



The line up to take a tour on either HMC Winnipeg or HMCS Saskatoon stretched far down the jetty.



Cpl Samuel Lockhart from the Canadian Scottish Regiment applies camouflage on Noah Kam.



Noah Kami sits in an antique U.N. Jeep patrol car from the Ashton Armory Museum.

Westshore NAVY DAY/JOURNÉE DE LA MARINE



MCpl Marcel Dionne of the Military Police helps Mark Siminov practice a take down technique.



Aspectator throws a ball at the Tour de Rock dunk tank in an attempt to sink Colorado Avalanche NHL Hockey Player Tyson Barrie.



Sgt Jean Leblanc, a policeman from Esquimalt Military Police Unit, shows the patrol car equipment to a young visitor.

On Saturday, June 11, CFB Esquimalt welcomed nearly 1,200 visitors to Westshore Navy Day held at the Colwood facilities. As a result of the hard work of the men and women of Maritime Forces Pacific, 39 Canadian Brigade Group and the Royal Canadian Air Force, visitors were able to take in a wide variety of displays and demonstrations that showcased what the members of the Canadian Armed Forces and Defence Team do on a daily basis. This was the first time in 10 years the base has hosted an Open House, and this unique location gave visitors a peek at a part of the base that many people didn't even know existed. Thank you View Royal Casino, Royal Roads, BC Transit, Westshore Parks and Recreation, and Bell Media.

Photos by Leading Seaman David Gariépy



The Firebrand tugboat puts on a show.



The team from 442 Transport and Rescue Squadron demonstrate a rescue.



Captain (Navy) Steve Waddell, Base Commander, addresses the crowd.



Jeannie Ward and her daughter Audrina hold on tight during their RHIB ride with Clearance Diver, Leading Seaman Bryan Ogle.



Corporal Gordon Tessier, a fire fighter at the Damage Control School, helps Audrey Conrad, age 3, use a fire hose.



Naval Cadet Able Seaman Chris Nix watches as William Gordon, age 6, throws a monkey paw.