

714 RC(A)C Wasaga Beach Sqn – Report for Oct 12th

I am sorry I will be out of country and unable to attend on October 12.

My report regarding 714 Sqn is brief....the Ontario Provincial Committee of the Air Cadet League of Canada has yet to authorize in person activities for Sponsoring Committee members. Additionally, they have not authorized "Tag Days", so the fall tag day fundraiser will not occur in Fall 2021, nor will the cadets be allowed to participate in the Royal Canadian Legion's poppy drive. DND staff are busy organizing and have been permitted to conduct limited in persons activities with each other and the cadets. While, pre-COVID, the cadets were engaged on Monday nights (extra-curricular activities) and Tuesday nights (regular parade night), activities are limited to Tuesday evenings only. The first in-persons session is scheduled for Tuesday Oct 5th. Only admin activities will occur (uniform exchange, new cadet registration, etc) for the first few weeks....hopefully classroom instruction will commence in late Oct...Gliding weekend for fall 2021 has been cancelled....Flying ground school commences this month via zoom...the instructor is a former cadet now PHD working in aerospace industry in California. Squadron Sponsoring Committee (SSC) has asked CO to investigate end of year trip to Quebec City....SSC mentality is that when things go back to "normal" we must provide exciting programming and extra-curricular activities to re-engage and revitalize the cadets (and staff). SSC is waiting for CO to provide exact list of shooting team items required to claim the generous \$1,000 grant from Bill Coyle. End of report.

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