

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
YOUTH ON PARADE

The Canadair Squadrons of the Royal Canadian Air Cadets will hold their annual Inspection at Canadair Plant 2, Henri Bourassa Blvd, St. Laurent, on Saturday May 21, 1983 beginning at 1400 hrs. The Civilian Committee, the Officers and Cadets, of both No. 588 and No. 621 Squadrons cordially invite public participation in this important event, in particular, from parents with young children between the ages of 13 and 18 inclusive, who are eligible to join the Cadet movement. Brig. Gen. R.L. Bell, C.D. from National Defence Headquarters in Ottawa has accepted the duties of Reviewing Officer this year.

The Annual Inspection is the highlight of the Cadet training year and the program includes demonstrations by the Canadair Air Cadet Band and the Precision Drill Team as well as the presentation of Squadron and individual trophies. Static Displays may be visited and refreshments will be available.

The Cadet Training Year is the same as the school year, this is why meetings, or parades as they are called, normally take place in the evenings. During these sessions the Cadet, boy or girl, attends courses in various aeronautical subjects, practical exercises in leadership, good citizenship and there is still time for organized sports and social events. During the summer the Cadet has an opportunity to attend a Summer Camp at a Canadian (or other) Air Force Base where gliding and flying lessons are available. Technical and athletic training is a part of the syllabus.

In fact under the guidance of expert instructors Air Cadets acquire new skills and develop qualities of leadership and initiative that will become a tremendous asset to them in later life.

It is up to every parent to support the ambitions of their own children. It is also up to parents to support local youth. By attending this important event you can obtain further information on the Air Cadet Program of youth training.

See you at 1400 hrs (or 2 p.m. if you prefer) on Saturday, May 21.

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