

CFB Borden – 24 April 2015



On Friday, 24 April 2015, 32 cadets along with Staff Members from 2990 travelled to Canadian Forces Base Borden ON where they spent the day touring the Royal Canadian Electrical Mechanical Engineer (EME) facility and school as well as the Base Museum. Cadets were able to learn about and experience many types of Military Vehicles (along with current Weapons Technology). The school was kind enough to have EME personnel stationed at every exhibit to teach the cadets all about the items that were on display. A truly unique experience rarely afforded to the cadets (and probably never to the public) as we were able to handle all of the exhibits during the EME tour including climbing in and out of the LAV 3 (Light Armoured Vehicle) and the brand new LAV 6. Personnel carriers, tanks, recovery vehicles and an array of combat equipment were made available for the cadets to examine. Truly a once in a life time event.

After a great lunch (in the Jr Ranks Mess) cadets toured the Borden Museum which was another incredible experience! Tanks, planes, flight simulators...thousands of artifacts...again, a very enjoyable and education afternoon. Congratulations to MCpl Jagoe who won the Museum Questionnaire contest!

