



10 May 2014

Canteens Now Required for all Cadets During FTX's

Effective with our next Field Training Exercise scheduled for the weekend of 30 May 2014, all cadets will be required to have with them a hands free personal drinking water system. We will no longer supply disposable water bottles to Cadets during exercises due to the cost, litter and waste issues. As you can imagine supplying multiple water bottles to over 50 Cadets during a weekend is not an efficient way to keep them properly hydrated. Safety and the wellbeing of your child is our first priority and proper hydration is a key element of that.

As we do now with their health card, each Cadet will be required to show they have their canteen or other hands free water system with them when they board the bus. Cadets without them will not be permitted on the exercise.

Cost

The 676 is offering a canteen, belt and holder for sale to all Cadets for \$20. The belts and holders can be returned in excellent condition when your cadet leaves the system and you will be refunded \$15 The canteen is yours to keep. The Cadet is not required to return the belt system and may elect to keep it. All belts and holders will be numbered so we will have a limited ability to determine ownership of found belts and holders. Please complete and return the form below with payment to purchase a belt, holder and canteen.

Requirements

Cadets are not required to purchase our Canteen system but they must have a hands free way of carrying at least 1 quart of water with them at all times. The requirement to have the canteen system with them on exercises will be stated in the Kit section of each event and published on the website.

The 676 will not replace lost or stolen canteen belt systems.

Specifications.

- Side release buckle with adjustable 1.5 inch wide polypropylene belt fits up to a 38 inch waist.
- The holder is MOLLE equipped and attached to the belt with 2 supplied MALICE clips.
- System is olive drab in colour.
- Plastic canteen holds one quart of water.

Name:	Cash:	Cheque:	Issued:
			Belt #
			Holder #

Cost \$20

Michael Cameron
Captain
Commanding Officer

