Outline of Some Educational Programming Potential 2014-2015

HMCS OJIBWA IS NOT JUST A BOAT OR AN ARTIFACT IN A MUSEUM:

A small sample of the potential to provoke discussion and critical thinking. Students can take: (A) basic tour, (B) a basic tour with one/more specialty component(s) (1 for whole boat or components differ by compartment- teacher's choice) or (C) Specialty Tours (Land Sea & Air, Valves & Values, Battle of the Atlantic, the Cold War, D-Day and others under development)

	Science / Physics	Math	Social Studies	Canada in the World	Geography	Communications	Chemistry	Mechanics
•	Waves and Sound Electricity & Magnetism Matter Energy Systems & Interactions Structure & Function Sustainability Stewardship How to trim a boat Does a sub get lighter or heavier as it uses up fuel?	Calculations and reckoning Sextant vs. GPS Perisher games (calculations relating to time, speed and distance required to dive a sub faced with oncoming ships)	 Alliances How Canada's relationship with Britain influence navy Role of women in the navy Role of women in Armed Forces during wartime How do you win support for what you do when what you do is secret? Canada has one of the longest coastlines in the world. Why do most Canadians not know anything about the Navy? Rise of emergency measures organizations during Cold War 	World wars NATO UN COLD WAR International trade Treaties Fisheries and 200 mile limit	 Influence of water bodies How geography influences activities/industry location / crops Ojibwa is five storeys high and 90 metres long;, does she tower over the village? Geography & tourism Why Port Burwell ideal site for Ojibwa (former rail yard, coal storage compacted the soil so could bear the weight) Why is Ojibwa on land and why this particular piece of land? 	Sonar Radar Radio – internal Radio – external What works on surface vs what works under sea Visual – light Visual – flags Visual – semaphore Morse code GPS vs George Active radio room on board Ojibwa How does Ojibwa's location affect her ability to receive radio transmissions	Salt & fresh water Hydrogen & chlorine Batteries & salt water Gases and blood chemistry (bends) Oil & water (how fuel is stored & utilized) Air scrubbers CO2 units (how work) Oxygen candles (how work) Reverse Osmosis Draeger tubes	 Influence of pressure on mechanical design Use of compressed air Use of an anchor on a submarine What does the fin do? Principles of towing How do you get large torpedoes inside a submarine Safety mechanisms in high pressure environment (China Doutre blown into Jr. Accommodations) Ojibwa is a diesel electric boat – how does she work?
•	Sonar Canadian input What forces affect the need to mount Ojibwa on land vs keeping her in the water? Ojibwa is a diesel electric boat		What happens when you confine 70 men to a steel tube for weeks on end		Featured Element(s) What geographical / geological factors brought Ojibwa to Port Burwell Trace her journey from Halifax (mapping, google earth, Identify impediments	transmissions		







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•	New Frontier Under	•	First Nations	•	Continuity & Change	Communities	Environment	Compare & Contrast	Cause & Consequence	Function & Design
•	Submariners pioneers in living under the sea Comparisons with space exploration What are the major challenges of working under the sea?	•	Commemoration of the relationship with First Nations peoples over our history Respect for traditions Attributes Silent motion Leave environs as found them Circle equal input – submariners do all tasks Outlook Contribution - service to Canada in wartime	•	Using Port Burwell as example: Identify changing focus on use of Lake Erie International component trade vs tourism Commercial vs sport fishery Land compacted by coal piles now provides suitably compacted surface to support Ojibwa Sandy soils once supported tobacco now lavender, ginseng, peanuts and wind farms.	Settlement patterns Great Lake Farm vs fishery What happens when a large element is added to a small community Ojibwa is five storeys high and 90 metres long, does she tower over the village? Living in extremely close quarters Doing without	 Silting of harbour Chemical run off from farms Hurricane Sandy Prevailing winds Wind farms Dredged materials directed to Long Point wetland development Lighting system Green building Stories about Ollie & Olivia Otter and their friends illustrate the sometimes competing sometimes complementary uses of Big Otter Creek and Lake Erie between man and the creatures of the natural world What sorts of pollutants is a submariner exposed to when on the boat? 	 Sonar vs. radar Shoals in St. Lawrence vs. towing through Thousand Islands vs. traffic on Welland Canal Community spirit of wartime vs community spirit in Port Burwell to save their community Homefront vs economic depression Compare and contrast the radio room and how submariners communicated throughout the boat with how communications are handled at your school Submarine vs the international space station or a space ship 	Investigate the difficulties McKeil tugs had towing large object (long rope or short) Why were there two tugs Is it warm on the boat all the time? If not, when is it warm and when is it cold? Why? Why did submariners on Ojibwa smell/stink/reek!!!	 Choice of shape for a submarine – determining factors Segregation of water tight compartments What does fin do? Escape mechanisms Apparel Design problems relating to heating/cooling systems when you have a black metal tube 90 meters long sitting in the sun Design challenges created by a steel cylindrical structure What are the main advantages of a submarine over a surface ship? (unseen, smaller, fewer crew to pay/less fuel to purchase) Why is the fin not metal? There is a limit to how many supplies can be carried so things such as oil had to be filtered and reused.
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Mental Health	Homefront	Biology/Zoology	Training	Living Conditions on Sub	Strategy & Tactics	Medicine	History
 stress of knowing each dive could be your last dealing with fire and floods below sea living in very close quarters need to have absolute trust in your colleagues abilities not knowing where you are/where you are going/ or when you will return stress on family life and coping mechanisms fear whenever another boat passes over head – will it cut through your fin? Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Why was the Submarine Service a voluntary choice rather than an assignment until the 1990s? 	How does being away affect family life What can be done to keep the submariner up to speed about what is going on at home What could you do to help a classmate who has a parent in the armed forces or Reserve serving outside Canada?	Effect of pressure on the body in a sub Hearing in a noisy environment Sounds of the undersea world and how they affect the job of a sonarman What does a whale fart sound like or a school of shrimp Why there are no rats on a submarine but often are on ships?	Sea Daddy system Demand for excellence at all times Must know how to do every job Must be able to work in the complete darkness	 Where does a submariner eat/sleep/relax? What does a submariner do in his spare time? How do you do dishes on a submarine? Where do you wash your clothes How many showers per voyage? Who gets to shower every day? Why? Red light conditions Ultra Quiet State Cooks served approx. 210 meals a day from a tiny galley There is only 46 cm between you and the bunk above. Water is rationed Only uniform and one change of clothes Dept. of Agriculture says the Jr. Accommodation space would accommodate only 3 pigs. 	 Cold war diplomacy Convoy system Peacekeeping Dealing with Pirate ships in the Red Sea and coast of Africa The 'Perisher' training course techniques Dealing with eating, working, relaxing and sleeping with the same twenty men 24/7 in the Jr. Accommodation space. 	 Why do submariners have difficulty being in the sun? Why are many retired submariners deaf in their right ear? Does working in a submarine affect your eyesight? Did you know that smoking was common on submarines? 	 Canadian Submarine Service is 100 years old Naming Canadian ships and boats When and why is it ok for a submarine to fly the Jolly Roger pirate flag? Why do submariners sometimes wear 'pirate rig'? Has Canada ever had any new submarines? Were submarines ever built in Canada The Great Lakes are an inland fresh water waterway, ships for the Royal Canadian Navy were built in ports on the Great Lakes What was a WREN? What does Chile have to do with Canadian submarines? How a personal friendship with Sir Winston Churchill started the Canadian Submarine Service.





