

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION INFORMATION

PERIOD COVERED 1969

TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGE, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	IN	
0001	S-2 S-3 1st Battalion 8th Cav Phouc Vinh	0001 to 2100 22 April		
1. 0001	Journal opened.	JS	KG	
2. 0020	From G-3 choppers for CA won't be on station until 1400.	JS S3	KG	
3. 0050	From Maj Spear to Bn 3 disregard about D Co they won't be to PV on 22 April.	JS S3	KG	
4. 0100	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG	
5. 0103	From Div Arty lift birds scheduled for 0900 for A 1-6 2/7 has been set back to 0930. Flight leaders briefing at 0900 Lift birds for the 1400 CA have changed different lift birds trying to get a flight leaders briefing for 1330.	JS	SH	
6. 0200	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG	
7. 0300	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG	
8. 0400	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG	
9. 0500	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG	
10. 0600	All units up for stand to.	JS	RV	
11. 0747	From Bn 3MA to Bn 65 reports ETA for E 1/8 from White to Joe as follows -0930.	JS DA	RV	
12. 0707	Cav 1-5 reports will return later today to aid units in field	JS	RV	
13. 0759	D 1/9 reports plans for today (day activity only) reports Blue element will move to each of the following check pts. 951482 and 947498 by vehicle; then dismount vehicles for patrolling area in vic of check pt. grids. Red element will send out patrols to the E-NE of their location at 927494, A 2/7 3-6 will cloverleaf 21 April night location at 642514.	JS	RV	
14. 0843	Cav 1-5 on station, told to work western sector around B/Co and D/Co 1/9 elements first.	JS	RV	
15. 0910	From flight leader black bandit yellow 1 on station for scheduled combat assault informed of delay, told to shut down and proceed to TOC for briefing at 0930.	JS	RV	
16. 0929	Apache 2-5 on station over White informed of D 1/8 location, will render spot reports of findings, at 0942 reports neg findings.	JS	RV	
17. 1044	From A 2/7 (Bengal Glory 1-6 element mini-cav) CA from 985-472 to 976406- at 1038 hrs lift off PZ (PZ clear) at 1044 hrs lift on LZ (LZ Green, lift complete).	JS Bde	RV	
18. 1033	Bn 3MA reports at 1005 hrs 22 people and 1 vehicle (mule) left LZ Joe inbound for Phouc Vinh E/Co 4-6 element-at 1048 reports E/Co 4-6 (incomplete) at Phouc Vinh airstrip.	JS Bde	RV	
19. 0835	Delayed- Bn 3 requests mini-cav delayed until 1000-flight leader briefing delayed until 0930, due to C/C aircraft reporting in later than scheduled.	JS Bde	RV	
20. 0847	From D 1/9 Armed Savage 65 reports indiv at MACV compound had rounds fired overhead by an indiv hunting birds in the vic of 939458, this incident happens quite frequently; would appreciate MACV advisors doing something to prevent it from happenin again.	JS Bde	RV	
21. 1026	E 2/7 1-6 (Blue Bill) mini-cav CA from 958452 to 964422-(5+2) at 1016 lift off PZ (PZ clear) at 1026 lift off LZ (LZ Green E/Co 1-6 complete moving N-NW.	JS Bde	SA	
DECLASSIFIED		En 3 plans sent to units concerned.	JS Bde	SA
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By	1st LT ARADA Date 3/22/69	PERIOD OF OFFICIAL ON DUTY	SIGN	

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NO	TIME	INCIDENTS, MEASURES, ACTIONS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	IN
23.	1111	D 1/9 reports r con of 947498 by Blue team complete-neg findings-present location at red team 21 April night location 927494.	JS Bde	SA
24.	1136	B 1-6 reports at 938573 found 1 bunker 4x4x3 with 2 overhead cover left squad at this location, the rest of the 1-6 then moved to 932578, bunker was destroyed.	JS Bde	SA
25.	1144	Bn 3MB air requests for 23 April sent to 7iv Arty.	JS DA	CW
26.	1212	Bn 5 requested replacement C/C for 1230hrs. 7iv Arty to give answer soon as possible.	JS	SA
27.	1430	From Div Arty C 1/9 time 1442 XT 968427 2 4x6 bunkers, 10 meters of trench line, 2 3x3 tunnel entrances, 10" trail running N to S light use within last 24 hours. Time 1255 XT 972418 8" trail running E to W 5 personnel traveled it within last 24 hours moving . Time 1255 XT 977416 E to W trail had 10 to 15 personnel travel on it within last 24 hrs. Time 1300 XT 982406 3 4x6 bunkers, 1 4x4 bunker 1 8x10 bunker. Time 0715 YT 082570 hatch in bunker complex, complex large enough to take care of company size unit. YT 009428 3 5x10 bunkers used by 4 to 5 personnel within last 24 hrs. XT 960605 12" trail running NS to SW 5 to 10 personnel used within last 24 hours.	JS	MG
28.	1443	From Duke 3 flight leader Potato Masher Yellow 1 lift will start at 1545 E/Co 4-6 will be lifted first then 2/7 4-6 will daisy chain, next E 1/8 1-6 will be moved the 2/7 1-6 the 4 2/7 1-6 will be moved.	JS	MG
29.	1445	From Duke 3A movement complete E/Co on PV.	JS DA	MG
30.	1535	From Bn 3MB aircraft for D/Co CA for 23 April requested from Div Arty 6+2.		
31.	1600	From Duke 65 : E 1/8 4-6 PZ complete 1546; LZ Green LZ complete 1554; E 2/7 1-6 PZ complete 1600, LZ Green, LZ complete 1605; E/Co 1/8 1-6 PZ complete 1608, LZ Green, LZ complete 1615; E 2/7 1-5 PZ complete 1613 LZ Green LZ complete 1618 A 2/7 1-6 PZ complete 1636, LZ Green LZ complete 1647.	JS	MG
32.	1845	E 1/8 found 22 82mm rds with fuzes about 1 week old, will send to PV 966456, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	MG
33.	1905	Duke 83 B scout dog teams requested for 24 April.	JS DA	MG
34.	1915	MACV called to tell us they would have an ambush 500m SW from the D 1/9 Blue CP. Blue CP NL 938470, ARVN ambush location 935465, passed to Div Arty and D 1/9.	JS DA	MG
35.	2200	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
36.	2215	B/Co reports trip flare went off around perimeter. Engaged with frags neg assessment.	JS DA	KG
37.	2300	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS DA	KG
38.	2320	From Bn 3 B/Co 3-6 will be RRF tomorrow.	JS	SH
39.	2320	From Bn 3 plans for tomorrow passed to A 2/7 E 2/7, and D 1/9.	JS	SH
40.	2321	From Bn 3 air requests for tomorrow as follows: C 1/8 5+2, A 2/7 1-6 5+2, A 3-6 2/7 5+2, A 2/7 2-6 5+2, A 2/7 (-) 5+2, E 1/8 1-1 2+2.	JS	SH

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41.	2320	From Pn 3 change in plans for tomorrow, E 1-1 1/8 mini-cav from vic 967464 to vic 983402, immediately after E 2/7. Final extract at 1500, from vic 985414 to vic 965454. Time of mini-cav 0900, D 1/8 (-) CA to vic 978522. 2-6 CA to vic 016535. 1-6 CA to vic 971549. 3-6 CA to vic 939472. Op con D 1/9.	JS DA SH
42.	2400	All units report situation negative, passed to Div Arty.	JS/DA KG
43.	2400	Base defense reports situation negative.	JS KG
44.	2400	Journal closed.	JS KG

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Operations for 22 April - E/Co found 22 82mm rds with fuses 999456.

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