

MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 6
 Provisional Marine Aircraft Group-39
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing
 Fleet Marine Force Pacific
 FPO San Francisco, 96602

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, Provisional Marine Aircraft Group 39 (Attn: S-3)
 Subj: SITREP for period 06 0001H to 062400H

1. Daily Operational Totals. WMO-6 flew 61 sorties, 91.2 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. WMO-6 escorted 3 medevac missions and expended 125 rockets and 9,400 rounds of 7.62mm in support of 3rd MAR DIV units. WMO-6 operations were not affected by weather, ground attack, etc.

2. Specific Operations. 060615 H to 062045 H, WMO-6 flew 27 sorties, 25.4 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 71 rockets and 7,200 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation VIRGINIA RIDGE.
 060625 H to 061705 H, WMO-6 flew 30 sorties, 30.6 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 48 rockets and 2,200 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation PURPLE MARTIN.
 H to H, WMO-6 flew sorties, flight hours lifting passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended rockets and rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation .

3. VIP Aircraft Usage. 0 hours flown, 0 hours standby.

4. GCA's. None.

5. Missions. Tactical missions fraged- 8. Tactical missions flown- 8.

6. Operational Highlight:

The night section was launched on 5 May to escort Chatterbox Med Evac into "H" 1/3 (Grasshopper). Cross Bill 834 provided flare coverage. Nine recon inserts were scheduled with only two being completed mainly due to weather in the areas. Seaworthy 36 ran four flights of air in support of 1/3 with a BDA of 7 bunkers, 50 feet of trench line and 1 secondary explosion. Seaworthy - 7 came to the aid of Recon team Isherwood, laying down suppressive fire for the team until contact was broken. Seaworthy - 3 ran 2 flights of air for 1/3 getting 10 bunkers destroyed. Seaworthy - 37 turned up overdue and SAR flights were launched with negative results. The search is to be continued full scale in the morning.

R. W. Whelan
 By direction

WFO-6

DATE AT CAMP STATIONS

A. SOCIETY/FAMILY BY NAME A/C FUNCTION

A/C	OCWAVE	GT	OC	TM	LC	COM	WAR	IND	ENG	AT	TRAC(D)	WAR	TOTAL
0-1													
0V-10													
U-1E													
TOTAL													

A/C	TRNS	INTW	VTR	ADP	PLIS	USE	GENR	TOTAL	TOTAL
0-1									
0V-10A									
U-1E									
TOTAL									

B. POINTS BY A/C

A/C	TRNS	PLZ	OCWAVE	ENVOG	DOCTERS	5th DROP	7.2000	W/TRA	NEW	REPT	COORD	DATE	DT
0-1													
0V-10													
U-1E													
TOTAL													

C. SOCIETY/FAMILY BY NAME A/C BY SOCIETY SIGNATURE

A/C	SOCIETY	FAMILY	SIGNATURE
0-1			
0V-10			
U-1E			
TOTAL			

D. FLIGHT TIME BY TYPE AIRCRAFT

TYPE A/C	HOURS 3RD MARDIV		ARVN		OTHER		NEED EVACS/MSNS/A/C HITS
	DAY	MONTH	DAY	MONTH	DAY	MONTH	
O-1C/G	21.0	28.7					
OV-10A	31.1	22.5					
UH-1E	35.3	202.3		5.9			
TOTAL	91.2	311.5		5.9			

E. ARMED HELICOPTER SORTIES BY TYPE FUNCTION

F. N/A

UH-1E

TYPE	SORTIES/TASKS		HOURS
ESCORT	31	9	20.0
FIRE SUP	21	6	18.1
TOTAL	52	15	38.1

H. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS 8

G. N/A

I. RECON INSERTS AND EXTRACTS ATTEMPTED/COMPLETED

TYPE A/C INSERTS EXTRACTS EMERGENCY EXTRACTS

3.

TYPE	SORTIES/TASKS/HOURS		
UH-1E	4	20	37.2
OV-10A	6	5	11.7
TOTAL	10	25	48.9

RECON INFORMATION

1. RECON MISSIONS: SCHEDULED 9 / 8 COMPLETED
 TIME STARTED 0645 / 1600 ENDED
2. INSERTS: SCHEDULED 9 / 8 COMPLETED
 EXTRACTS: SCHEDULED 0 / 0 COMPLETED
3. UNITS SUPPORTED 2nd Recon
 NO. _____
4. NO OF TRANSPORT 2 FLT. TIME 0.6
 NO OF GUNSHIPS 2 FLT. TIME 0.6
 NO OF OV-10 2 FLT. TIME 5.3
 NO OF O-1C 0 FLT. TIME 0
 (IF APPLICABLE)
5. FIXED WING SORTIES 2
6. NO OF FLIP FLOPS 0
7. REASONS FOR DELAY (HELO/FIXED WING): Weather delayed inserts
until 0900; waited 45 min for flight deck for 1st insert. Weather delayed
further inserts and any flight deck for maintenance until 1100. Completed
our 1000 insert at 1450, then weather in entire area prevented further
inserts.
8. 0 EMERGENCY EXTRACTS COMPLETED.

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 060615 H TO 062045 H.

OPERATION VIRGINIA RIDGE

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

~~20~~ ----- ~~3~~ ----- ~~4~~ -----

(2) OTHER: ~~NONE~~ -----

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: ~~NONE~~ -----

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: ----- 0 -----

2.75" ROCKETS: ~~29~~ ----- ~~13~~ ----- ~~29~~ -----

7.62mm: ~~7,000~~ ----- ~~200~~ -----

5" DROP FLARES: -----

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 25.4

UH-1E: 7.4 O-1: 8.1 OV-10A: 9.9

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 060625 H TO 061705 H.

OPERATION **PURPLE MARTIN**

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

<u>32</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>
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(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS:			<u>3</u>
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2.75" ROCKETS:	0	0	<u>45</u>
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7.62mm:	0		<u>2,200</u>
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5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS:

UH-1E: 13.9	O-1: 2.1	OV-10A: 14.6
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D. FLIGHT TIME BY TYPE AIRCRAFT

TYPE A/C	HOURS 3RD MARDIV		ARVN		OTHER		TBD EVACS/ASMS/A/C HTS
	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	
O-15/G	25.1		169.8				
O-10A	65.0		344.5				
UH-1H	47.8		265.1		5.3		
TOTAL	137.9		779.4		5.3		

E. SORTIES/TASKS/HOURS BY TYPE FUNCTION

TYPE	SORTIES/TASKS/HOURS	
ESORT	51	22 25.1
WIDE SUP	42	13 20.2
VRS	11	20 39.2
WAC(D)	12	32 44.4
TOTAL	10	10 2.5
OTHER	8	11 6.5
TOTAL	134	108 137.9

F. N/A

H. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS

TOTAL	4
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G. N/A

RECON INFORMATION

1. RECON MISSIONS: SCHEDULED 20 / 2 COMPLETED
 TIME STARTED 0230 / 1600 ENDED

2. INSERTS: SCHEDULED 0 / 1 COMPLETED
 EXTRACTS: SCHEDULED 2 / 1 COMPLETED

3. UNITS SUPPORTED _____
 NO. _____

4. NO OF TRANSPORT 2 FLT. TIME 7.0

NO OF GUNSHIPS 2 FLT. TIME 7.1

NO OF OV-10 4 FLT. TIME _____

NO OF O-1C 0 FLT. TIME _____
 (IF APPLICABLE)

5. FIXED WING SORTIES 6

6. NO OF FLIP FLOPS 0

7. REASONS FOR DELAY (HELO/FIXED WING): Weathering waiting for signal relay
and finally the transports went to a down status.

8. 1 EMERGENCY EXTRACTS COMPLETED.

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 070700 H TO 072005 H.

OPERATION PURPLE MARTIN

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES
 30 1 3

(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

	A/C: UH-1E	O-1	OV-10
5" ROCKETS:			4
2.75" ROCKETS:	40	0	70
7.62mm:	6,000		2,600
5" DROP FLARES:			

(5) TOTAL HOURS:

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
15.8	2.9	17.6

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 0700 H TO 0745 H.

OPERATION VIETNAM REDD

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

37 9 6

(2) OTHER: None

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: None

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: 7

2.75" ROCKETS: 16 8 98

7.62mm: 900 6,000

5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS:

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
<u>37.6</u>	<u>7.2</u>	<u>4.2</u>

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, Provisional Marine Aircraft Group 39 (Attn: S-3)
 Subj: SITREP for period 0001H to 2400H

1. Daily Operational Totals. VM-6 flew 101 sorties, 92.7 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. VM-6 escorted 5 medevac missions and expended 103 rockets and 9,200 rounds of 7.62mm in support of 3rd MAR DIV units. VM-6 operations were not affected by weather, ground attack, etc.
2. Specific Operations 000345 H to 001525 H, VM-6 flew 10 sorties, 26.7 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 0 rockets and 700 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation PEOPLE'S WAR. 000345 H to 001920 H. VM-6 flew 0 sorties, 32.5 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 30 rockets and 4,900 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation VICTORIA CROSS.
 H to H. VM-6 flew sorties, flight hours lifting passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended rockets and rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation .
3. VIP Aircraft Usage. 0 hours flown, 0 hours standby.
4. GCA's. None.
5. Missions. Tactical missions fraged- 0. Tactical missions flown- 0.
6. Operational Highlight: SV 97-3 and SV 98-3 were operating outside call and SV 98-15 was operating in the LZ. The M/C landed safely and the SV accident in the recovery of crew and aircraft. Heavy fire was received by SV aircraft along the northern LZ. SV 98-15 and 98-17 used their weapons in a suppressive effort when artillery M/C taken under heavy fire from along the LZ. SV 97-7 controlled 7 flights of F/A with excellent results as a large group of M/A along the northern western border. Also SV M/C and 2 Hestage M/C landed approx 1000 to 1100 for SV-17 Log results.

By direction

D. FLIGHT TIME BY TYPE AIRCRAFT

TYPE A/C	HOURS 3RD WARDIV		AWN		OTHER		MED EVACS/MSIS/A/C-HITS
	DAY	MONTH	DAY	MONTH	DAY	MONTH	
C-130G	23.7	193.5					
OY-10A	11.5	367.0					
U-1E	29.5	231.6					
TOTAL	64.7	792.1	5.3				

E. SORTIES/FLIGHTS/HOURS BY TYPE FUNCTION

TYPE	SORTIES/FLIGHTS	HOURS
DISCORT	41	15.2
WING SUP	39	12.6
VDS	7	21.2
TAC(A)	10	35.6
TRNG	5	2.3
OTHER	3	0.6
TOTAL	101	92.7

H. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS

TOTAL	2
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RECON INFORMATION

1. RECON MISSIONS: SCHEDULED 10 / 3 COMPLETED
TIME STARTED 0600 / 1500 ENDED

2. INSERTS: SCHEDULED 10 / 3 COMPLETED
EXTRACTS: SCHEDULED 0 / 1 COMPLETED

3. UNITS SUPPORTED 310 BROWN MW
NO. _____

4. NO OF TRANSPORT 2 FLT. TIME 11.4

NO OF GUNSHIPS 2 FLT. TIME 9.7

NO OF OV-10 2 FLT. TIME _____

NO OF O-1C 0 FLT. TIME _____
(IF APPLICABLE)

5. FIXED WING SORTIES 5

6. NO OF FLIP FLOPS 0

7. REASONS FOR DELAY (HELO/FIXED WING): Weather

Reason for not completing is that Altitude was incorrect & extracted

due to poor com & poor visibility not insert due to weather in final area

& weather halted operations at 1500.

8. 0 EMERGENCY EXTRACTS COMPLETED.

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 000003 H TO 001010 H.

OPERATION VERMONTA JAMES

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

	<u>54</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>
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(2) OTHER: 1000

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: 1000

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

	A/C: UH-1E	O-1	OV-10
5" ROCKETS:	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
2.75" ROCKETS	<u>10</u>		<u>29</u>
7.62mm:	<u>9,000</u>		<u>1,500</u>
5" DROP FLARES:			

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 92.5

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
<u>19.6</u>	<u>2.9</u>	<u>10.0</u>

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD H TO H.
0000G 0845Z
OPERATION

(1) ~~SUCCESS OPERATED~~ ARMED HELICOPTERS SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

(2) OTHER: _____

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: _____

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: _____

2.75" ROCKETS _____

7.62mm: _____

5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 36.7

UH-1E: O-1: OV-10A:

2.7

7.3

9.7

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, Provisional Marine Aircraft Group 39 (Attn: S-3).
 Subj: SITREP for period 09 0000H to 09 2400H

1. Daily Operational Totals. WMO-6 flew 120 sorties, 125.2 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. WMO-6 escorted 2 medevac missions and expended 115 rockets and 19,500 rounds of 7.62mm in support of 3rd MAR DIV units. WMO-6 operations were not affected by weather, ground attack, etc.

2. Specific Operations. 090630 H to 091845 H, WMO-6 flew 68 sorties, 148.1 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 96 rockets and 10,000 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation VIRGINIA RIDGE.
 090630 H to 092000 H. WMO-6 flew 7 sorties, 19.4 flight hours lifting passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 6 rockets and 500 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation HERKIMER MOUNTAIN.
 H to H. WMO-6 flew sorties, flight hours lifting passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended rockets and rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation .

3. VIP Aircraft Usage. 0 hours flown, 0 hours standby.

4. GCA's. None.

5. Missions. Tactical missions fraged- 6. Tactical missions flown- 6.

6. Operational Highlight: Although the 3rd Marine Division TAGC was generally quiet, Seaworthy 98-16 and his AO, controlled the 1st Co Havitar Battery on a suspected enemy position in the DMZ, killing three enemy. Seaworthy 97-3, on a visual reconnaissance of the DMZ spotted a rocket position south of the Ben Hai. After controlling artillery fire on the target, the position was destroyed.
 The RECON package successfully completed 5 inserts and 7 extracts but, RECON Team Constitution was shot out of both its zones. The SAR effort continued with no sightings of the downed crew or aircraft. Other WMO-6 missions included convoy escorts and extensive visual reconnaissance.

Rh. Whaley
 By direction

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D. FLIGHT TIME BY TYPE / REPORT

TYPE A/C	HOURS AND PARTIAL			OTHER			HEAD EVACS / SINS / A / C HITS
	DAY	HOVER	HOVER	DAY	HOVER	DAY	
O-13/G	22.7		221.2				
OV-10A	51.1		138.1				
UH-1H	16.4		341.0				
TOTAL	125.2		1000.3				

E. SORTIES / YAKSINS / HOURS BY TYPE / FUNCTION

F/A

TYPE	SORTIES / YAKSINS / HOURS	
TSOCCRT	57	21
FILE SUP	39	14
W/S	17	15
YAC(A)	9	23
T/ENG	4	4
OT/INT	3	3
TOTAL	129	109

H. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS

TOTAL 2

G/A/A

DATA AIRCRAFT STATISTICS

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A. SORTIES/HAZARDS BY TYPE A/C PROGRAM

A/C	OC	CF	96	IR	IS	OOI	COI	IND	INS	AT	TRAC(D)	BAR	MOSES
0-1								1-1	6-16		1-2		10-21
OV-10								2-2	9-27		8-21		19-50
UH-1H										96-32			96-32
TOTAL							3-3	17-45	96-32	9-23			125-103

A/C	CLASS	HAZ	VEH	MULTIPLIS	HT	CAUSE	TOTAL	REMARKS
0-1	0-0						0-0	10-21
OV-10A	0-0						0-0	19-50
UH-1H	4-4						4-4	100-36
TOTAL	4-4						4-4	129-107

B. HOURS BY A/C

A/C	TYPE	YRZ	CLASS	HAZ	VEH	MULTIPLIS	HT	CAUSE	TOTAL	REMARKS	
0-1	21						17	36	1-0	2-0	0-1
OV-10	50						77	3,500	1-0	6-3	
UH-1H	36						54	6,000	1-0		
TOTAL	107						17	9,500	2-0	8-3	0-1

C. SORTIES/HAZARDS BY TYPE A/C BY DANGER SIGNAGE

A/C	TYPE	YRZ	CLASS	HAZ	VEH	MULTIPLIS	HT	CAUSE	TOTAL	REMARKS	
0-1	21						17	36	1-0	2-0	0-1
OV-10	50						77	3,500	1-0	6-3	
UH-1H	32						54	6,000	1-0		
TOTAL	103						17	9,500	2-0	8-3	0-1

RECON INFORMATION

1. RECON MISSIONS: SCHEDULED 13 / 12 COMPLETED
 TIME STARTED 0815 / 1630 ENDED
2. INSERTS: SCHEDULED 6 / 5 COMPLETED
 EXTRACTS: SCHEDULED 7 / 7 COMPLETED
3. UNITS SUPPORTED _____
 NO. _____
4. NO OF TRANSPORT 2 FLT. TIME 12.4
 NO OF GUNSHIPS 2 FLT. TIME 12.4
 NO OF OV-10 2 FLT. TIME 6.2
 NO OF O-1C _____ FLT. TIME _____
 (IF APPLICABLE)
5. FIXED WING SORTIES 4
6. NO OF FLIP FLOPS 0
7. REASONS FOR DELAY (HELO/FIXED WING): Waited approx 15 min for
F/AI to insert constitution into their alternate position after being
shot out of primary. No fixed wing available for cap on insert of
contingent because of higher priority down south.

8. 4 EMERGENCY EXTRACTS COMPLETED.

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD H TO H.

OPERATION

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

~~(2) OTHER:~~ OTHER: 091045

(3) ~~TOTAL TROOP/~~ PAX CARRIED: _____

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

58 AZC: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

NONE" ROCKETS: _____

2.75" ROCKETS: NONE

7.62mm: _____

5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 1

UH-1E: O-150 2 OV-10A:

14,000 1500

48.1

26.5

5.5

14.4

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 09630 H TO 092000 H.

OPERATION ~~NUMBER~~ ~~IDENTIFY~~

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

	0	3	4
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(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: _____

2.75" ROCKETS _____ 8

7.62mm: _____ 500

5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 19.4

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
0	7.0	12.4

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding Officer, Provisional Marine Aircraft Group 39 (Attn: S-3)
 Subj: SITREP for period 10 0001H to 10 2400H

1. Daily Operational Totals. VMO-6 flew 124 sorties, 144.6 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. VMO-6 escorted 2 medevac missions and expended 296 rockets and 40,600 rounds of 7.62mm in support of 3rd MAR DIV units. VMO-6 operations were not affected by weather, ground attack, etc.
2. Specific Operations. 100505 H to 101903 H, VMO-6 flew 8 sorties, 11.3 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 10 rockets and 500 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation HEMLOCKER MOUNTAIN. 100600 H to 101915 H. VMO-6 flew 7 sorties, 19.3 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 104 rockets and 3,900 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation VIRGINIA RIDGE. 100600 H to 101827 H. VMO-6 flew 95 sorties, 89.3 flight hours lifting 0 passengers but no cargo. Seaworthy expended 181 rockets and 30,900 rounds of 7.62mm in support of Operation APACHE SNOW.
3. VIP Aircraft Usage. 0 hours flown, 0 hours standby.
4. GCA's. None.
5. Missions. Tactical missions fraged- 8. Tactical missions flown- 8.
6. Operational Highlight: As operation APACHE SNOW kicked off, Seaworthy 98-1 and his A.O. located approximately 40 NVA on a trail southeast of FSB Cunningham. Cont rolling hellbore 212 on the enemy, 98-1 accounted for 20 IBA's. In support of RECON team ELKHUNTER SW-97-6 ran two flights of air in the XD7037 grid destroying two trucks. Then came RECON team came into contact with NVA force of unknown size. 97-6 ran one flight of air on enemy and was relieved by SW-98-9. SW-98-9 then ran 5 flights of air plus ordnance from SW-98-3 and 98-4 and team was extracted. RECON team killed 13 IBA as results of airstrikes.

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DATE AL CRAFT STANDINGS

A. JOINTS/BASIS BY TYPE A/C FUNCTION

A/C	COAL/VE	CF	CC	IA	LC	OCM	SPR	SPD	WBS	AT	TAG(A)	PAR	TCOM
C-1									743		5-11		12-24
CV-10									7-24		13-29		20-53
UC-12									88-29				88-29
TOTAL									14-37	88-29	18-10		120-104

A/C	BASE	BASE	VIC	ADJUTANTS	OFF	QUAL	TOTAL	TOTAL
C-1	0-0						0-0	12-24
CV-10	1-1						1-1	21-54
UC-12	3-3						3-3	94-32
TOTAL	4-4						4-4	124-110

B. TOWNS IN A/C

A/C	BASE	PZ	TOWNS	CAZCO	SWAGS	IN	2.75"	5"	DRP	7.5"	W/VA	WVA	CEZEE	SCOUT	DATE	VEHICLE
C-1	24					29	30		0						16-4	1-0
CV-10	54					29	187		11,100				26-0		2-0	0-1
UC-12	82					29	89		37,500							
TOTAL	110					29	296		48,600						18-4	1-1

C. BARRIS/AUGS OF MTD A/C IN BARRIS BARRIS

A/C	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR	SPR
C-1	12	27.9							0	0					12	27.9
CV-10	20	57.3							1	1.5					21	58.8
UC-12	88	56.1							3	1.8					91	57.9
TOTAL	120	44.3							4	3.3					124	44.6

D. FLIGHT TIME BY TYPE AIRCRAFT

TYPE A/C	HOURS 3RD MARDIV		ARMY		OTHER		MED EVACS/RESUS/A/C HITS
	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	
C-130C	27.9	219.1	0.0	4.8	32.7		253.9
OV-10A	58.8	496.9	0.0	4.8	54.0		493.7
U-1E	57.9	398.9					
TOTAL	144.6	1114.9					

E. SORTIES/TASKS/HOURS BY TYPE FUNCTION

TYPE	SORTIES/TASKS/HOURS	
ESCORT	57	17 35.8
REF SUP	31	12 20.3
VRS	14	37 36.9
TAC(A)	18	40 48.3
TRNG	4	4 3.3
OTHER	0	0 0.0
TOTAL	124	110 144.6

F. N/A

H. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS

TOTAL 7

G. N/A

RECON INFORMATION

1. RECON MISSIONS: SCHEDULED 2 / 5 COMPLETED
 TIME STARTED _____ / _____ TIME ENDED _____
2. INSERTS: SCHEDULED 6 / 4 COMPLETED
 EXTRACTS: SCHEDULED 1 / 1 COMPLETED
3. UNITS SUPPORTED 3RD RECON BR
 NO. 7
4. NO OF TRANSPORT 2 FLT. TIME 14.6
 NO OF GUNSHIPS 2 FLT. TIME 14.6
 NO OF OV-10 5 FLT. TIME 12.0
 NO OF O-1C 1 FLT. TIME 1.0
 (IF APPLICABLE)
5. FIXED WING SORTIES 10
6. NO OF FLIP FLOPS 0
7. REASON FOR DELAY (HELO/FIXED WING): Both uncompleted inserts
could have been completed had fixed wing air been available on time.
Inserts of Holly Fernon and Early Flower required a 1.5 hr delay
waiting for fixed wing.
8. 3 EMERGENCY EXTRACTS COMPLETED.

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 100505 H TO 101903 H.

OPERATION HERKESBERG MOUNTAIN

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

4 / 2 2

(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: _____

2.75" ROCKETS: 4 14

7.62mm: 500

5" DROP FLARES: _____

(5) TOTAL HOURS: **11.3**

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
1.6	5.5	4.2

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 100600 H TO 101915 H.

OPERATION VIRGINIA RIDGE

(1) ARMED HELICOPTER SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

3 4

(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) EXPENDITURE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS: 8

2.75" ROCKETS: 38

7.62mm: 3,900

5" DROP BLADES:

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 19.4

UH-1E:	O-1:	OV-10A:
0	8.1	11.3

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SUMMARY OF AIR OPERATIONS

PERIOD 100620 H TO 101847 H.

OPERATION ASPACE SNOW

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

82 5 8

(2) OTHER: NONE

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED: NONE

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS:

2.75" ROCKETS: 69 10 102

7.62mm: 36,500 2,400

5" TROP FLARE:

(5) TOTAL HOURS: 83.8

UH-1E: 51.2 O-1: 13.8 OV-10A: 18.8

PERIOD 100620 H TO 101847 H.

OPERATION

(1) ARMED HELO SORTIES/O-1 SORTIES/OV-10 SORTIES

(2) OTHER: CONFIDENTIAL

(3) TOTAL TROOPS AND PAX CARRIED:

(4) ORDNANCE EXPENDED:

A/C: UH-1E O-1 OV-10

5" ROCKETS:

2.75" ROCKETS: