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BOLD QUEST: Excellence, interoperability to the test

Captain Richard Harding, 415 (Long Range Patrol Force Development) Squadron

Through mid-October, 415 (Long Range Patrol Force Development) Squadron, Aerospace Engineering Test Establishment and 434 (Operational Test and Evaluation) Squadron; along with multiple supporting elements, deployed to Royal Air Force

Lossiemouth to participate in Exercise BOLD QUEST.

Exercise BOLD QUEST is a yearly United States Joint Staff-led technical demonstration and evaluation exercise, focused on allied/partner C4 intelligence surveillance and reconnaissance and interoperability. Over 25 partner nations participated this year. Coordinating with

aircraft from Britain, Poland, Denmark, Sweden, France and the United States, the detachment was able to significantly advance multiple concurrent force development objectives, which will lead to new and improved capabilities for the long range

patrol fleet.

From the initial flight into theatre, members faced a demanding schedule. With the exercise only scheduled for six days of flying over a nine-day period, the detachment planned to fly multiple back-to-back events. With an

average of eight- to 10-hour flights, this often resulted in extended workdays for all personnel. Members worked hard to plan and coordinate with allied assets to ensure each mission was a success.

Unfortunately, due to an intense extratropical storm

(Babet) affecting large parts of Northern Europe, the exercise was suspended three days early - but not before several objectives were fully completed. The detachment's hard work and dedication resulted in a successful exercise and demonstrated unique opportunities for interoperability with allies and partners alike. ➔



Through mid-October, a Royal Canadian Air Force CP140 Aurora detachment,, including several 14 Wing Greenwood-based units, operating from RAF Lossiemouth; participated in Exercise BOLD QUEST, and international exercise of allies, focused on conducting surveillance and data collection in an operational context to test capabilities and develop tactics and procedures.

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Eye in the sky

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Sailor 1st Class V. LeClair

Hockey, jiu jitsu options now underway

Looking for a winter sports program? Indoors? On ice? Something new? Check out a few of activities offered out of the 14 Wing Greenwood Fitness and Sports Centre:

Jiu jitsu – join the 14 Wing Gracie Garage at the Fitness and Sports Centre and pick up some jiu jitsu skills with Warrant Officer Alan Bezanson. Free sessions are Thursdays, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Info: alan.bezanson@forces.gc.ca.

Women's hockey - practice with the women's base hockey team, in preparation for regionals later this winter.

Sessions are Wednesdays, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m., at Greenwood Gardens. Info: Master Corporal Natasha Philippe, natasha.philippe@forces.gc.ca.

Men's hockey – practice with the men's base hockey team, in preparation for regionals later this winter. Sessions are Mondays and Thursdays, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at Greenwood Gardens. Info: Warrant Officer Jeff Hull, jeffery.hull@forces.gc.ca.

Intersection hockey – register for intersection hockey, now underway, and join a unit team or spare list. Find our more at the Fitness and



Sports Centre front desk. November 15 is the last day to register to be able to pay fees via the pay allotment option. Info: Captain Andrew Lavallee, andrew.lavallee2@forces.gc.ca. →

Weekly sports sessions change things up

14 Wing Greenwood's sports offerings include a weekly series of new-to-you activities or favourites – come play! All skill levels are welcome. Activities take place Tuesdays, 11 a.m.

to noon, at the Fitness & Sports Centre.

- November 14 – volleyball
- November 21 – basketball
- November 28 – TBD
- December 5 – pickleball

For more information on any of the activities, contact Second Lieutenant Kate Bruce or Corporal Brandi Weibel. Join the 14 Wing Sports Facebook Group to follow along. →



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Journée de commémoration des transgenres le 20 novembre

Wayne Kelley, Membre 2SLGBTQIA+ et coprésident, Organisation consultative de la Fierté de l'Équipe de la Défense

La Journée du souvenir des transgenres a débuté sous la forme d'une veillée en 1999 pour commémorer la mort de Rita Hester, une femme transgenre tuée en 1998. Hester était un membre très actif et visible de la communauté trans de Boston.

La violence contre les personnes transgenres, bispirituelles, non binaires et de genre non conforme, en particulier les femmes transgenres noires et brunes latino-américaines, reste à une proportion épidémique. Avec 375 meurtres signalés dans le monde en 2021, ce fut l'année la plus meurtrière pour les personnes trans et de genre divers. Jusqu'à présent, aux États-Unis, les chiffres dépassent les 57 décès dus à cette épidémie. Les membres de cette population meurent le plus violemment que nous ayons vu depuis que les statistiques sont établies. Nous disons « au moins » parce qu'il y a probable-

ment de nombreux autres décès de ce type, dont les victimes sont nommées ou mal sexées, ou dont les décès ne sont pas du tout signalés.

Nous devrions pouvoir être qui nous sommes et aimer qui nous aimons, sans discrimination ni haine. Les Canadiens unis contre la haine demandant au gouvernement canadien de faire plus que de simples « paroles » sur cette question. Selon Statistique Canada, les crimes haineux ciblant des individus en raison de leur orientation sexuelle ont augmenté de 64 pour cent.

Bien que cette journée soit un jour de deuil et de souvenir, c'est aussi un jour pour réfléchir aux contributions à la communauté transgenre et au pouvoir de survie. Les veillées aux chandelles sont le moyen le plus courant d'honorer et de reconnaître la Journée du souvenir des transgenres. En tant que directrice de l'AFPC Atlantique pour les membres 2SLGBTQIA+, je vous demande de vérifier la disponibilité des veillées et événements de la Journée du souvenir transgenre dans votre région, de rester en sécurité, de rester forts et de rester fiers. →

Transgender Day of Remembrance November 20

Wayne Kelley, 2SLGBTQIA+ member and co-chair, Defence Team Pride Advisory Organization

Transgender Day of Remembrance started as a vigil in 1999 to commemorate the death of Rita Hester, a transgender woman killed in 1998. Hester was a highly vocal and visible member of the trans community in Boston.

Violence against transgender, two-spirit, non-binary and gender non-conforming people, particularly Black and Brown Latino transgender women; remains at an epidemic proportion. With 375 reported murders worldwide in 2021, it was the deadliest year for trans and gender-diverse people. So far in the United States, at least, the numbers are toppling over 57 deaths in this epidemic. Members of this population die violently the most we have seen since statistics were kept. We say "at least" because there are likely many other such

deaths, with victims dead-named or misgendered, or their deaths not reported at all.

We should be able to be who we are and love who we love, free from discrimination and hate. Canadians United Against Hate are calling on the Canadian government to do more than just pay "lip service" to the issue. According to Statistics Canada, hate crimes have increased by 64 per cent targeting individuals over their sexual orientation.

While this is a day of mourning and remembrance, it is also a day to reflect on contributions to the transgender community and the power of survival. Candlelight vigils are the most common ways to honour and to recognize Transgender Day of Remembrance. As your PSAC Atlantic director for 2SLGBTQIA+ members, I ask you check availabilities of Transgender Day of Remembrance vigils and events in your area, stay safe, stay strong and stay proud. →



Le lundi 20 novembre est la Journée internationale de commémoration des transgenres, une date à laquelle nous nous arrêtons pour nous souvenir de ceux qui ont perdu la vie au cours de l'année écoulée à cause de la transphobie et de l'intolérance. Nous vous invitons, vous, les amis de la 14e Escadre Greenwood et de la communauté, à vous joindre à l'Organisation consultative de la fierté de l'Équipe de la Défense et à manifester votre soutien aux personnes transgenres et non conformes au genre que nous avons perdues parce qu'elles étaient elles-mêmes.

Monday, November 20, is International Transgender Day of Remembrance, a date on which we stop and remember those who have lost their lives during the past year due to transphobia and intolerance. We welcome you, 14 Wing Greenwood and community friends, to join the Defence Team Pride Advisory Organization and show your support for the transgender and gender non-conforming people we have lost for being themselves.

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December 15 vs Pictou County | 7 pm

December 17 vs Truro | 3 pm

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Poster design headed to District Lions' contest

The Kingston Lions Club had great participation from École Rose-des-Vents for the annual peace poster contest.

This year's theme was "Dare to Dream." Contest chairperson Lion Gerry Smith received 13 posters for judging, and it was very challenging to choose an overall winner as they were all very well done.

Congratulations go out to Mia Gordon, this year's winner of the Lions Club International Peace Poster club-level contest, sponsored by the Kingston Lions Club. Gordon's poster now advances to the District-level competition, which encompasses all participating clubs across Nova Scotia, to be held later this year.

Thanks to everyone who participated. See you next year! ➔



Kingston Lions Club second vice-president Linda Willson presented Mia Gordon with their first-place prize and cheque.



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Fall sessions focus on Women Moving Forward

The Women's Place Resource Centre at 694 Main Street, Kingston, is inviting the community to join facilitators for a series of Fall workshops.

The theme is Women Moving Forward, and topics include coping with break-ups and moving on, conflict resolution and problem solving, surviving everyday stressors, and music therapy. Sessions will be held November 21, 28, December 11 and 14, all 9:30 a.m. to noon.

To register for any of the sessions, contact 902-363-2030 or rhonda.wprc@gmail.com.

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Greenwood set for heavy-lifting regionals

Sara White,
Managing editor

"There's no cheating the pounds on the bar," says 14 Wing Greenwood's Bar Benders powerlifting program coach Mack Beattie.

"We've got high hopes for regionals – people have had some great accomplishments already, some personal bests – and we're still out from the meet."

Beattie, along with Master Corporal Jeff Baker and Sergeant Brian George, coach the growing military powerlifting program at 14 Wing. The group meets at 10 a.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays to build their skills, add on weights and encourage each other's development.

"It's been nice to start bringing people together – powerlifting has been a 'thing' for a while, but more of a group in the corner, doing its own thing," Beattie says. A regional event at Aldershot several years ago, with the first Canadian Armed Forces regional competition in 2022 at Greenwood, along with a seminar and civilian competition earlier this year, has added newcomers to the program and grown interest.

"Everyone goes into a gym wanting to squat, bench and deadlift – it's impossible not to see people doing it. But, to put all those moving pieces together in complex lifts? That's a lot. There are standards for a good lift or squat, definitely higher for a competition, and everyone here is supporting everyone else. We're seeing one or two new people come out every month; women in the sport is definitely increasing. Any person can do this: larger



Sergeant Jarret Taylor worked his way up a weighted bar during a heavy, pre-regionals practice November 2. 14 Wing Greenwood hosts the regional powerlifting event November 15 to 17.

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Master Corporal Sarah Landry and powerlifting coach Mack Beattie talk through a practice, getting set for Atlantic regionals November 15 to 17 at 14 Wing Greenwood.

or smaller, someone new to the gym – anyone can strive towards powerlifting."

Coaches help athletes build a training program, or offer guidance if someone has developed their own regimen, and the camaraderie of training together – and to a goal, now that powerlifting is a CAF regional sport (and maybe, eventually, a national-level sport) – makes a big difference. The wall board tracks weekly gains and targets, and the group can see when members are "having a bad day, a less

bad day, a good day or a great day," Beattie says.

With regional competition starting November 16, almost a dozen Greenwood athletes know each other's targeted lift weights, through all three attempts, and are aiming to take on 2022's opening recorded records. Greenwood, Halifax, Gagetown, Shearwater and Gander are all sending competitors; spectators are welcome.

November 15, officials and volunteers meet for a 1 p.m. briefing, followed by an athletes rules meeting at 2 p.m.

At 2:30 p.m., athletes will also go through a pin heights and safety brief.

November 16, men's and women's 59- to 74-kilogram weigh-ins start at 7 a.m., with opening ceremonies at 9 a.m. Competition runs in two flights, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

November 17, the weigh-ins for middle and heavyweight men's divisions starts at 7 a.m., with competition in two flights between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. The medals and closing ceremony for all classes takes place at 3 p.m. ➔

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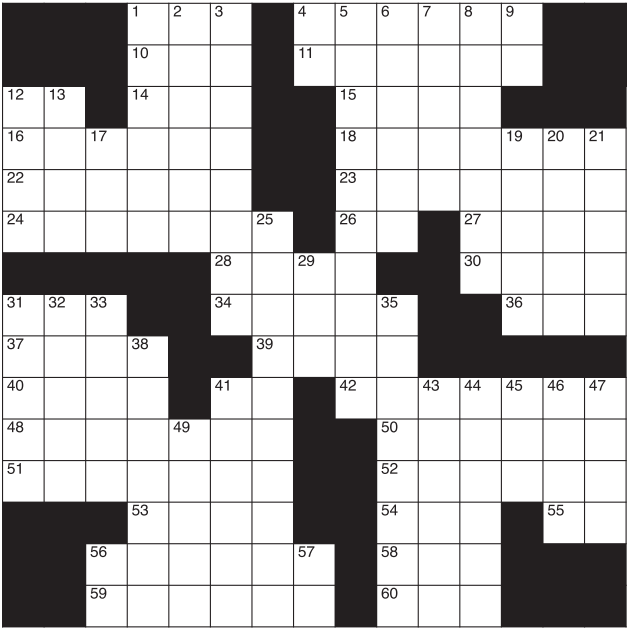
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 - 4. Hindu deity
 - 10. Polynesian garland of flowers
 - 11. Not chained to
 - 12. Metric ton
 - 14. Tall, rounded vase
 - 15. Musical composition
 - 16. St. Francis of
 - 18. Discover the location of
 - 22. Compact group of mountains
 - 23. Mend
 - 24. Not current
 - 26. Atomic #64
 - 27. Young hawk
 - 28. Or
 - 30. Pouches
 - 31. Southern Thailand isthmus
 - 34. Mends with yarn
 - 36. Downwinds
 - 37. One of two equal parts of a divisible whole
 - 39. Italian archaeological site
 - 40. Cold appetizer
- DOWN**

 - 1. Similar to the color of a clear unclouded sky
 - 2. Former name of Iran
 - 3. Made smaller
 - 4. Type of meter
 - 5. Revolt
 - 6. Killed with rocks
 - 7. Gregory __, US dancer
- ACROSS**

 - 8. Nullifies
 - 9. Home to the Flyers
 - 12. Female parent
 - 13. Pre-1917 Russian emperor
 - 17. Outsourcing (abbr.)
 - 19. Regal
 - 20. Line
 - 21. Hermann __, author of *Osiddhartha*
 - 25. Clearing up
 - 29. No seats available
 - 31. Leaves of an Arabian shrub
 - 32. Groove in organ or tissue
 - 33. Not of this world
 - 35. Cooking device
 - 38. Forget
 - 41. Operational flight
 - 43. Actress Danes
 - 44. Poke holes in
 - 45. A way to discolor
 - 46. Shouts of welcome or farewell
 - 47. Pharrell's group
 - 49. Red fluorescent dye
 - 56. Jr.'s dad
 - 57. Electronics firm

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Community luncheon
November 14, noon to 1 p.m., the Kingston Lions host their monthly community luncheon at the Kingston Lions Hall. Turkey dinner with all the fixings. You no longer have to pre-order for eat-in meals. Just walk in, sit down and enjoy! Bring a friend along and have a tasty meal!

At CentreStage Theatre
November 17, 18, 24, 25 and December 1, 2, 8 and 9: catch two one-act Christmas stories in a CentreStage holiday double feature. Ross Chapman directs "A Visit from St. Nicholas, or, The Night before Christmas," and Mike Butler produces "Tiny Tim's Christmas Carol." Show times are 7 p.m. (2 p.m. matinees November 19 and December 3). Admission: adults \$18, children under 12 \$7, students and seniors \$15. Reservations: 902-678-8040. centrestagetheatre.ca, 61 River Street, Kentville.



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Aries, you may see the details of a situation a little differently this week. While you may have been sticking to one way of doing things for some time, a new way may mean a breakthrough.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, your passion for a long-forgotten project is renewed. Dust off what you started, and see it through to completion. The results may surprise you.

GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21
Are you ready to communicate, Gemini? It's time to have an important conversation with someone close to you. It may not always be comfortable, but it needs to be done.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22
Cancer, a message will come to you that will shed light on something that you have been missing for some time. In fact, it is so simple you won't know why you missed it before.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23
Leo, you may need some financial fixes this week. Take control of your spending and identify ways you can curtail it further going forward. Ask for help, if necessary.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22
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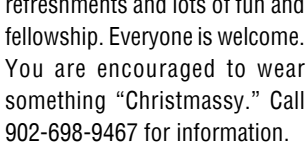
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Crafters' and vendors' sale
November 25, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Berwick Girl Guides will host a crafters' and vendors' sale at the South Berwick Community Hall, 4518 Hwy 1, South Berwick. Admission is freewill offering, coffee/tea and muffins by donation, Girl Guide cookies \$6 a box, select ticket auction.

Christmas social
November 25, at 1:30 p.m., Good Samaritan Circle is holding its Christmas event at the Wilmot Baptist Christian Fellowship Centre, 208 Dodge Road. There will be a gift exchange (\$10 or less), homemade gingerbread, games, refreshments and lots of fun and fellowship. Everyone is welcome. You are encouraged to wear something "Christmassy." Call 902-698-9467 for information.

Watercolour evening
November 20, 6 p.m., join 7Arts in Greenwood for a Christmas



sudoku

Craft market
November 25, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., the Berwick Lions host a Christmas craft market at the hall, 250 Veterans Drive, Berwick (the Kings Mutual Century Centre). Ad-



9	6	3			5	4	
4	1				6		
				4	9		7
				3	4		5
8	3	5	6	1		9	
2		1		5			
1	2	9				7	
			4		2	3	
	5			8			

Level: Beginner

Fun By The Numbers
Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

mission is \$2. 50/50, face painting, variety of talented vendors.

Les Chiclettes : Spectacle d'humour en chanson
26 novembre à 19h (ouverture des portes à 18h30), Annapolis Mess, BFC Greenwood. 10\$ pour les membres de l'Association francophone de la Vallée, 15\$ pour les non-membres. Les Chiclettes, trio vocal franco-ontarien, composé de Nathalie Nadon, Geneviève Cholette et Julie Kim proposent un nouveau spectacle intitulé *Sérieux?* Bravo! Pour ces trois femmes, faire entendre un message engagé et un propos intelligent sur la Femme passe par l'humour. Un humour généralement teinté d'autodérision et basé sur des situations qui les touchent personnellement en tant que femmes et en tant qu'artistes. Revisiter des concepts d'antan qui ont plus ou moins évolué et traiter de manière satyrique des thèmes d'actualité amusent et inspirent Les Chiclettes.

National Association of Federal Retirees Western NS Branch Christmas dinner
December 7, 11:30 a.m., the National Association of Federal Retirees Western NS Branch will hold its Christmas dinner at the Kingston Legion, 1472 Veterans Lane, Kingston. Turkey dinner and all the trimmings: \$14. Music by John Montgomerie. Bring a potential member along so they can learn what we can do for them! If you wish to attend, email naf75@gmail.com (emails preferred) or call Carolyn/Bill at 902-765-8590 after 1 p.m., no later than November 29.

November 20 lunch & learn: CAF benefits & services for women

14 Wing Greenwood's Defence Women's Advisory Organization invites anyone interested in finding out more about Canadian Armed Forces benefits and services for women to join a lunch and learn event Monday, November 20.

Topics include the new directive on women in sports, with Alyssa Platt, PSP; bra and undergarment claims, with Corporal Brandi Weibel, Wing Comptroller; and maternity/parental policies, with Wanda Wharton, 14 Mission Support Squadron WOR. There will be time for questions.

The event will be held at the Tow Bar, in the Annapolis Mess. Bring your own lunch, and come for noon to 1 p.m. ➔

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FOR RENT – Whittington Heights, 55+ community living, spacious 1125 sq ft approx., two-bedroom unit with 1.5 baths, 5 appliances, attached single vehicle garage, 6' x 10' shed, snow and lawn care included. \$1,800 per month. Available December 1. Call for details 902-765-6371. (4441-2tpb)

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Request for Proposal

Paragon Golf and Country Club will be accepting proposals for the operation of the Clubhouse restaurant and all food and beverage services for the upcoming 2024 season. This is a great opportunity for any interested party to partner with Paragon G+CC in the successful operation of the Club's food and beverage service.

If you should have any questions, or are definitely interested please send your letter of intent, or inquiries to dave@paragongolf.ca. The cut off date for proposals is December 31, 2023.

We look forward to hearing from you!

The Paragon Management Team



the Aurora find & win

Three easy ways to enter.

- Through our website: www.auroranewspaper.com
- Fax: 902-765-1717
- Drop into our office located at 61 School Road (Morfee Annex)

ONE ENTRY PER PERSON

Full name _____ Phone number _____

Complete the following questions from ads in this week's issue and win a **\$20 coupon to play Friday Night BINGO** from **Aylesford & District Lions Club**. Coupons valid for 1 year. Age 17+ on regular games.

- When does Santa arrive at the mall?
- Who's looking for proposals for 2024?
- What website do you use to book a vaccine appointment?
- What works even without power?
- Where can you find a world of gift giving ideas?

Congratulations to last week's Find & Win winner: ARILEEN

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2160 Hwy 1, Aylesford
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**Ribbons
'round
town**

November 2, members of 14 Construction Engineering Squadron and 143 Construction Engineering Flight visited the business area in Bridgewater for the annual Yellow Ribbon Campaign. Major James Gannon, 14 CES commanding officer, was joined by Bridgewater Deputy Mayor Cheryl Fougere and Master Warrant Officer Ed Hebb to install the first yellow ribbon.

Honorary Colonel D. Hennessey,
14 Construction Engineering Squadron



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