

1971 – ROUDP Collection

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Front Row: (6)
(kneeling, l to r)

Unknown
LeBLANC, Rejean
Unknown
GALBRAITH, John
Unknown
KENNEDY, Jim - HR

Middle Row: (8)
(l to r)

BONNELL, Rick – CTO
CEBRYK, Mike - UN
FRIEDRICH, Art
Unknown
Unknown
Unknown
OUELLET, Pierre
Unknown P2

Back Row: (5)
(l to r)

CUMMINGS, ?
HAWKINS, Dave
TUSKAR, Alex
ROHRER, David – HR
MARECHAUX, Max

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Front Row (6)
(kneeling, l to r):

[JOLY, Guy](#)
[McILVEEN, Paul †](#)
[DUDEMAINE, Pierre](#)
[HARWOOD, David](#)
RUSK, Raymond
TEED, Peter E L

Middle Row (8)
(l to r):

[Russ Ko](#) – CTO
[Glenn Davidson](#)
Unknown
[Steve O'keefe](#)
[Jim Carver †](#)
Cowan ?
Robert Perry
[Neil Bell](#)

Back Row (6)
(l to r):

[Allen Broughton](#)
[David Sewell](#)
[Dave Kyle](#)
[Paul Wycliffe](#)
[Cal Mofford](#)
[David Turton](#)

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Front Row: (4)
(kneeling, l to r)

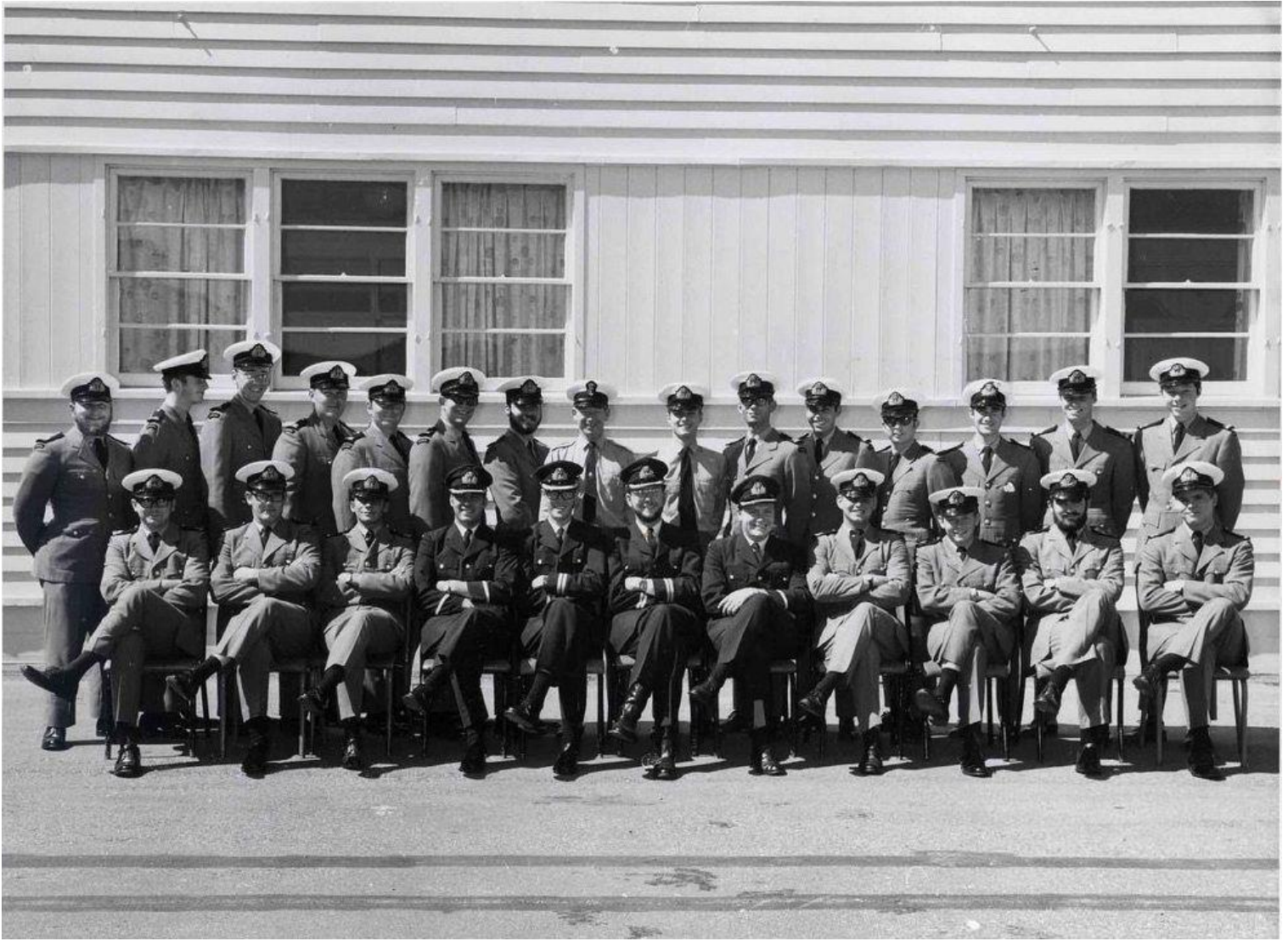
WEBER, Paul – GN
Unknown
Unknown
[MOFFATT, Ian](#)

Middle Row: (5)
(l to r)

[CUTTING, Gord](#)
KUBRACK, Victor
Unknown
Unknown
SEDGEWICK, Clive - CN

Back Row: (5)
(l to r)

TUSKO, Csaba - CTO
Unknown
Unknown
[PARSONS, Bill](#)
[AKESON, Mark](#)



Front Row: (11)
(seated, l to r)

MEAGHER, Mike - CN
SIDDLE, John - TH
DUBÉ, Louis J - MM
BEHAN, George - GN
BLACKWOOD, Alex – CTO
KEIGHLEY, Ian – CTO
MIDDLETON, Jim - SN
BETHUNE, Dave - SR
O'CONNELL, William F - BR †
KIMMERLEY, Peter C - MT
MAY, Cam - UN

Back Row: (15)
(l to r)

RUSHTON, Richard L – MT †
GLOVER, William R - CI
EULER, Karl - SR
SEAMANS, Ashley K – BR †
[McCAW, Ken](#)
CAINES, Daryl - BR
McKINNON, Peter M - MT
JUPP, Bob – PO
DAWSON, John C - SN
GIROUARD, Gaston - DA
TOUCHETTE, Richard – DA ?
McLEOD, Doug - DY
deCHAMPLAIN, Jean Paul - TH
CHAPMAN, Bruce - CN
LAMBERT, Claude - MM

1971 – ROUDP Summer Training Narrative

Junior Officer Training in 1971 was conducted in Esquimalt.
The OIC Officer Cadet Training was LCDR W. F. Thomas.

1971 First Years

Three official photos - ET711933, ET711934 and ET711935 (August 23 1971) - show 49 officer cadets organized in three divisions. The actual number would have been higher. The current nominal list has 28.

The divisions and officers as known were:

Csaba Tusko – YFP (destination/dates not known)
Russ Ko – YFP (Vancouver/Gulf Islands) (dates not known)
Rick Bonnell - YFP (destination/dates not known)

Sea training was conducted in YFPs 312 and 320.

"In 1971 our sea time was limited to YFPs. We went to... the Gulf Islands of course and Vancouver.

The other thing about the summer course of 1971 was that we had a number of regular force ROTP civilian university cadets with us for some of the shore training at the CFWOS (former and future VENTURE). They did the basic drill, and some of the MARS II classroom and other stuff, but then went off to sea time in the DDEs. We ROUDPs were in YFPs, and doubtless had more fun, although I am not sure that we learned more." - Glenn Davidson

1970 Second Years

A single official photo shows 24 returning A/SLTs. They were organized initially in three divisions but were re-mustered into two divisions in June.

The divisions and officers were:

Alex Blackwood - (ship/destination not known) (May-June)
Ian Keighley - Columbia - Portland/Vancouver June 4-July 5

Sea training was on the minesweepers, likely Chignecto, Cowichan, Miramichi, and Fundy, and Chaudiere and Columbia. MARS sea phase training was on Columbia from June 4 to July 5.

"For 1971, the 2nd years started with THREE Divisions and three CTOs. About late June the 3 were combined into two (Blackwood/Keighley) and were pretty much one large group of about 24. Sea training was 100% minesweepers that year for the 2nd years." - Al Blackwood

"With regards to our second year training in 1971, although one of the divisions was on a minesweeper, the division I was in was on the Columbia and we visited Portland in early June...

[W]e visited Portland 12-14 June 1971. The reason I know the exact dates is that I wrote to my girlfriend, now my wife, at that time, and she still has the letter." - Paul de Champlain

"Al Blackwood's division sailed in Chaudiere – can't remember dates. I think we also went to Portland and Vancouver... After some searching, my Watchkeeping Logbook [shows] I did the MARS III Sea Phase in Columbia from 4 to 28 June, 1971. Unfortunately, the log does not show where the ships went, and I discarded my Navigating Officers notebooks a number of years ago." - Doug McLeod

"Our second summer was similar to the first. Our numbers were about half of what we started with the previous year. The big thing was to score a green uniform so you could look like the reg force. Unification was in high gear with the reserves at the end of the [queue]. Someone came up with a way to distinguish the difference between a two and four ringer - is he a hey-you captain or a yes-sir captain? The May training in Venture was the same, the sea phase in June in the Columbia was the same. A week in sweepers, OOW, emergency drills, tow ex, fire ex, punching fires in the boiler room, dog watch flag hoists to name a few things. More NBCD. Portland Rose Festival again. Vancouver port visit." - Daryl Caines

"In 1971 I was on Columbia from June 4th to July 5th with Lt Keighley as CTO. We did west coast of Vancouver Island pilotage training similar to first year and Columbia also visited Portland again for the mid June Rose Festival... I know I was on minesweepers and YFPs too but that was in addition to DDEs. 1971 was MARS 3 but an ROUDP version." - Terry McEwan

1969 Third Years

The range of third year training options is not known for the third year Sub Lieutenants.

Eight SLTs took MARS IV training in Esquimalt.
Russ Cape - Chignecto (Portland) (dates not known).

"I was in Chignecto with LCDR Jack Alexander and we went to Portland again." - Mark Grady

"The focus was navigation and bridge watchkeeping. It was just called ROUDP III, for third summer training. I did note down somewhere that COWICHAN and CHIGNECTO were two of the minesweepers used for our training and I believe we spent time in each." - Richard Harrison

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