

205 Collishaw Annual Awards and Criteria

Award	New Merit	Selection
Top Level Cadet (Levels 1-5)	Presented to the Top Cadet in each level who shows the best attendance, dress, deportment, and proficiency in training.	Level 5+ seniors provide recommendation only for all levels. Level cadets vote on their level choice. Level officer/staff.
808 Wing RCAFA Ladies Auxiliary for Cadet Choice	Chosen by their peers, this award is given to the cadet who embodies qualities such as inspiration, self-confidence, respectfulness, and kindness.	All cadets choose one.
Alex J. MacKay Memorial Trophy for Best Green Shot	Presented to the cadet who, in their first year of marksmanship, has achieved the highest average score.	Marksmanship coach based on calculated results of targets for any cadet in their first-year shooting
Elite Marksman	Presented to the Cadet who achieved the highest average score.	Marksmanship coach based on calculated results of targets
Cadet Marksman of Distinction	Awarded to the cadet who exemplifies sportsmanship, commitment, leadership, and teamwork in the marksmanship program	Marksmanship coach
Top Biathlete	Presented to the cadets with the best race results while displaying sportsmanship and dedication to the biathlon team.	Biathlon coach, other?
Most Valuable Biathlete	Awarded to the cadet who exemplifies commitment, sportsmanship, teamwork, and leadership with the biathlon program.	Biathlon coach
Herrington Trophy for Most Improved First Year Band cadet	Recognizing a first-year band cadet who has made the most progress in instrument and drill, with consistent attendance at band practice and events.	Band officer/staff, drum major
Most Valuable Band Musician	Presented to the cadet who has demonstrated exceptional band skills, excellent attendance, and strong teamwork.	Band officer/staff, band cadet recommendations
Collishaw Trophy for Aviation passion	Presented to the Cadet displaying the greatest interest in aviation. Exceptional participation in classroom discussions, flight training and/or ground school.	General staff, level 5+ recommendation, ground school coach
F/Sgt Robert Dixon Memorial Trophy for Top Gun	Presented to the cadet with the highest mark on the qualifying exam.	Flying officer determines based on mark.
HAM Radio	Awarded to the cadet who achieved the highest mark on the Amateur Radio Certificate exam.	
Bain Memorial Trophy for Best Junior NCO	Presented to the Cpl or FCpl who displays emerging leadership and management skills, and valuable unit support.	Staff, Level 5+ recommendation Leadership is the effective influence of subordinates and management is organized planning and deployment of resources and subordinates.

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Dino Trophy for Best Senior NCO	Presented to the Sgt or above who displays proficient leadership and management skills, and valuable unit support.	Staff, Level 5+ recommendation. Leadership is the effective influence of subordinates and management is organized planning and deployment of resources and subordinates.
Branch 256 Royal Canadian Legion Trophy for Best All-Round NCO	Awarded to the Cpl or above who demonstrated exceptional leadership through diverse participation in both optional and mandatory training programs.	Staff, Level 5+ recommendation
Graham Muir / Flight Lt. H.B. (Bus) Matthews Memorial Trophy for Outstanding Cadet of the Year	Presented to the cadet who best fulfilled the role of the Air Cadet movement, "to learn, to serve, to advance", and who did the most for the welfare of her fellow cadets. This trophy is only presented to outstanding cadets and is not presented every year.	Staff, Level 5+ recommendation
808 Wing RCAFA Squadron Leader Lew Davies Memorial Bursary	Awarded to a senior cadet who will be attending post-secondary education in the following year and has an extensive and strong career record.	\$500 each, Lew Davies family based on 808 Wing RCAFA available funds. Cadet record, submitted essay and school records.
Training Officer award for Exceptional Instruction	Presented to the instructor that is always prepared and eager with engaging, effective lessons.	
Commanding Officer's Most improved Junior Cadet (levels 1-3)	Presented to cadets in levels 1, 2, and 3, who exemplify commitment and unit support while showing the most improvement in training & deportment.	Commanding Officer
Commanding Officer's Most improved Senior Cadet (levels 4-5)	Presented to cadets in levels 4 and 5, who exemplify commitment and unit support while showing the most improvement in training & deportment.	Commanding Officer
Eloquent Speaker	Displaying the most development in self-confidence and speaking skills.	Effective Speaking Team, Effective Speaking coach
LCol Doug Slowski Heart of Service	Presented to the AC to FCpl with extensive contribution in fundraising and supporting community events while exemplifying a positive attitude.	Tag days, poppy days, 808 wing events, legion events, non-cadet events
The Royal Canadian Legion Cadet Medal of Excellence	This medal is presented in recognition of individual endeavors in the area of citizenship, and for outstanding community involvement as well as loyalty and service to the Squadron.	Tag days, poppy days, 808 wing events, legion events, notable non-cadet events for community fundraising or volunteering e.g. coaching, tutor, church
Lord Strathcona Medal	The Strathcona Medal is granted in recognition of a high performance in physical and military training. One Medal and a Certificate of Merit are awarded by the Strathcona Trust Provincial Committee to one deserving Cadet in each unit annually. A Cadet is entitled to receive the medal only once.	