

Sub-Lieutenant David Lewis Bio:



Sub-Lieutenant David Lewis is a Public Affairs Officer (PAO) who has been in the Royal Canadian Navy (RCN) since 2006. Joining as a Naval Reservist with HMCS Prevost in London, Ontario, he qualified as a Public Affairs Officer 2010.

His work as PAO at the HMCS Prevost has been recognized internationally. SLt Lewis conceived and created the massive Battle of the Atlantic Memorial which has been

listed as a national military memorial. He has received awards and commendations for this project.

SLt Lewis has worked at Naval Reserve HQ in Quebec City as a videographer for the Canadian Navy Centennial Video Capsules project. He produced over 20 individual videos documenting Navy Centennial events across Canada.

During the Manitoba floods of 2010 SLt Lewis was the PAO for Maritime Component Command. He developed a public affairs plan and engaged proactively with local, regional and national media to ensure the contribution of Canadian sailors to Operation LUSTRE was captured and reported to Canadians.

In 2011 SLt Lewis was deployed to Kabul as part of Operation ATTENTION where he took the job of Deputy Director (Social Media) for NATO Training Mission – Afghanistan (NTM-A).

Prior to joining the Canadian Forces, he spent many years as a Sergeant in the U.S. Infantry, stationed in West-Germany and Ft. Benning, Georgia. He also spent time in the Texas National Guard, leaving as a Staff Sergeant.

SLt Lewis has been married over 30 years to his wife Sherrie. Together they have 5 children.