

330 Danforth Tech Squadron
Mess Dinner 2014
Information Sheet

Attn: Cadets, Friends and Family of 330 Danforth Tech Squadron
Date of Issue: May 16, 2014
For: May 23, 2014
Price of admission: \$10 for Cadets; \$30 for friends and family

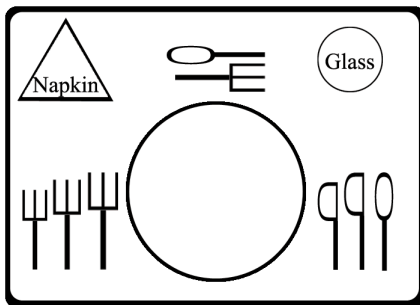
"Mess dinners originated about 200 years ago, the purpose being the same then as it is now: to afford the opportunity for seniors and juniors to meet on a friendly but formal occasion."

"A mess dinner is a formal parade."

Information taken from RCIS Programmed Instruction Package – General Service Knowledge

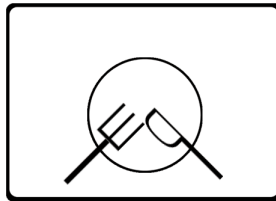
IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

- ✓ Be punctual
- ✓ Use conduct that displays respect
- ✓ Upon entering the mess take your place behind your chair and remain standing
- ✓ When the senior guest arrives, all shall rise as a form of courtesy
- ✓ If you are late, make your apologies to the senior guest and the President Mess Committee (PMC)
- ✓ You may NOT leave the table during dinner without prior permission from the PMC (Therefore you know what to do before dinner!)
- ✓ Keep elbows off the table
- ✓ Spread napkin on your lap (do not tuck it into your tunic)
- ✓ Do NOT eat with your fingers
- ✓ Do NOT make noises when you are eating
- ✓ Watch your posture and ensure that you are 6 inches from the end of the table
- ✓ Have fun!

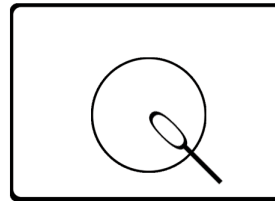


MEAL NOT COMPLETED

Positions of Fork and Knife

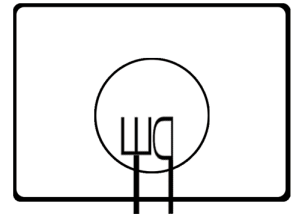


Position of Spoon



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"Indication that a dinner is officially over is given by the PMC standing up until noticed by all members."

TIME/LOCATION

Friday, May 23, 2014 at Whistler's Bar and Grill
Banquet Section
995 Broadview Avenue
(North East corner of Broadway and Mortimer,
across from Dairy Queen)

Arrival: **1830** hrs
Dinner: **1900** hrs

DRESS

C-8 formal dress (Tunic, White Dress Shirt & bow tie,
or C-2 regular uniform if you do not have C-8.
For those not in uniform, please wear formal (business)
attire (suit or blazer).
Hair may be styled. Wedge not required

DANCE

The Squadron Dance will follow the dinner. Cadets have
the option of changing out of uniform and into appropriate
clothes for the dance.

We look forward to seeing YOU there.