

FMF Cape Breton – Op LASER Update

22 July 2021

Current Posture: 3A "Surge"

Update Message

We have continued our good work, making important progress on some key projects while also seeing a lot of us take some well-deserved leave.

We are finishing up both HMCS *Victoria's* and HMCS *Vancouver's* work periods this week, though there will be some follow-on material certification work for VIC in order enable licensing and return to sea. We've done some fantastic work on both these platforms, so let's keep our focus on them in order to bring it home and tie up all the loose ends.

We have also started work periods in HMC Ships *Winnipeg* and *Regina* this week. WIN's work period is the last before the ship deploys, and so will be important to ensure her safety and capability over the coming months while 'doing the business' for Canada; and REG is preparing for a contracted 3rd-line work period, but our maximization of work now will ensure her timely return to sea in 2023 after DWP.

And, on the covid front, we continue to see vaccination rates climb in the province, which we hope will allow us to return to normal in the near future. If you haven't had a chance, yet, ensure you get your jabs!

Work Priorities

- Progress TEM's work period in preparation for trials;
- Complete VAN's 6-week short work period in support of her TRP;
- Execute VIC's work period in support of FG;
- Progress WIN's SWP in preparation for deployment;
- Progress REG's EWP1 in preparation for DWP;
- Continuation of the overhaul of the 'Camel' fenders in the dry dock; and
- Limited support to other requirements (OTT, CHI, COR).

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Governmental COVID-19 Links

- [Government of Canada COVID-19 Updates](#)
- [Joint DM/CDS statement on COVID-19](#)
- [DND – Information Regarding Flexible Work Arrangements and Leave](#)
- [Public service & military – Information for Government of Canada employees \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\) for employees \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Public Health – Know the Difference: Self monitoring, self-isolation and isolation](#)
- [Province of BC](#)
- [British Columbia Ministry of Health](#)
- Federal COVID-19 Information Line: 1-833-784-4397
- HR Connect RH/Virtual Client Contact Centre 1-833-747-6363 between 08h00 and 16h00 EST
- [HR GO RH App](#)
- FMF Instagram [@RCNFleetMaintenance](#)

