

starts out in each community with a poster contest with the theme, "Yes To Life, No To Drugs." The posters are judged in each community with the winning poster sent to the Drug Awareness office.

So far this year the Drug Awareness office has received poster entries from 21 communities in the N.W.T. and Nunavut. A total of eight youth have attended NHL hockey games in either Ottawa or Edmonton. The winners so far this year are: Petanie Pitsuilak (Kimmirut, Nunavut), Darryl Ukalik (Hall Beach, Nunavut), Margaret Nirlungayak (Pelly Bay, Nunavut), Pelagie Papak (Rankin Inlet, Nunavut), Andrew Arreak (Pond Inlet, Nunavut), Victoria Takazo (Deline, N.W.T.), Twyla Edgi (Fort Good Hope, N.W.T.), and Heather Okheena (Holman Island, N.W.T.). This program would not be possible without



(L-R): Twyla Edgi, Heather Okheena and Karen Johnson (First Air Agent).

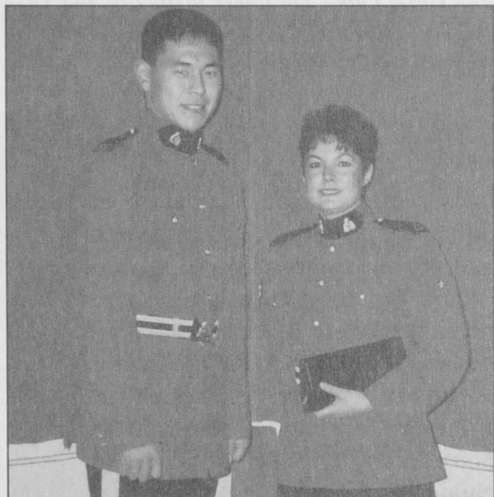
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TROOP OF NORTHERNERS

Troop 2, comprised of northerners from the Northwest Territories and Nunavut, graduated on October 12, 1999. All members of the troop went back to the N.W.T. and Nunavut. In attendance at this very special event were the CO, "V" Division, C/Supt. Bothe, as well as family and friends of the graduating members. (L-R): Cpl. L. Philip, Cst. B. Williams, Cst. C. Allen, Cst. K. Sudlovenick, Cst. J. Baines, Cst. P. Koochiakjoke, Cst. R. Aimoe, Cst. E. Ootoovak, Cst. R. Tatty.



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