

Welcome to Our
2024-2025 Training
Year

Your Host: Lt (NL) Jurgen Stolk



AN INTRO TO THE NAVY LEAGUE CADET PROGRAM

From its earliest days in 1895, the Navy League has been an active organization in towns and cities, drawing support from people of all walks of life.

Although over time the faces change, our objective and our dedication do not.



Cadets form a national organization whose purpose is to develop in youth attributes of self-discipline, respect, active citizenship, and physical fitness – all within a safe environment

There are 3,000+ 9–12-year-olds across 100 communities nationwide enrolled in the program

AN INTRO TO OUR CORPS: NLCC #203 ERWIN J STOLK

Our History

- Founded in 2007
- Erwin J Stolck, our corps' namesake
- The Stolck Family

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Where we are Today

- Our relationship with our Branch and Sea Corps is the best in Alberta Division
- Provincial Leadership Award for 2018-2019
- Growth Award for 2019
- Dedicated officers and cadets from years past
- Building on our foundations – innovation, respect, teamwork, relationships



Our Staff

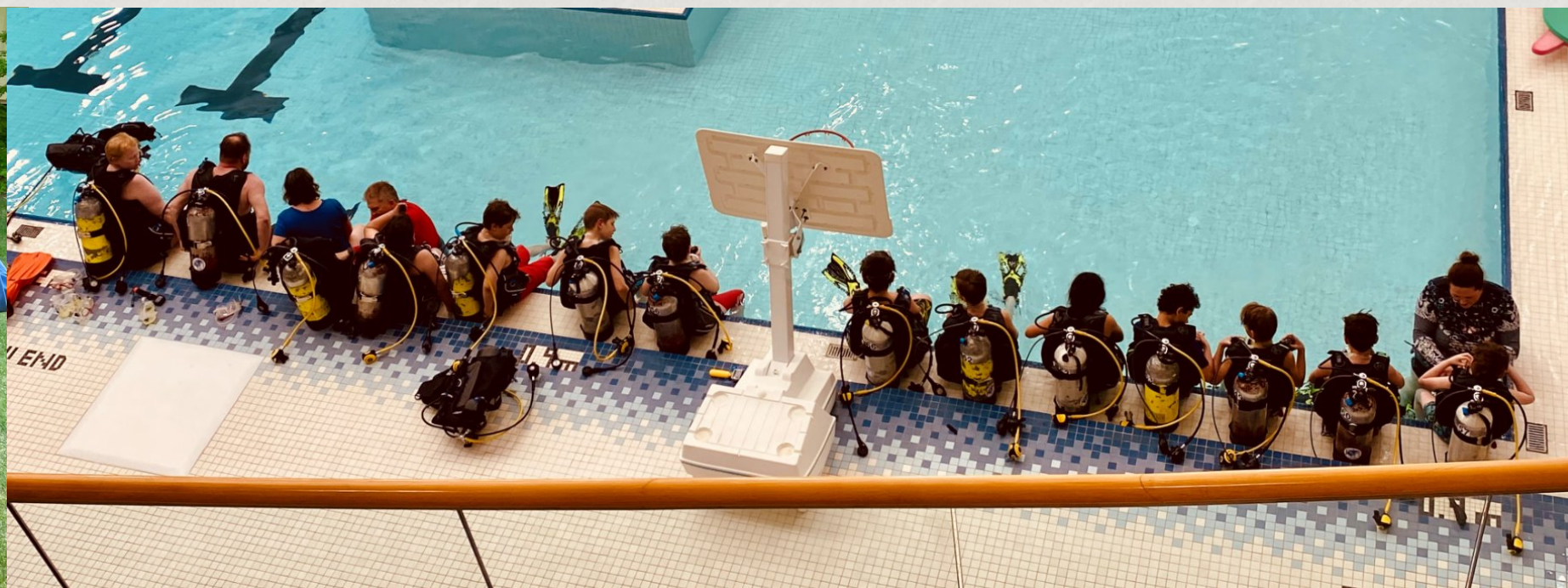


Name	Position
Lt (NL) Jurgen Stolk	Commanding Officer/Admin Officer
Lt (NL) Kayla Thorne	Executive Officer/Training Officer
Mid (NL) Christine Penney	Stores Officer/ Instructor
CI: Vanessa VanDasselaar	Assistant Training Officer/Instructor
CV: Jason Moodie	Assistant Stores Officer/Instructor
CV: Courtney Court	Parent Volunteer

Always looking for volunteers to join our team



Activities & Outings



Regular Activates that Repeat or Rotate each year include

Regular Parade/Training Nights

Military Ceremonies (Battle of Atlantic and Remembrance Day)

Tag Days and Poppy Sales (Supporting our local Legions)

Spring, Fall, Winter, Advanced Training, and Fleet Days Camps (Overnight)

Naval Traditions (Mess Dinners and Ceremonies)

Citizenship Activities (Cleaning up and touring Parkland County Community Building and Services)

Advanced Training Courses (Leadership, Band, Boats Crew, and Marksmanship)

First Aid, Geocaching, Sailing, Swimming, Scuba Diving, Laser Tag, and Joint Corps Activities



NOTE: The commitment and cost may vary for each activity, both for Cadets and Parents

WE ARE HOSTING FLEET DAYS IN 2025



Fleet Days is a Navy League Alberta Division tradition. It happens the first weekend in June. Corps from all over Alberta come to together and enjoy a fun filled themed weekend. There is over 300 cadets that attend. Each corps takes a turn hosting, and past two years themes were Clue (NLCC CB HILL) and Star Wars (NLCC Holger Storm).

Promotions

- Promotions are generally done twice per year
- They are both knowledge and merit based
- Attendance to Regular Parade Nights and ExtraActivates will help your cadet succeed in their journey to climb through the ranks and positions in the Navy League program



NOTE: Our Officer Staff are trained through the Provincial and National Standards of the Navy League Canada. They receive promotions and awards based on extra training and time in the program.

Attendance



- *Parent Sign in and Out process*
- *Ways to contact if your Cadet(s) is going to be absent*
- *How to Sign up for Extra Activates @ the Branch Table*
- *Cadets are expected to attend all mandatory activities*
- *(Regular Parade Nights, Remembrance Day, Battle of the Atlantic)*
- *Please email if your cadet will be absent. Any Absence Without Leave (AWOL) will disqualify a cadet from receiving an attendance medal*

Awards



- Cadets are eligible to be nominated for a number of in-house and Provincial / National awards based on their attendance, attitude, knowledge, behaviour, dedication, and uniform maintenance skills
- Awards are outlined in the Parent Handbook

SUPPORTING YOUR CADET

- *Help them organize their schedule so there is time for schoolwork, Navy League, and other activities*
- *Provide them with the tools to care for their uniform on a weekly basis*
- *Add Navy League activities to your family calendar*
- *Avoid conflicts with major activities (i.e. Annual Inspection)*
- *Encourage them to participate in corps events – the more they put into their cadet experience, the more they get out of it!*
- *Fundraise to meet your family's monthly commitment – additional funds go to your family account*



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