 1 Royal Canadian Regiment (1RCR).

He served with 1RCR until 2008 when he was promoted to Sgt and then posted to CFB Shilo, 1 Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, on an Imposed Restriction (IR). Served only one year in Shilo and was then posted back to 2 Svc Bn, Petawawa in 2008. While at 2 Svc Bn he was employed as the Training Sgt with Training Company, some of the most enjoyable years of his career. 2013 promoted to the rank of WO and posted back to the RCD. While serving with the RCD, he was found to be medically unfit and was put on medical retention. Posted to 1 Cdn Fd Hosp as the ETQMS and promoted to MWO until his medical release date of 06 Mar 2020.



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MWO Arnold is planning on staying in Petawawa, Ontario when he retires. He and his wife Kim own a farm and operate two small business. His wife owns and Operates K&M Hobby Farm, where she provides a animals for events and fairs. MWO Arnold run and own Petawawa Airsoft, where he hold and operate monthly events and private team building events for the public.

A Departure with Dignity (DWD) Ceremony will be held on 10 March 2020 at 11:30, at Danny's Steakhouse in Petawawa. Please confirm your attendance and send your stories, messages and photos to Sgt Downey at ryan.downey@forces.gc.ca and Sgt Wiseman at owen.wiseman@forces.gc.ca.



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