

Ceremonial Drill Course Joining Information & Kit List

You have been selected to attend the Devon & Somerset Wing Ceremonial Drill course, the dates times and location of which are as previously notified.

1. All students should endeavour to arrive for registration **not later than 20:00 hrs.** They should be in possession of their Consent & Certificate of Health Form (TG21&23), along with their £5 course fee. The student will not be allowed to register without their consent form and money. The fee is payable irrespective of the attendance by the nominated student.
2. The course will start prompt at 20:30hrs on Friday Evening or as soon as practical after the safety briefs by the Ground Training Team
3. All students are to conform to the dress and discipline code as laid down by OC, Cadet Ground Training Team, and will come under the jurisdiction of the cadet training staff when not on the course. All uniform is to be kept tidy, clean and with boots / Shoes polished.

Arrival – you should make every effort to arrive punctually. This sets a good example and ensures you do not miss any briefings.

Course Equipment – You will be issued with a practice Banner and measured for your carrying belt early in the course. The practice banner is on loan to you for the weekend, please ensure you look after it and return in good condition on Sunday.

Performance – You will spend a lot of time on the drill square learning Banner, Rifle and Continuity drill, be prepared to work hard and have sore muscles at the end of the course – All we ask is that you are enthusiastic and willing to go that extra mile.

Course subjects – you will receive a copy of the course programme and Training Manuals for both Banner and Rifle Drill on arrival, but an awareness of the following will help your preparation. (not in any order)

- Introductions – you and us.
- Banner Uncasing & Casing
- Rifle Drill with the Enfield Number 4
- Banner Drill
- Parade Square Layout
- Continuity Drill
- You will perform a sequence in-front of all the courses

We look forward to meeting you and having an enjoyable and productive weekend.

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Wing Warrant Officer

Dev & Som Wing Officer Commanding Wing Commander John PARSONS RAFVR(T)
Wing President Air Chief Marshal Sir Peter Squire GCB, DFC, AFC, DL, DSc, FRAcS



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<u>UNIFORM</u> Beret Jumper Shirts- (Wedgewood plus Tie & Dark Blue) Trousers/Skirt Socks/Tights Shoes/Boots Black – No Studs (Comfortable and already broken in) Geltex Jacket (NOT GPJ)	<u>CIVILIAN</u> Smart Casual Night attire Change of underwear/socks etc Coat
<u>PERSONAL</u> Toilet Requisites/Towels Note Book/Pens Spending Money 3822 With Photo Boot/Shoe cleaning kit Iron – If possible share Sun Cream Sleeping Bag & Pillows Torch	Training Manuals & Specialist Equipment Banner Carrying Strop

4. Contact telephone numbers for the course weekend are as follows:

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| a. ATC Duty Officer | 07899.550.874 |
| b. Flt Lt T Woods RAFVR(T) | 07771.863.843 |

Should you have any special learning requirements PLEASE come and see a member of staff on arrival.

We will then be able to investigate supporting your training needs for the successful completion of your course.

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