Fall FTX

Dress and Kit List

- 1. The success of this weekend depends in large upon the appropriate clothing for the temperature encountered. Layers of clean, loose fitting clothing allow for adjustments based on the activity undertaken.
- 2. Footwear, headgear, and hand wear are extremely important. Spare boots/liners/socks/gloves/mittens should also be included. Trousers should have some means of keeping dirt and brush out of footwear. Wearing a hat or toque are recommended. Persons lacking satisfactory and appropriate clothing may not be permitted to attend.
- 3. Fall sleeping accommodations will consist of cadets building shelters at the training area.
- 4. We strongly suggest against cadets wearing jeans out on the exercise as they are a lot harder to keep dry and warm. This could result in the cadets getting very cold and not warming up for the rest of the weekend. Synthetic materials are idea for camping clothing.

Kit List:

Tarp For building their Shelters (at least 10ft x 12ft)
String/Twine About 50ft so that they can put shelters together
Sleeping Bag Rated for -10°C (extra blanket as needed)
Foamy Air Mattress or foam and pillow if wanted

Cup or Mug Mel Mac, Plastic, or metal, insulated recommended

Water Bottle At least 500ml and durable

Headgear Hat or toques recommended, sweatshirt with hood is acceptable

Mittens/Gloves Mittens preferred for warmth; work gloves recommended Coat Warm fall coat, windproof, and waterproof if possible

Trousers Sweatpants or wool preferred, Jeans NOT recommended, wind

proof not waterproof (at least a pair for each day)

Shirts T-shirt or long sleeve, and a sweatshirt/ sweater

Underwear Enough for each day

Socks Wool recommended, enough to change at least twice a day

Footwear Hiking Boots, waterproof (2 pairs recommended)

Personal Hygiene Face Cloth, hand soap, toothbrush, and toothpaste, comb

Optional Camera, lip balm, facial tissue, flashlight with extra batteries,

Matches, plastic whistle, compass, **Knife** – **not longer then 6 inches**, **MUST** be able to lock, and **MUST** have a blade cover.

If you do not have some of these items, make sure to talk to the Training Officer.

Cadets are responsible for their own kit and should take care of it. The weather can change at any time and cadets should ensure that their kit is always stored properly to stay dry and clean.