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MOTORCYCLE RIDERS WANTED
MILITARY POLICE 3rd ANNUAL CHARITY RIDE

ESQUIMALT, B.C. — Motorcycle riders are wanted to join local members of the Military Police unit at CFB Esquimalt for a Vancouver Island charity ride to raise funds for the Military Police Fund for Blind Children and the Children’s Wish Foundation of Canada. Beginning in Victoria on the morning of 27 August the ride will travel up the Island stopping for lunch in Parksville and finishing in Comox for the official closing ceremony and BBQ (timings below).

To help meet the \$10,000 fundraising goal for the province riders can pay a \$25 registration fee or raise \$150 or more in donations and ride for free. For those unable to participate directly they can support a rider or make a donation at any one of their stops.

Interested British Columbia riders are asked to contact Sergeant (retired) Lamont French, National Co-Chair and B.C. Chair either by-mail at lamontfrench@shaw.ca or by phone at 250-880-0909.

For more information about this ride or either of the charities please visit their websites at:

Military Police Motorcycle Ride – www.mpmr.ca
Military Police Fund for Blind Children – www.mpfbc.com
Childrens Wish Foundation - www.childrenswish.ca

Vancouver island - Victoria/CFB Esquimalt to Comox/19 Wing Comox Schedule

26 Aug 2011	2:00 p.m.	Pre-registration, Meet and Greet BBQ, silent auction preview at CFB Esquimalt
27 Aug 2011	7:30-10:00 a.m.	Registration, Meet and Greet Breakfast and silent auction at NOTC Venture Work Point
	10:00 a.m.	Depart Esquimalt for Parksville with Victoria Police Escort
	12:00 p.m.	Lunch fundraiser at Parksville Thrifty Foods
	1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Fundraiser at Spunky’s Motorcycle In Parksville
	2:30 p.m.	Arrive at 19 Wing Comox via Highway 19
	3:00 p.m.	Final BBQ, Silent Auction and Closing Ceremony

Media interested in covering events at CFB Esquimalt are requested to contact Base Public Affairs at 250-363-7060

For events at CFB Comox please contact 19 Wing Public Affairs at 250-339-8201.

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