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Biography

COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR CURTIS R. PATROUILLE

Wisconsin Army National Guard

Command Sgt. Maj. Curtis Patrouille serves as the Wisconsin Army National Guard's ninth State Command Sergeant Major. He was raised in Burnett, Wisconsin in April 1966 and enlisted in the Wisconsin Army National Guard's Company A, 2nd Battalion, 127th Infantry in 1986 as a rifleman. He attended Basic Combat and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Command Sgt. Maj. Patrouille graduated from Horicon High School, Horicon, Wisconsin, in 1984. He attended the University of Wisconsin-Platteville from 1985-90, earning a bachelor's degree in communications. His military education includes Primary Leadership Development Course, 1990-91; Basic Non-Commissioned Officer Course, 1994-95; Advanced Non-Commissioned Officer Course, 2002 and 2005; Total Army Instructor Training Course, 2004; Small Group Instructor Training Course, 2005; First Sergeant Course, 2008; Strategic Counterintelligence Directorate Security Escort Course, 2009; U.S. Army Sergeants Major Course, 2014-15.

Command Sgt. Maj. Patrouille served as command sergeant major for the 64th Troop Command Brigade from 2018-21, the 1st Battalion, 147th Aviation from 2016-18, and the 1st Squadron, 105th Cavalry from 2013-16. He served as the operations sergeant major for the 64th Rear Operations Center from 2012-13 and the 426th Regiment from 2010-12. He was the first sergeant for Troop A, 1st Squadron, 105th Cavalry from 2007-10. He also served as a senior small group instructor at the 426th Regiment from 2004-07, and a liaison non-commissioned officer with the 332nd Rear Area Operations Center (RAOC) from 2001-04.

Command Sgt. Maj. Patrouille deployed in 2002 with the 332nd RAOC in support of Operation Enduring Freedom; 2009 with Troop A, 1st Squadron, 105th Cavalry in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom; and in 2017 with 1st Battalion, 147th Aviation in support of Operation Inherent Resolve.

Command Sgt. Maj. Patrouille has earned numerous decorations, awards and citations in his 35-year military career. These awards include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal along with numerous other federal and state Awards.

Command Sgt. Maj. Patrouille resides in Waupun, Wisconsin with his wife Julie. They have two children, Connor and Alex, along with a daughter-in-law Shyann and two beautiful grandchildren, Oaklee and Lane.



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