



WO D.J. Pittman Combat Engineer

WO Pittman was born on March 29, 1977, and spent his entire childhood surrounded by family in St. Paul's, Newfoundland. Along with his younger Brother Darren, and his parents, WO Pittman spent his childhood like many of his peers. Learning the value of hard work, being a good person, and a good sense of humour. He was married in 2005 to his best friend and biggest supporter Patricia (Trish), and was blessed with his two children, Kaylie in 2006, and Cade in 2009.

WO Pittman joined the CAF in Corner Brook, NL on 14 July, 2000 and entered the recruit school in St-Jean. After his recruit training he attended his QL3 at the Canadian Forces School of Military Engineering at CFB Gagetown.

In April of 2001, WO Pittman received his first posting, to where he considered home, at 2 Combat Engineer Regiment, in Petawawa. In 2003 his first deployment was on

Roto 0, Kabul, Afghanistan where he was a member of the EOD Team. Upon returning from TF 3-06 in Afghanistan in 2007, then MCpl Pittman moved east to Galetown until 2011. 2011 until 2015 he returned to 2 CER, where he was promoted to his current rank in 2013. In 2015 WO Pittman was posted to 1ESU in Kingston where he was a Combat Engineer SME, and deployed to Erbil Iraq in 2016.

Finishing his 19 years on August 13, 2019, WO Pittman and his family plan on staying in Kingston, ON, and will continue with his volunteer work within the city and occupying the soccer and football fields with his children.