

Vice-President B.C.

Report to National Executive – August 2014



This mandate has been a very busy and trying period for all UNDE Members in the region. From having to deal with affected letters, budget cuts, transformation initiatives, unfriendly Bargaining Agents and of course the usual day to day dealings with management, we have stood strong against all comers. The strength of the region truly lays with the Members and the elected leadership of their 9 BC Locals. Nothing could be done without them, and I thank them for their support over the last three years as we have navigated these troubled waters. Likewise, our thanks go out to our exceptional staff in the UNDE National Office - who is invaluable resource people alongside our elected leaders. This has been proven many times when my various portfolios have taken me out of the region and the Deputy and Alternate Deputy Vice-President have had to step up as have the Local Presidents. While I have always been proud of the UNDE in BC, my esteem for these Members grows every day as they continually prove themselves in the face of budget austerity. If I may use a Naval term of excellence...Bravo Zulu British Columbia!

Below is a re-cap of the last 3 years and details may be found in the reports forming part of the National Executive meeting minutes available on the UNDE website.

VP/BC Activities
Fall 2011

Wed Aug 24 - meet with PSAC REVP Bob Jackson and tour CFB Esq
Thurs Sept 01 - attend PSAC called meeting with T3 negotiator Gail

Fri. 09 - participate in UNDE NE conf call
Sat. 10 - attend memorial service for UNDE member
Mon. 12 - travel to Comox and pick up Phil and Tim
Tues. 13 - DCC site visit and travel back
Wed. 14 - DCC Esq site visit and take guests to airport
Sat. 17 - travel to Courtney
Sun. 18 - attend PSAC grievance course for 1018 (IMP)
Mon. 19 - “. “. “. “. and travel home
Tues. 20 - attend PSAC Victoria AC Meeting
Wed. 21 - attend mandated BCE 1/2 day training
Thurs. 22 - deliver appreciation speech to EAP RAs
Mon. 26 - meet with CFB Esq BC for BUMCC pre-meet
Wed. 28 - attend safety training as new Formation Co-Chair
- donate 66 th pint of blood
Thurs. 29 - attend CFB Esq BUMCC and do walkthrough of proposed new Union office
Tues Oct. 04 - attend FUMCC
Wed. 05 - travel to Ottawa
Thurs. 06 - attend special NCC
Fri. 07 - travel home
Tues. 11 - meet with Formation CoS
Thurs. 13 - participate in NE conf call
Fri. 14 - travel to Campbell River
Sat. 15 - attend PSAC Campbell River AC and travel home
Tues. 18 - travel to Nanaimo and pick up Arlene P
Wed. 19 - help set up for course
Thurs. 20 - attend Business Case Writing course
Fri. 21 - “. “. “. “. ”
Sat. 22 - travel home and drop off Arlene P
Tues. 25 - attend Formation Safety Council (FSC) as Co-Chair
Wed. 26 - attend 1011 AGM
Thurs. 27 - meet with F CoS
Fri. 28 - travel to Vancouver
Sat. 29 - attend PSAC BC Presidents meeting and travel home
Tues Nov. 01 - attend BCE townhall
Thurs. 03 - attend 1013 AGM
Fri. 04 - travel to Courtney
Sat. 05 - attend 1018 AGM and travel home
Tues. 08 - attend 1016 AGM
Wed. 09 - attend FRMB
Tues. 15 - travel to Courtney and attend 1007 AGM
Wed. 16 - travel home, attend 1010 AGM and the Formation Townhall

Thurs. 17 - attend 1008 AGM Mon. 21 - participate in PSAC webex on WFAA
Wed. 23 - donate 67th pint of blood
Thurs. 24 - travel to Halifax
Fri. 25 - meet with Local 8045 Members on SC issues with Ken Waldron
Sat. 26 - travel home
Sun. 27 - travel to Vancouver for BC Fed of Labour convention
Mon. 28 - attend BC Fed
Tues. 29 - attend BC Fed and travel home
Wed. 30 - travel to Winnipeg
Thurs. Dec 01 - participate in 1CAD UMCC and travel home
Fri. 02 - participate in group celebration of life(s) for past 1016 Members
Sun. 04 - travel to Ottawa for UNDE NE meetings

Spring 2012 Activities listing

Sat Dec 10: fly home from Ottawa NE meetings

Mon Dec 12: meet Member at Hospital Emergency room
Tues Dec 13: meet with Local 1011 Exec over lunch
Wed Dec 14: attend retirement luncheon for Local 1016 Member
Fri Dec 16: travel to CFMETR and attend Local 1017 AGM
Sat Dec 17: travel home
Wed Dec 28: move UNDE office
Thurs Dec 29: move UNDE office
Fri Dec 30: move UNDE office
Fri Jan 06: set up office communication equipment, attend Ken W campaign meeting
Mon Jan 16: pick up John, Tim and Phil at airport and pre-meet
Tues Jan 17: meet with reporter
Wed Jan 18: base stood down due to "snowmeggeddon"
Thurs Jan 26: meet with CFB Esq A/BC and EA with L. Jesson
Sun Jan 29: travel to Ottawa
Mon Jan 30: AEU bargaining pre-meet
Tues Jan 31: AEU bargaining pre-meet
Wed Feb 01: AEU bargaining pre-meet
Thurs Feb 02: travel home
Fri Feb 03: participate in NE conf call
Fri Feb 10: meet with Esq Juan de Fuca MP Randall Garrison
Wed Feb 15: donate 68th pint of blood
Thurs Feb 16: attend Black history month celebration
Wed Feb 29: meet with CFB Esq BC and his CoS
Thurs Mar 01: as FSC Co-Chair shut down non-conforming meeting and travel to Vancouver
Fri Mar 02: attend psac N.O. Meeting

Sat Mar 03: attend psac pre-convention strategy meeting and travel home
Sun Mar 04: attend BCFed/BCTF Planning session
Mon Mar 05: attend CFB Esq BCE townhall
Tues Mar 06: have breakfast with Garry Robinson and attend BCFed/BCTF rally
Wed Mar 07: attend FU MCC
Fri Mar 09: attend CFB Esq BCE townhall and memorial service for past BCE Mil Member
Mon Mar 12: participate in NE conf call
Sat Mar 17: participate in NE conf call
Thurs Mar 22: attend retirement ceremony for 1016 Member
Wed Mar 28: participate in NE conf call
Fri Mar 30: attend retirement ceremony for 1016 Member
Sat Mar 31: do interview with press
Tues Apr 03: meet with CFB Esq BC
Wed Apr 04: attend special FU MCC and do interview with press
Thurs Apr 05: attend CFB Esq townhall and do interview with press
Sun Apr 08: do interview with press
Mon Apr 09: do interview with press X 2
Tues Apr 10: do interview with press
Wed Apr 11: brief Phil T. for french language press interview (thanks Phil) and donate 79th pint of blood
Thurs Apr 12: do interview with press
Mon Apr 16: meet with CFB Esq BC for pre- FU MCC
Tues Apr 17: attend FU MCC
Sun Apr 22: travel to Ottawa for NE meeting, LP conf and psac triennial conv

Calendar of events for Summer 2012

Friday May 04 – travel home from Ottawa
Tuesday May 09 – WCB personal accident
Wednesday May 10 – see vet for above incident
Monday May 14 – do WCB claim and meet with WFA'd Members
Wednesday May 16 – meet with CFB Esq CoS and Local Presidents
Thursday May 17 – attend retirement function for 1016 Member Terry Emerson
Wednesday May 23 – attend Bill C-38 info session put on by 3 area MPs
Saturday May 26 – attend celebration of life for drowned RCN Submariner
Tuesday May 29 – attend CFB Esq BCE townhall, and meet with CFB Esq BC on FSC ToRs
Thursday May 31 – attend candle light vigil at VA God's Acre
Sunday June 03 – travel to Regina and attend CAF Conference

Monday June 04 – attend CAF Conference
Tuesday June 05 – attend CAF Conference
Wednesday June 06 – travel home and donate 70th pint of blood
Thursday June 07 – attend CFB Esq Freedom of the City Parade
Friday June 22 – meet with Garry R
Sunday June 24 – travel to Chilliwack by way of Vancouver to pick up John M
Tuesday June 26 – meet with ASU Chilliwack WFA'd Members
Wednesday June 27 – return home by way of Vancouver to drop off John M
Thursday June 28 – participate in UNDE NE Conf call
Tuesday July 03 – attend send off for HMCS Regina
Wednesday July 04 – grip and grin with new MARPAC RAdm and the CoS and hold regional conference call with the LPs on WFA
Monday July 09 – attend 1016 Executive meeting
Tuesday July 10 – travel to Winnipeg
Wednesday July 11 – attend 1CAD UMCC and travel home
Thursday July 12 – attend CFB Esq CoC and visit sick Member
Thursday July 19 – attend CFAD Rocky Point CoC and accompany Ian Wiggs to deliver affected letter to Peter Mackay
Friday July 20 – participate in UNDE NE conf call
Saturday July 21 – travel to Nanaimo and participate in the PSAC's "we are all affected" campaign tent and travel home
Thursday July 26 – attend retirement function for ex 1016 Member
Sunday July 29 – travel to Comox
Monday July 30 – pick up L. Bisson, meet with the 1018 Executive and travel home
Tuesday July 31 – attend FU MCC
Wednesday August 01 – donate 71st pint of blood
Friday August 03 – take L. Bisson to airport
Tuesday August 07 – grip and grin with new CFB Esq BC and then meet with FCoS
Thursday August 09 – attend Peace Keepers Memorial Service
Friday August 10 – travel to Campbell River
Saturday August 11 – participate in the PSAC's "we are all affected" campaign tent and travel home
Sunday August 12 – attend MARPAC's RAdm's garden party
Thursday August 23 – attend PSST hearing and a retirement function for a 1016 Member
Saturday September 01 – attend funeral service for 1009 Member Dave Hill
Monday September 03 – attend and man UNDE tent at the VLC Labour Day Picnic
Monday September 10 – meet with CFB Esq BC's CoS
Tuesday September 11 – take computer course

Wednesday September 12 – attend UW/GCWCC kickoff at Ogden Point, participate in NE conf call and attend a DRC Stakeholder meeting with the regional manager

Thursday September 13 – pickup Lance Jesson and travel to Halifax then meet with the VP/NS

Friday September 14 – attend press conference concerning tomorrow

Saturday September 15 – participate in march/rallies against Def Min in his riding in support of “day of action” and miss my 28th anniversary

Sunday September 16 – travel home and drop off Lance Jesson

Tuesday September 18 – meet with Local 1008 Exec Members and attend the PSAC Vic AC AGM

Thursday September 20 – attend FMF CB parking meeting

Wednesday September 26 – donate 72nd pint of blood and attend MARPAC’s RAdm’s luncheon for the 30th anniversary of the EAP

Thursday September 27 – attend LP/CFB Esq BCoS meeting on staffing, attend the MARPAC FRMB, and (by invite) attend a 1016 special called GM

Monday October 01- travel to Ottawa

Tuesday October 02 – attend UMCC HR Sub-Committee focus group on “Talent Management”

Wednesday October 03 – attend UMCC HR Sub-Committee and working lunch with other Unions

Thursday October 04 – travel home

Tuesday October 09 – attend 1016 Executive meeting

Wednesday October 11-begin the second half of my life

Wednesday October 17-attend FUMCC and travel to Halifax NS

Thursday October 18 – attend CAF event with ISIS

Friday October 19-go on tour with Brother T. Kiley

Saturday October 20-travel home

Monday October 22 – meet with Local 1011 LP at Rocky Point

Tuesday October 23-attend BCE Unit training

Wednesday October 24-present donation cheque to Brother John Spencer (1016) and meet with former VPBC Garry Robinson

Monday November 05 – attend 1010 AGM with Brother John MacLennan

Tuesday November 06 – travel to Nanoose and attend 1017 AGM then return to Victoria to attend 1016 AGM

Wednesday November 07 – meet with ADM/IE Scott Stephenson c/w Col Quinn, travel to Rocky Point to attend 1011 AGM, then return to Victoria to attend 1008 AGM

Thursday November 08 – meet with RAdm, CoS, BC, Reg Civ HR Dir, then attend 1013 AGM followed by the 1009 AGM.

Friday November 09 – meet with press member then travel to Comox to attend 1007 AGM

Saturday November 10 – attend 1018 AGM and travel home
Sunday November 11 – attend Esquimalt Remembrance Day ceremony
Tuesday November 13 – attend 1016 Exec Luncheon
Thursday November 15 – travel to Ottawa
Friday November 16 – attend Apprenticeship Program Review Committee and drop in on the PIPSC AGM dance
Monday November 19 – attend Apprenticeship meeting with DND on the AODP
Tuesday November 20 – travel home
Wednesday November 21 – donate 73rd pint of blood

The following is anticipated activities, as the report must be filed prior:

Sunday November 25 – travel to Vancouver for the BC Fed of Labour Convention
Monday November 26 – attend BC Fed Convention
Tuesday November 27 – attend BC Fed Convention
Wednesday November 28 – attend BC Fed Convention
Thursday November 29 – attend BC Fed Convention and travel to Ottawa
Friday November 30 – attend PSAC Leadership Summit
Saturday December 01 – attend PSAC Leadership Summit
Sunday December 02 – attend PSAC Leadership Summit
Monday December 03 – attend UNDE NE meeting

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Dec 06/12 – UNDE National Executive ends
Dec 07/12 – UNDE Standing Bylaws committee meets to discuss Local 181
Dec 08/12 – travel home from Ottawa
Dec 12/12 – accompany 1016 A/LP in member outreach
Dec 13/12 – meet with CFB Esq BC's EA and try again on member outreach with 1016 A/LP
Dec 14/12 – attend CFB Esq BCE Christmas luncheon
Dec 15/12 – attend Formation Christmas reception
Dec 17/12 - travel to Winnipeg
Dec 18/12 – attend 1CAD UMCC and travel home
Dec 19/12 – attend luncheon with Local 1011
Dec 20/12 – attend PSAC NI AC meeting c/w T3 update
Dec 21/12 – attend BCE Ops Carpenter Shop Luncheon
Dec 24/12 – attend BCE Christmas Luncheon
Jan 09/13 – attend FSC as an observer
Jan 11/13 – attend retirement for 1016 Member

Jan 16/13 – donate 75th pint of blood
Jan 18/13 – go on tour of new Fire Hall/emergency Ops Centre
Jan 21/13 – attend special called meeting on DRAP by the RAdm
Jan 22/13 – meet with CFB Esq BC's CoS, and attend pre-BUMCC
Jan 23/13 – attend RWFACC
Jan 24/13 – attend CFB Esq BUMCC
Jan 27/13 – travel to Goose Bay NF&L (day 1)
Jan 28/13 – travel to Goose Bay NF&L (day 2)
Jan 29/13 – meet with 5 Wing CO, Serco Execs, and Locals 125 and 103
Jan 30/13 – travel home (day 1)
Jan 31/13 – travel home (day 2)
Feb 08/13 – meet with CFB Esq CoS
Feb 11/13 – travel to Ottawa
Feb 12/13 – staff bargaining
Feb 13/13 – staff bargaining and participate on NE Conference call
Feb 14/13 – travel home
Feb 16/13 – travel to and from Nanaimo for PSAC NI AC meeting
Feb 18/13 – travel to Ottawa
Feb 20/13 – ADM IE T UMCC
Feb 21/13 – travel to Toronto
Feb 22/13 – attend UNDE NE briefing and attend reviving Labour's image and participate in PSAC BC T3 bargaining update conference call
Feb 23/13 – attend reviving labour's image and travel home
Feb 25/13 – meet with CFB Esq A/BC and CoS and attend MARPAC FU MCC then pick up EVP and staff at airport
Feb 26/13 – pick up Member at airport for meeting with EVP and staff then take Member back to airport and tour EVP and staff around
Feb 27/13 – travel to Ottawa
Feb 28/13 – attend DND Apprenticeship committee
Mar 01/13 – travel home then drive to Courtney to pay respects at funeral viewing for UNDE Honorary Member Keith Mackenzie then drive home
Mar 03/13 – travel to Vancouver with Lance Jesson to pick up UNDE Nat Pres and PSAC NEVP then travel to Chilliwack
Mar 04/13 – meet with 1008 ASU Chilliwack affected Members and travel to Victoria
Mar 05/13 – participate in V&P Base tour for PSAC NEVP, CoS courtesy call, Sub tour, BCE tour and dinner with various Local's Execs
Mar 06/13 – drop PSAC NEVP off at airport, pick up John and proceed to Courtney
Mar 07/13 – do a site visit with Local 1018 followed by a working lunch with the Execs then a courtesy call with the Wing CO preceding a Local 1007 GM followed by a working dinner with both Local's Execs

Mar 08/13 – drop John off at airport then travel home
Mar 11/13 – travel to Ottawa
Mar 12/13 – staff bargaining
Mar 13/13 – staff bargaining
Mar 14/13 – staff bargaining
Mar 15/13 – working lunch with ADM IE staff member and travel home
Mar 19/13 – participate in NE conf call and meet with CFB Esq BC and CoS
Mar 20/13 – attend retirement party for past 1006 LP, 1016 Exec Member – Margaret Williams
Mar 21/13 – do Fed Budget Day live radio interview
Mar 22/13 – meet with Pac Civ HR Director Michael Holt
Mar 26/13 – visit sick Member
Mar 27/13 – meet with BC LPs
Mar 31/13 – NEW LEAVE EVE!
Apr 09/13 – donate 76th pint of blood, speak with reporter, attend 1016 Exec meeting
Apr 10/13 – meet with CFB Esq BC and CoS on BUMCC pre-meet
Apr 11/13 – attend CFB Esq BUMCC
Apr 15/13 – meet with MARPAC CoS and attend PSAC RO meeting to discuss future office location
Apr 16/13 – attend CFB Esq BCE Town hall, HMCS Esquimalt sinking memorial and PSAC VAC meeting
Apr 18/13 – attend the PSAC VIHRC meeting
Apr 21/13 – attend working dinner with LPs pre-Rand meeting
Apr 22/13 – attend the PSAC Rand meeting for VI
Apr 23/13 – attend the DRT meeting for VI
Apr 24/13 – attend the FUMCC
Apr 25/13 – attend a 1016/compensation meeting and a retirement function for a 1016 Member
Apr 27/13 – travel to Ottawa
Apr 28/13 – UNDE/AEU Bargaining Team caucus
Apr 29/13 – UNDE investment company interviews
Apr 30/13 – staff bargaining and attend ADM IE T meeting
May 01/13 – staff bargaining
May 02/13 – staff bargaining
May 03/13 – UNDE investment company interviews
May 06/13 – Nat Exec meeting begins

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May 09 – participate on teleconference with ADM IE Rep

Travel home/speak with Esquimalt MP

- May 13 – participate in UNDE Investment discussion/decision Tele-conference
- May 14 – meet with CFB Esq CoS, do press interview, meet with MARPAC CoS
- May 15 – meet with Esq JdF MP
- May 16 – meet with reporter
- May 23 – print press interview
- May 24 – live radio interview
- May 27 – participate in ADM IE T conf call
- May 29 – attend HR/UNDE/PIPSC briefing
- May 30 – attend Candle Light Vigil at God's Acre
- June 03 – meet with retired 1010 LP
- June 04 – donate 77th pint of blood
- June 05 – boycott NPSW Formation BBQ and do print press interview
- June 06 – attend CO RCN town hall swan song
- June 10 – travel to Comox
- June 11 – attend ADM IE T briefing, travel home and attend PSAC Victoria AC meeting
- June 12 – attend ADM IE T briefing x 2 and take Member to and from Doctor
- June 14 – participate in 2nd annual PSAC slow pitch tournament
- June 17 – travel to Ottawa
- June 18 – staff bargaining
- June 19 – attend meeting with Petawawa Local 639 and be present at 30 yr pin presentation to Brother John Cuffe
- June 20 – travel home
- June 25 – attend CFB Esq BC CoC ceremony
- June 26 – participate in NE conf call
- June 27 – travel to Winnipeg
- June 28 – attend 1 CAD UMCC and travel home
- July 03 – attend pre-BUMCC with new CFB Esq BC and meet with Vic UW Labour Reps
- July 04 – attend sick Member in Hospital and attend CFB Esq BUMCC
- July 08 – travel to Ottawa
- July 09 – attend ADM IE T MIP meeting and attend meeting between John MacLennan and Scott Stevenson ADM IE and then travel home
- July 10 – attend FU MCC
- July 13 – attend Pacific Tattoo
- July 18 – attend CFB Esq BCE family BBQ
- July 23 – attend/participate in UW Labour promotional video
- July 28 – attend RAdm Community Garden Party
- July 30 – donate 78th pint of blood
- Aug 06 – travel to Ottawa

Aug 07 – attend ADM IE T MIP meeting and travel home
Aug 20 – meet with CFB Esq BC and his CoS
Aug 21 – participate in UNDE NE conf call
Sept 05 – travel to Ottawa
Sept 06 – participate in ADM IE MIP and travel home
Sept 09 – meet with CFB Esq CoS, and meet with RAdm, FCoS and HR Dir
Sept 10 – attend CFB Esq BCE town hall and 1016 GM
Sept 17 – attend greater Victoria UW kickoff
Sept 18 – conduct TC vote count and travel to Vancouver
Sept 19 – attend PSAC BC Nat Off meeting
Sept 20 – attend PSAC BC Reg Council meeting and travel home
Sept 21 – attend CLC Leadership Forum
Sept 24 – donate 79th pint of blood, attend CFB Esq BCE training day, meet with CFB Esq CoS, attend PSAC Victoria Area Council meeting
Sept 25 – travel to Ottawa
Sept 26 – participate in staff bargaining
Sept 27 – travel home
Oct 01 – travel to Ottawa
Oct 02 – attend ADM IE T MIP
Oct 03 – attend Nat UMCC HR Sub-Committee
Oct 04 – travel home
Oct 07 – participate in DRT/Union conference call and do two print press interviews
Oct 08 – attend Local 1016 Exec meeting and attend PSAC called town hall with Esq JdF MP and Nicole Turmel
Oct 10 – attend FU MCC
Oct 11 – celebrate my 51st birthday
Oct 15 – meet with CFB Esq CoS and Local Presidents for chat
Oct 16 – listen in on cross-Component conference call
Oct 18 – participate in NE conference call
Oct 23 – travel to Ottawa
Oct 24 – attend CAF conference
Oct 25 – attend PSAC called press conf and then travel home
Oct 28 – travel to Ottawa
Oct 29 – attend ADM LMCC and travel home
Nov 01 – travel to Calgary
Nov 02 – attend demo at Conservative convention
Nov 03 – travel home
Nov 04 – attend Local 1011 AGM
Nov 05 – travel to Ottawa

Nov 06 – attend ADM IE T MIP and travel home and most importantly – welcome my first Grand-daughter Emma Jennifer Knoll to the world
Nov 07 – attend Locals 1013 and 1009's AGMs
Nov 11 – attend Remembrance Day ceremony
post report but pre NE meeting
Nov 12 – attend Local 1016 AGM
Nov 13 – travel to Comox and attend Local 1007 AGM
Nov 14 – travel to Toronto
Nov 15 – attend UNDE Bargaining Conference
Nov 16 – attend UNDE Bargaining Conference
Nov 17 – UNDE NE begins

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EMPLOYEES (UNDE) NATIONAL EXECUTIVE (NE) MEETING

Fri Nov 22 – travel home from Toronto and drive to Courtney
Sat Nov 23 – attend 1018 Annual General Meeting (AGM) and drive home
Sun Nov 24 – travel to Vancouver
Mon Nov 25 – attend British Columbia (BC) Federation (Fed) of Labour Convention
Tues Nov 26 – attend BC Fed of Labour Convention
Wed Nov 27 – attend BC Fed of Labour Convention and travel home picking up Local 623 President -Sister Sarah Elliott at airport on the way
Thurs Nov 28 – meet with Canadian Forces Base (CFB) Esquimalt (Esq) Base Commander (BC), attend Local 1010 AGM and Local 1008 AGM
Fri Nov 29 – host BC Local President's meeting
Sun Dec 01 – travel to Ottawa and pay respects at Sister Pat McGrath's viewing
Mon Dec 02 – attend National (Nat) Union Management Consultation Committee (UMCC)
Tues Dec 03 – attend Local 70611 AGM
Wed Dec 04 – attend ADM IE T real property meeting, meet with UNDE's investment advisor and attend National Joint Council (NJC) reception
Thurs Dec 05 – attend Nat UMCC Human Resources (HR) sub-committee, attend Nat Workforce Adjustment (WFA) meeting, and attend ADGA group reception
Fri Dec 06 – travel home and attend Candle Light Vigil to end violence against women
Mon Dec 09 – have luncheon with Local 1016 Exec
Tues Dec 10 – travel to Winnipeg
Wed Dec 11 – attend 1 Canadian Air Division (CAD) UMCC and travel home
Fri Dec 13 – travel to CFMETR to attend 1017 AGM and travel home
Sat Dec 14 – attend CFB Esq Formation Holiday Reception
Mon Dec 16 – attend United Way (UW) wrap-up for CFB Esq

Tues Dec 17 – donate 79th pint of blood, meet with Local 1011 Exec
 Wed Dec 18 – attend retirement party for a 1016 Member
 Tues Dec 24 – meet with 1009 Exec Members and attend CFB Esq BCE Potluck then
 boycott BS stand down
 Mon Jan 06 – attend departure of HMCS Regina
 Wed Jan 08 – meet with CFB Esq BCom for BUMCC pre-meet, and attend PSAC Vic
 AC meeting
 Thurs Jan 09 – attend CFB Esq BUMCC
 Tues Jan 14 – travel to Ottawa
 Wed Jan 15 – attend ADM IE RP meeting, grip and grin with new ADM Jamie Pitfield,
 meet with CFFM, the D/CFFM and the CME, then travel to London
 Thurs Jan 16 – meet with Fanshawe College President – Peter Devlin and staff
 Fri Jan 17 – travel home
 Tues Jan 21 – attend CFB Esq BCE town hall
 Sat Jan 25 – travel to/from and attend PSAC NVI AC meeting
 Mon Feb 03 – meet with CFB Esq BCom and his CoS
 Tues Feb 04 – travel to Ottawa
 Wed Feb 05 – attend ADM IE RP meeting and travel home
 Thurs Feb 06 – continue to travel home
 Fri Feb 07 – participate in UNDE NE conf call
 Tues Feb 11 – travel to Ottawa
 Wed Feb 12 – attend UNDE Caucus
 Thurs Feb 13 – attend PSAC National bargaining conference
 Fri Feb 14 - “ “ “ “ “
 Sat Feb 15 - “ “ “ “ “
 Sun Feb 16 - “ “ “ “ “
 Mon Feb 17 – travel home
 Fri Feb 21 – travel to Comox, pick up Louis B and attend 1018/IMP pre-bargaining
 meeting
 Sat Feb 22 – take Louis B to airport and travel home
 Sun Feb 23 – travel to Ottawa
 Mon Feb 24 – attend LMCC-T pre-meet
 Tues Feb 25 – attend LMCC-T
 Wed Feb 26 – travel to Calgary
 Thurs Feb 27 – attend CAF event and travel home
 Fri Feb 28 – attend BC President’s meeting
 Tues Mar 04 – travel to Ottawa
 Wed Mar 05 – attend ADM IE RP meeting and travel home
 Tues Mar 11 – attend 1016 Exec meeting
 Wed Mar 12 – attend PSAC Vic AC meeting

Fri Mar 14 – attend CFB Esq CR/AS review town-hall
Tues Mar 18 – attend CFB Esq BCE town-hall
Wed Mar 19 – attend full day Union Rep PRR training
Thurs Mar 20 – travel to Edmonton
Fri Mar 21 – present at Council of Locals
Sat Mar 22 – travel home
Wed Mar 26 – attend ½ day employee PRR training and attend UW Spirit Award ceremony
Fri Mar 28 – drive to CFMETR attend special called meeting and drive home. Attend Member’s retirement party
Mon Apr 07 – participate in PSAC BC telephone town hall
Tues Apr 08 – donate 80th pint of blood
Thurs Apr 10 – travel to Parksville picking up Nat Off Pers
Fri Apr 11 – host BC Reg Conf
Sat Apr 12 – host BC Reg Conf and prepare “Spam Special”
Sun Apr 13 – travel home and return Nat Off Pers
Mon Apr 14 – travel to Ottawa
Tues Apr 15 – UNDE Standing Bylaw Committee review
Wed Apr 16 - “ “ “ “ “
Thurs Apr 17 - “ “ “ “ “
Fri Apr 18 – travel home
Tues Apr 22 – attend CFB Esq BUMCC
Thurs Apr 24 – travel to Vancouver and host our UNDE Caucus
Fri Apr 25 – attend BC PSAC Triennial Regional Convention
Sat Apr 26 - “ “ “ “ “ “
Sun Apr 27 - “ “ “ “ “ “ and travel home
Thurs May 01 – participate in May Day leafleting (CFAD RP, CFMETR, 19 Wing and CFB Esq hit)
Sat May 03 – attend celebration of life for Local 1010 Member
Fri May 16: travel home from Ottawa
Thurs May 22: attend/chair special called 1008 General Meeting (GM) to redo UNDE Convention Delegate/Alternate/Observer elections
Sun May 25: travel to Winnipeg
Mon May 26: attend 1 Canadian Air Division (CAD) Union Management Consultation Committee (UMCC) and travel home
Thurs May 29: attend Candlelight Tribute at God’s Acre
Fri May 30: attend Canadian Forces Base (CFB) Esquimalt (Esq) Base Construction Engineering (BCE) town hall meeting with Colonel (Col) Darlene Quinn from Assistant Deputy Minister (ADM) Infrastructure and Environment (IE), and attend meeting with the regional UNDE Local Presidents (LPs)

Sat May 31: attend celebration of life for a 1016 Member and travel to Ottawa
Sun June 01: attend Canadian Apprenticeship Forum (CAF)
Mon June 02: “ “ “ “
Tues June 03: “ “ “ “
Wed June 04: attend ADM IE DPT meeting and travel home
Sat June 07: attend Variety Club's Boat for Hope event
Tues June 10: attend memorial service for 3 fallen NB RCMP Officers
Sun June 15: travel to St Andrews NB
Mon June 16: attend NFL/NB regional conf
Tues June 17: “ “ “ “
Wed June 18: attend Local 60303 GM
Thurs June 19: travel home
Fri June 20: attend PSAC anti PS week Softball tournament
Tues June 24: meet with 1009 LP and CFB Esq POESB CO, meet with MARPAC CoS
Wed June 25: meet with UW Labour Loan Rep, CFB Esq BAs and GCWCC Co-Ord
Thurs July 03: meet with the CFB Esq BCom
Anticipated meetings post writing of report and pre-Triennial
Tues July 15: travel to Ottawa
Wed July 16: staff bargaining
Thurs July 17: “ “
Fri July 18: travel home
Fri July 25: meet with BC Local Presidents
Tues July 29: attend FUMCC
Wed July 30: attend CFB Esq BCom CoC ceremony
Fri Aug 08: attend retirement party for 1016 Member
Tues Aug 12: travel to Quebec City

In addition to this report, I have submitted reports as the Chair of the UNDE Standing Bylaws Committee, as the A/Co-Chair of the 1 CAD UMCC (since the resignation of Sister Arlene Preston), as the UNDE OPI for the Apprenticeship Program, and as the UNDE Rep for the ADM IE RP meetings. During the previous 3 years I have also represented the UNDE in meetings involving the Deputy Minister, numerous Brigadier Generals, Major Generals, Rear Admirals, Assistant Deputy Ministers and it seems like every rank and classification below these ones. These reports have been promulgated out to the National Officers and are not part of this reporting structure. It has been a great experience and I hope to do more of it in the next mandate should I be fortunate enough to be re-elected and elected in turn to the Alternate Executive Vice-President position.

I know we will have a great convention, and that we will be ready to take on our employers in the next mandate!

Respectfully submitted by T. Mark Miller VP/BC