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Lancaster tail stinger restoration a challenge, from start to nearly finished

Dave Saulnier. **Greenwood Military Aviation Museum**

The constellation Orion, named after the Greek god of hunting, is now centered in the southern evening sky. That's a sure sign we're deep in the clutches of winter but winter also means the Greenwood Military Aviation Museum volunteers have resumed working on the tail gun turret for its Avro Lancaster, "Gutless Gert."

It seems an impossibly short five years ago the Fraser-Nash FN20 turret was removed to undergo a complete rebuild to suit the rest of the aircraft. It's been an elusive goal. Several changes in the work team, a lengthy pandemic shutdown, and a contract to build a second turret for another museum have all taken their toll on the timeline

The original wartime turret was removed and scrapped after the war, when the air-

craft was converted to a photo reconnaissance role. In the years after its final retirement from service, the first replica turret was built using an authentic external frame. wooden internal structures and four replica Browning .303 machine guns. Some 30 years later, the Plexiglas had become cloudy and scratched, and the plywood internals had rotted to the point they no longer held the guns securely in place. It all needed replacing to bring things up to snuff.

The first challenge after moving the turret to the museum workshop was to devise a way to replace the internal structures with something more durable than wood: more easily said than done because of the complex castings involved. Luckily, the first big break came when the Canadian Aviation Museum in Windsor, Ontario, offered to mill reproduction gun supports and gun cradles in exchange for a replica cupola





Replica gun barrels being machined at A&J Automotive & Machine, Wilmot.

The lion's share of work since 2017 has focused around reproducing the CAM cupola as accurately as possible, and experimenting to form Plexiglas windows for both turrets.

The second big hurdle was to replace two of the machine guns confiscated to build the upper turret several years ago. This turned out to be a

local players. Once drawings had been made at the museum, A&J Automotive & Machine were contracted to machine-turn the tapered barrels and mill the cooling slots, while final turning and threading operations were done at volunteer Stanley Boates' private machine shop. Then, Eastern Manufacturing & Design was hired to cut the main side plates task that would involve many from 1/8" steel using a CNC

plasma cutter. Finally, restoration team member André Jean designed and fabricated all of the remaining castings and internal parts in ABS plastic using his 3D printer. Jean has been a valuable volunteer since 2019, using his computer aided drawing (CAD) and 3D printing skills to recreate dozens of obsolete parts for both the Lancaster and Expeditor projects.

expected to be reinstalled on Gutless Gert in time for the upcoming tourist season. Orion, with his primitive sword and shield, will be long gone by then, but we're pretty sure he'd give this tail stinger his nod of approval.

The museum is always on the lookout for additional volunteers eager to donate a few hours a week. Contact the front desk at 902-765-1494 As for the tail turret, it's local 5955 for information. +



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Dave Saulnier with the scratch-built FN20 tail turret.

This Aurora Block IV aircraft is now being used to conduct full crew training for the long range patrol fleet. These Maritime Operational Aircrew Training (MOAT) students and instructors are the first to conduct flying-phase training on the updated aircraft.

Block IV flight first for full crew training in modern-day Aurora

Cantain Jarrett Bond. and Training) Squadron

Range Patrol and Train- ing mission on the modified flight deck crew. The flight both how to employ the aircraft in this manner now dents exclusively on Block ing) Squadron marked yet airframe. another milestone for the For the past several forward in the project, as how to train on the new sys- patrol fleet to maintain and bolstering the squadron's CP140 Aurora Block IV months, Block IV aircraft the back-end tactical crew tems. This achievement was train its personnel for this force generation efforts and modified aircraft. The Block have been seen flying around was on board to put the new a very important step in the new equipment, until a more shaping the future of the LRP IV updates are part of the Greenwood, distinguishable equipment through its paces progression of the Block IV modernized aircraft becomes Fleet's Block IV aircrew.

404 (Long Range Patrol tal Modernization Project by the large "hump" on the mission.

from 404 Squadron were the been Pilot Proficiency Flight carried out tasks with the crew training. February 3, 404 (Long first to fly a full, crew train- (PPFs), dedicated to training Block IV aircraft to simulate The use of the Block IV will train their ab initio stu-February 3 was a huge step Block IV in operations, and positions the long range IV aircraft moving forward,

ongoing Aurora Incremen- from its Block III counterpart in completion of the training project, as it cleared the way available under the Canadian for 404 Squadron to use the Multi-Mission Aircraft pro-(AIMP). Experienced aircrew upper fuselage. These have The aircrew successfully Block IV for the full scope of gram in the 2035 timeframe. 404 Squadron instructors

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December 3, Master Warrant Officer Matthew Whyte was awarded a Commanding Officers Commendation in recognition of his leadership, innovative spirit and improvements made to MOAT course delivery; he led his AESOp instructors to successfully reduce the NASO MOAT by 6 days; and, in addition, his initiative to upgrade MOAT delivery processes access and version control, and promises to modernize the and Master Corporal Justin Hayes. student learning experience and enable greater innovation in instructional delivery. The commendation was presented by Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, left.



missing from the 2 CAD course catalogue. As a direct result of their diligence and meticulous work ethic, Dempsey has prevented years of setbacks and is most deserving of this commendation. The award was presented by Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson



January 25, 14 Mission Support Squadron's Aviator Kennedy, left, was promoted to the rank of aviator (trained) by his father, Warrant Officer Ken Kennedy. 144 Construction Engineering Engineering Captain Burgher.



The recent performance by the 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Air Weapons Training & Standards cell has been truly exceptional. In addition to delivering over ten weapon-related courses, this small group of professionals developed new training plans, courseware and training aids, while also supporting EX Cutlass Fury, Explosives Ordinance Disposal and ACA response. Their planning and execution of a highly successful Weapons Symposium & Certification Board has enhanced CP140 air weapons safety, and brought credit to 404 Squadron. December 10, Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, far left, with Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon, far right; presented the Air Weapons Load Standards Cell with a Commanding Officer's Commendation. Accepting the commendation were, from second left to and infrastructure has improved centralized lesson plan right, Master Corporal Richard Russell, Corporal Justin Hawboldt, Sergeant Nicholas Hendsbee, Corporal Andrew Ayers



December 3, Warrant Officer Christopher Dempsey was During a period of prolonged short staffing, 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron's AVN Training cell maintained presented a Commanding Officer's Commendation, after a superior level of training and continued to provide the CP140 fleet with qualified and knowledgeable technicians. With their quickly became an integral member of Maintenance professional ethos and unwavering loyalty, they not only adapted to the challenge before them, but were able to complete training Standards and using their superior attention to detail to in a condensed schedule. They have become a true example of service before self. December 3, Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua quickly identify infringement issues with both fleet and CF Christianson, left, presented the entirety of AVN Section with a Commanding Officer's Commendation. Accepting the commendation Common Authorization codes, as well as courses that were were Master Corporal Adam Foley, Master Corporal Megan Trace, Master Corporal Geoff Saunders and Corporal Matthew Brown.



Flight in Pictou. The senior Kennedy was handed the parade February 2, Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, commanding officer of 405 (Long Range Patrol Squadron, centre; was presented with a and the promotion by Officer Commanding Construction Wing Commander's pennant in recognition of his time as the acting 14 Wing commander over the past six months, as Colonel Brendan Cook deployed, Cook, left, with Wing Chief Warrant Officer Jonathan Proulx, made the presentation. Master Corporal M. Bazinet

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Master Corporal Cheryl **Electrical and Mechanical** and shop safety.

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March 2, 2006, Corporal Paul Davis paid the ultimate sacrifice while serving in Afghanistan. The monument behind Bridgewater Junior High was placed in 2014 and, since then, community members have gathered to honour Davis. March 5, a small ceremony was held and a new yellow ribbon was placed on the tree next to the monument. The ceremony saw members of the military, Branch 24 Bridgewater Legion, Bridgewater Police Service, teachers and students. All braved cold weather to show James Parker Davis and Sharon Davis the sacrifice made by their



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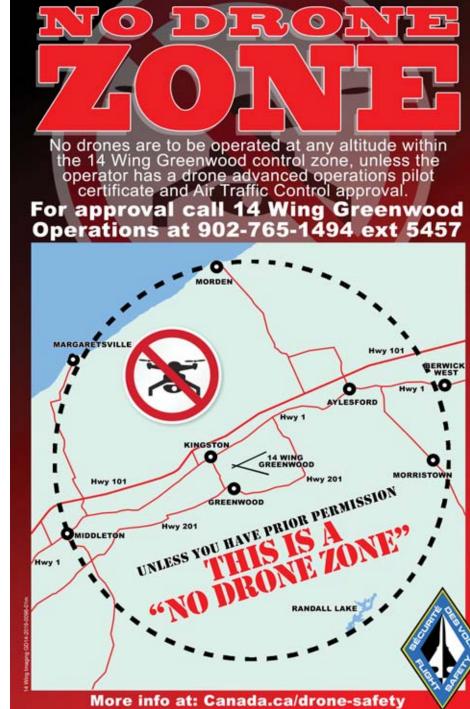
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Aries, the universe is subtly trying to tell you to slow down a bit. Don't

ignore those nagging feelings that

you should take breaks whenever

ourself first for the time being,

Taurus. All eves will be on vou

and you want to be sure that you

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squad can keep you going.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Prioritize your goals and put Physical affection is a great way

ambitions. Network as much as you can and explore continuing learning much pressure on yourself to get everything done immediately.

trouble staying motivated with your

resolutions. A partner or cheering

to showcase your love right now, Scorpio. Take advantage of all the

hugs, kisses and subtle touches you can muster in the days to come.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, space out your tasks

so the week doesn't seem like i

is rushed early on. Don't put too

Look for ways to delve into the

arts this week. Capricorn. Explore

unique hobbies or visit a museun

with a new exhibit. Work with you

Aguarius, invest in your home space

with some upgrades that will add

warmth and a feeling of coziness

Creature comforts can have a

profound impact on your mood.

This week you will need to

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

hands as much as you can.

AOUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

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George St-Pierre is considered one of the greatest mixed martial arts fighters, is the author of The Way to Fight, and founded the GSP Founda-



dian Screen Award-nominated singer-songwriter Peter Katz



JUNO Award and Cana- Dr. Robyne Hanley-Dafoe specializes in resiliency, navigating stress and change, and personal well-

through various breakout sessions held throughout the two days, says Cane.

Each symposium will last approximately four hours, starting at 8:45 a.m. (Pacific). The March 19 symposium is entitled Mental Health and Resiliency, and March 26 Make Your Own Path.

Cane says teens will draw inspiration from St-Pierre and the three other guest speakers, Dr. Robyne Hanley-Dafoe, Peter Katz and Olympian Cassie Sharp.

St-Pierre, 40, overcame a difficult childhood and schoolyard bullies. Today, he is considered one of the greatest fighters in mixed martial arts and retired as reigning welterweight champion in 2013. He is also the author of New York Times bestseller The Way to Fight, which shares lessons learned in his rise to the top. He founded the GSP Foundation to reduce bullying and encourage youth participation

Hanley-Dafoe, an awardwinning psychology and education instructor, specializes in resiliency, navigating stress and change, and personal wellness.

JUNO Award and Canadian Screen Award-nominated singer-songwriter Peter Katz will inspire his audience to create their own path by overcoming obstacles and finding success in whatever they desire.

Sharpe dominated the competition at PyeongChang 2018 to win gold for Canada's first Olympic medal in women's ski halfpipe. After taking the lead on the first final run, she laid down an even better second run, earning a score that couldn't be beaten.

The Level Up itinerary also includes inspiring words from teens, subject matter experts, and interactive and recreational activities. It will be delivered through Zoom. The platform may also be used to assist those attendees who need closed-captioning through the Wordly software application. >

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Master Corporal C.R. Russell shall appear before a standing court martial at 10 a.m. Monday, March 21, at Camp Aldershot, Building 60, 3 Halifax Street, Kentville. Lieutenant-Colonel L.-V. d'Auteuil, military judge, will preside at the court martial.

This proceeding is open to the public. Inquiries regarding attendance procedures should be directed to Captain Joshua O'Keefe at 902-678-7930 local 2102 or joshua.o'keefe@ forces.gc.ca. >>

George St-Pierre set to inspire military teens in virtual symposium

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World-famous mixed martial arts champion George St-Pierre has come aboard as a presenter in a two-day online inspirational symposium for teenagers of military families.

The ultimate fighting champion and motivational speaker from Saint-Isidore, Quebec, will be among four keynote

speakers at the Virtual Teen Conference, Level Up, March 19 and 26. Level Up is organized by the national Personnel Support Programs (PSP), and registration for the event is free through CAFConnection. ca/levelup.

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