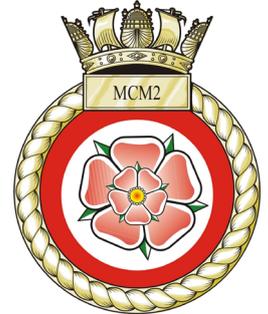


**Lieutenant Commander
Jon Fletcher
Royal Navy**

Commanding Officer

MCM2 Crew 7



Jon Fletcher joined the Royal Navy in Nov 2004 conducting Common Fleet Time in HMS MANCHESTER and Specialist Fleet Time in HMS SHOREHAM.

Passing Nav Sea week with a PNO recommend he was appointed to HMS QUORN as the Gunnery and Fish Boarding Officer before quickly taking over as the Navigator. A hugely enjoyable and rewarding time followed as HMS QUORN reverted to her core Mine Warfare roll and MCM2 Crew 8 conducted a crew swap to join HMS ATHERSTONE in Bahrain.

Joining HMS MANCHESTER as the Navigator in Jun 2009 he undertook a period of UK based training culminated in an ATP(N) Deployment in 2010. During this deployment HMS MANCHESTER made two significant narcotic 'busts' and provided Humanitarian Disaster Relief to the island of St Lucia as well as conducting a defence diplomacy visit to Havana, Cuba, the first Royal Navy Ship to visit since the revolution.

In 2011 he was appointed to FOST (MPV) in Faslane as one of the Staff Navigators. This appointment allowed him to pass on much that he had learned as both the Navigator of a HUNT Class MCMV and at Type 42, including the mistakes he had made! ICSC(M) and PWO Course followed in 2012 before Fletcher was appointed as the PWO (Communications and Electronic Warfare) in HMS OCEAN in Jul 13. Leaving OCEAN shortly after she had assumed the role of Fleet Flagship he joined BRNC as SO2 Navigation and Operations in Jul 2015. A rewarding and enjoyable time at BRNC was followed by a challenging and varied appointment as SO2 Communications and Electronic Warfare to COMATG in Jun 2017.

Joining MCM2 Crew 7 in Nov 2018 Lt Cdr Fletcher lives in Plymouth with his wife and young son. A huge fan of the outdoors, he is a very keen mountain biker, sailor, skier and shooter. Although no longer playing he is a passionate rugby fan and a supporter of good rugby whoever is playing!