

Lieutenant Harry
Stubbington RN

Commanding Officer
HMS EXPRESS



From the Vale of Glamorgan, South Wales, Harry worked in Wholesale, buying and selling fragrance all over Europe prior to joining the Royal Navy in May 2019.

After passing out of Britannia Royal Naval College in December 2019, Harry served on board ALBION for both Initial Sea Time and Common Fleet Time, learning the intricacies of life at sea. Harry conducted his Specialist Fleet Time forward deployed on operations in the Mediterranean Sea with TRENT. This period saw him conduct three Biscay crossings to carry out maintenance in the UK and to contribute to Op Stonewise.

Upon successful completion of NWC in the summer of 2021, Harry joined MEDWAY as the Gunnery Officer and later Officer of the Watch 1. This saw him complete two major FOST-training packages, counter-narcotic operations with the US Coast Guard, and humanitarian aid to Overseas Territories within the Caribbean following the devastating effects of Hurricanes Fiona and Ian. This period also saw MEDWAY deploy to the South Atlantic as part of her APT(N) to APT(S) transition where Harry, and the Ships Company of MEDWAY, were fortunate enough to explore the remote island of South Georgia.

During this busy and rewarding time on MEDWAY, Harry was selected for Small Vessel Command in March 2023 and completed PNO in July that year, finishing as top student. Harry took Command of HMS EXPRESS in Oct 2023.

Harry currently lives in Penarth, South Wales and enjoys playing Basketball, Mountain Biking and Hiking.