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1st Bn 8th Cav		0001	8 Apr 70		
FSB JUDIE		2400	8 Apr 70		
ITEM NO.	TIME IN OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.		ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
1.	0001	Bn NCS/Log: Journal Open.		JS	BP
2.	0015	Bde S-3 Asst/Bn NCS: Air moves for 8 Apr 70			
		The fight leaders briefing will be at Buttons,			
		then at 0800H B/Co will lift brought to Judie.			
		Once here at Judie they will pick up 12 sorties for			
		D/Co 2/12 Cav and take them to Joan. From			
		Joan the lift will go to 1/12 and pick up an			
		element and return to Buttons, one platoon from			
		1/12 will exchange with B/Co 1/8 Cav's 3rd plt at Thomas, while			
		the rest of the lift exchange at Buttons. The			
		lift will have policed all of B/Co up and take			
		them to Judie. Once here they will pick up re-			
		mainder of D/Co 2/12 and take them to Joan. Once			
		D/Co 2/12 is done they will return to 1/12 and			
		take them the remaining sorties to Buttons.			
		B/Co 1/8 Cav XO has been informed he will have			
		B/Co ready at 0800H for lift.		JS	JM
3.	0100	All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.		JS	BP
4.	0200	All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.		KS	BP
5.	0230	Bde S-3 Air/Bn NCS: Will not have out log			
		bird until 1300 or 1400H. CC will be here early			
		0730H this morning.		JS	BP
6.	0230	Bn CO/Bn NCS: Bn CO requested to know if any			
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6.	0230		Continuation from page 1: defensive targets had been fired in it the last 30 to 45 minutes.		
			Answer/Negative.	JS	BP
7.	0300		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	BP
8.	0500		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	BP
9.	0500		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DB
10.	0600		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: At 2325H FSB Buttons took 02 incoming rounds, negative casualties, negative damage, negative knowledge of what type.	JS	DG
11.	0720		All Units/Bn NCS: Upon the pill (A,B,C,D,E).	JS	DG
12.	0725		Bde Asst S-2 Air/Bn NCS: YU 215260, 1/8 Cav; SLAR TOT 0255H, YU 215260, 02 in woods.	JS	OR
13.	0938		B S-3 NCO/Bn NCS: Center Mass YU 1224; 1/8 Cav; Request clearance on LRRP Box-center mass YU 1224, Box grids YU 1026, 1426, 1422, 1022 cleared by Bn 66H.	JS	BP
14.	1000		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: FSB Judie; 1/8 Cav assumed responsibility of FSB Judie at 081000H. <i>CP now of Judie.</i>	JS	BP
15.	1150		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: B/Co's lift started at 0818H, PZ clear at 1130, landed at PZ 1135H, lift completed at 1135H, PZ grid-Buttons and Thomas, LZ Judie., number of sortie-23.	JS	OR
16.	1150		Rash 29/Bn NCS: YU 298208; Rash 29 on station		

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16.	1150		Continuation from page 2: 1151H for LZ construct off station, no report to this station as of 1400H BDA-03 shipper LZ.	JS		JA	
17.	1203		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Southern 1/8 Cav A/O; 1/8 Cav assumed responsibility of southern portion of A/O at 1200H.	JS		OR	
18.	1315		E/Co Recon/Bn NCS: YU 298208; E/Co recon found at grid YU 298208, three one ship pick up zones. Each is separate.	JS		BP	
19.	1400		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: All units; Current locations; A/Co-FSB Margaret. B/Co-FSB Judie. D/Co-YU 188233. E/Co-FSB Margaret, Recon-YU 306226.	JS		BP	
20.	1317		Bn S-2/Bde S-3: Request a radar set to be used at FSB Margaret. Bde S-2 NCO said would send set from Smiley 1/12 Cav to Margaret on 09 Apr 70.	JS		OR	
21.	1335		Bn NCS/S-3; FSB Margaret-Request spray bird to spray FSB Margaret and Judie.	JS		OR	
22.	1550		Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: YU 335296; enemy element 600 meters radius early afternoon.	JS		JA	
23.	1600		Bde S-2 Air/Bn NCS: Night Hawk to be cleared; Boxes-YU 1721,2321,2316,1716. YU 1030,1530, 1520,1020. YU 1935,2435,2425,1925. Red Haze TOT 0200H, Boxes 16- and 15. 15-0019,0919,0010, 0910. 16-1019,1919,1010,1910.	JS		JA	
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24.	1815		Moore's 26/Bn NCS: Hunter Killer Team to fly 360 degrees last light recon of Judie TOS 1815H.	JS	JM
25.	1845		All Units/Bn NCS: Closing Locations; A/Co-Margaret. B/Co-Judie, C/Co-YU 276186, south, west, north, 3rd sqd ambushes 75 meters from CP.		
			D/Co-YU 191232. E/Co-Margaret. Recon-YU 306223.	JS	JM
26.	1905		All Units/Bn NCS: Sniper Report; A/Co-01 at Margaret. B/Co-01 at Judy. C/Co-01 in field. D/Co-01 in field. E/Co Recon- 02 in field. HHC-01 at Margaret.	JS	JM
27.	1905		All Units/Bn NCS: Exposure Report; (Negative).	JS	JM
28.	1905		All Units/Bn NCS: Ambush report; Negative day ambushes for 1/8 Cav. Negative night ambushes for A/Co. Negative night ambushes for B/Co. 03 automatic at night for C/Co, and 03 sqd size ambushes for C/Co. 03 automatic ambushes for D/Co at night. 03 automatic ambushes for E/Co recon at night, and 01 platoon size ambushes for E/Co at night.	JS	BP
29.	1906		C/Co/Bn NCS: YU 276186; C/Co has a 2' wide well packed trail with negative recent use. They are set up on this trail this evening.	JS	JM
30.	1935		Bde S-3 Air/Bn NCS: YU 310246; Air strike TOT 1100H 750 lb daisy cutter for 09 April 1970.	JS	JM

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Bison 34/Bn NCS: Inbound to Margaret with radar equipment. Radar does not have an operator and A/Co will not be responsible. He will be prepared to receive an operator at any time.

JS

JM

32.

2105

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: PDS FSB Judie 08 April; HHC and E/Co-06 officers, 10 NCO, 17 EM. 105-3 officers, 114 NCO, 50 EM. 155-4 officers, 11 NCO, 54 EM. Base Defense-5 officers, 27 NCO, 103 EM. Attached-3 NCO, 17 EM.

JS

JA

33.

2125

Bn Asst S-3/Bde S-3 Air: 1/8 Cav; Air strike requests for 10 Apr 70; (1) YU 309188, 750 lbs. daisy cutter, LZ construct, nearest friendlies 3K west and southwest. (2) YU 299179, 750 lbs daisy cutter, LZ construct, nearest friendlies 2K east and northeast. (3) YU 290185 750 lbs daisy cutter, LZ construct, nearest friendlies, 1 1/2K west. (4) YU 284169, 750 lbs daisy cutter, LZ construct nearest friendlies 2K northwest.

JS

BP

34.

2300

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Closing of surroundings; 1/12, 2/12 and 3rd ARVN; A/Co-YU 1114147. B/Co-YU 325156. A/Co-Buttons, 2nd-Thomas. B-Bien Hoa. C/Co-YU 335359. D/Co-343374. E/Co-Buttons.

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2010

(Delayed Entry)
HJR

Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request for A/C for 9

Apr 70; 01 Hook (CH-47) sortie at 0900H from

Margaret to Judie for 2 mules and Pax, CC A/C

request for 0700H at Buttons then report to Judie.

Log A/C report at 0700H to Buttons.

JS

JM

36.

2330

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: 1/8 Cav; Tentative plans for

10 Apr 70 for 1/8 Cav; A/Co-Base Defense FSB

Margaret. B/Co-Base Defense at FSB Judie. C/Co

will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 251198, es-

tablish NDP. D/Co*FE/CA from vicinity grid PZ

YU 201234 to LZ vicinity grid YU 219261, then ground recon

to vicinity grid YU 230262, establish NDP.

E/Co(-)-Base defense at FSB Judie. E/Co recon will ground

recon to vicinity grid YU 305205, establish NDP.

JS

BP

37.

2330

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Plans for 9 April 1970, 1/8 Cav;

A/Co-Base defense at FSB Margaret. B/Co-Base

Defense at FSB Judie. C/Co will ground recon

to vicinity grid YU 263191, establish NDP. D/Co will

ground recon to vicinity grid YU 201234, establish

NDP. E/Co(-)-Base defense at FSB Judie. E/Co recon

will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 303211,

establish NDP.

JS

BP

38.

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Bn Asst S-3/Log: 1/8 Cav-Daily Summary; Reg-

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