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		<u>0001</u>	<u>13 Apr 70</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>13 Apr 70</u>

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1.	0001		Bn NCS/Bn Log: Journal Opened. Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DB
2.	0100		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
3.	0112		Bde S-2 Assn/Bn NCS: IR Readings TOT 1800H to 2000H: (1) YU 206307, 01 individual by stream. (2) YU 206213, 03 in woods. (3) YU 209233, 01 in woods. (4) YU 223236, 02 in woods. (5) YU 234258, 01 in woods. Artillery put in a platoon 3x3-All of the above were shot on.	JS	DB
4.	0200		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
5.	0300		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
6.	0400		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
7.	0400		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: GridsButtons, unit 2/12: Received 03 rounds of unknown type at 0440H. Also ceased after 03 rounds.	JS	DB
8.	0500		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
9.	0525		Asst S-3 Air/Bn NCS: Grid YU 413182, unit 3/4 Co 3rd ARVN. Received incoming at 0525H at grid YU 413182/60mm mortar was received.	JS	DB
10.	0600		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	DG
11.	0650		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Enemy Activity: 0435H FSB Battens received 02 75mm recoilless rifle rounds from north and northwest. Results-02 structures		

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11.	0650		Continuation from page 1; damaged and 01 U.S. line 2. 0015H 3-4 Co NDP YU 405125 received 20 rounds of 60mm from the south. After being engaged with artillery, incoming stopped at 0530H with negative casualties and assessment. 2025H 11th 38 Infantry received small arms and 10-B40 from the southwest with negative casualties. 2112H FSB Buttons received 03 rounds of 75mm recoilless rifle, 02 rounds inside perimeter, and 01 outside from north end of perimeter. Results were-negative casualties. Engaged with mortars and night hawk at 2300H. 2/12 radar with 02 sitting on a 3600 mils. YU 331097- engaged with artillery, mortar movement stopped at 2302H.	JS	DB
12.	0710		CC A/C/B n NCS: CC A/C TOS 0710H.	JS	DG
13.	0730		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Log A/C will be late reporting due to another mission.	JS	DB
14.	0740		All Units/Bn NCS: Upon the pill (A,B,C,D,E). Trips and claymores in at 0715H.	JS	DG
15.	0907		Bde S-2 NCO/Bn NCS: Sniffer Boxes (ALL YU); B5-1525, 2025, 2017, 1517. VR Boxes: B1-1130, 1135, 1330, 1333. B-4-1130, 1133, 1135, 1137, 1139, 1141, 1143, 1145, 1147, 1149, 1151, 1153, 1155, 1157, 1159, 1161, 1163, 1165, 1167, 1169, 1171, 1173, 1175, 1177, 1179, 1181, 1183, 1185, 1187, 1189, 1191, 1193, 1195, 1197, 1199.		

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21.	1400		Continuation from page 3: A/Co-FSB Margaret B/Co-FSB Judie, 2nd Lt-YU 249143, C/Co-YU 291219, D/Co-YU 286255. E/Co-2sections FSB Margaret, 2 sections FSB Judie. Recon-Judie.	JS	JG
22.	1559		ADC-B/Bn NCS: Arrives at Judie at 1550H.	JS	DB
23.	1400		Rudder 69/Bn NCS: YU Box 5-1525, 2025, 2017, 1517; Sniffer equipped pink team for VR, on station at 1400H, off station at 1412H. BDA-negative findings.	JS	OR
24.	1745		Bde S-2/Bn NCS: Sniffer Report; Box 5-started at 1340H, ended at 1353H, reading-YU 187200. Box 4-started at 1105H, ended at 1111H, Reading-YU 131161.	JS	KB
25.	1800		CC A/C/Bn NCS: CC flew 10 air hours today.	JS	JM
26.	1805		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: A/C; both A/C; Log release at 1755H, C/C released at 1750H.	JS	KB
27.	1824		Bde S-2/bn NCS: Night Hawk; Box YU 1426, YU 2426, YU 2420, YU 1410. Would like to have cleared by 2000H. Box is clear, contact hostile attempt on 53.30 for check fire.	JS	KB
28.	1935		Bn A-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request for A/C for 14 April 1970; E/Co recon plt-conducted sec/Ca at 0800H from PZ at Judie to LZ at YU 297151-		

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28.	1935		Continuation from page 4: 39 pax, 7 sorties, ACL of 6, request 7 and 2 PZ contact counter coil 48, LZ contact counter coil 48.	JS	JM
29.	1935		All Units/Bn NCS: Closing locations: A/Co-Mar-garet, B/Co-Judy, 2nd plt-YU 246143. C/Co-YU 292220. 3rd plt-YU 297224, 1sq-75 meters southwest, 1sq 75 meters northeast. D/Co-YU 290257. E/Co-Judy.	JS	JM
30.	1935		All Units/n NCS: Ambush Report; Negative day ambush for 1/8 Cav. Negative night ambushes at night for A/Co. 02 automatic ambushes for B/Co at night, and 01 platoon size ambush for E/Co at night. 06 automatic ambushes for C/Co at night, and 01 platoon size ambush at night for C/Co, 02 squad size ambushes at night also for C/Co. 04 automatic ambushes for D/Co at night. Negative night ambushes for E/Co at night.	JS	KB
31.	1950		Bde S-3/Bn NCS: Air strike for 14 April at grid YU 294225, TOT 1100H, 750 lb daisy cutter.	JS	KB
32.	2000		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request for air strike for 15 April; (1) LZ construct for YU 298233, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 1K southwest.		

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<u>32.</u>	<u>2000</u>		<u>Bn S-2 Air/Bde S-3 Air/Continuation from page 5; (2) LZ construct-YU 298243, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 1500 meters north west. (3) LZ construct YU 290160, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 3K southwest. (4) LZ construct YU 288169, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 4K southwest.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>33.</u>	<u>2025</u>		<u>A/Co/Bn NCS: PDS FSB Margaret; Base Defense-69 EM, 22 NCO, 05 officers. Red Leg-43 EM, 12 NCO, 3 officers, 1 attached. E/Co ammo account 496 HE/66WP/302 illum. PDS FSN Judie; HHC &amp; E/Co-73 EM, 28 NCO, 12 officers, 155-58 EM, 10 NCO, 4 Officers, Base Defense-69 EM, 20 NCO, 3 Officers.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>34.</u>	<u>2025</u>		<u>All Units/Bn NCS: Exposure report; 1st sortie for D/Co at 1500H, last sortie at 1715H, time in at 1105H, out at 1720H, number of sorties-4. Remarks-Log. 1st sortie for C/Co at 1030H, last sortie at 1615H, time in 0910H, out at 1620H, number of sorties-0620. Remarks-log. Reason for extended period of time in LZ is to let company commanders come to FSB Judie for Company commanders meetings.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>35.</u>	<u>2025</u>		<u>All Units/Bn NCS: Sniper Report; A/Co-01 at</u>		

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35.	2025		Continuation from page 6: Margaret, B/Co-01 at Judie. C/Co-01 in the field. D/Co-01 in the field. E/Co Recon-02 for Judy. HHC-01 at Judy.	JS	KB
36.	2040		Bn S-2/Bde S-2: C/Co reports finding gravel mines on yesterday's route of travel, between grid coordinates YU 287208 to YU 291216. These mines looked as though they were 01 year old, however some were still functional. This would have been reported earlier if C/Co had not had difficulty with their secure system.	JS	KB
37.	2055		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Plans for 14 April for 1/8 Cav; A/Co-Base Defense FSB Margaret. B/Co(-)-Base defense FSB Judie, 2nd plt will ground recon to vicinity YU 299231, establish NDP. D/Co(-) will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 295257, then establish NDP, 1st plt will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 301261, then establish NDP. E/Co(-)-Base Defense at FSB Judie. E/Co Recon- at 0800H conduct Sec/CA from Judie to vicinity grid YU 297151, then to vicinity 240145, est NDP.	JS	KB
38.	2055		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Tentative plans for 15 Apr 70; A/Co-Base Defense FSB Margaret. B/Co-Base Defense		

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<u>38.</u>	<u>2055</u>		Continuation from page 7: FSB Judie. D/Co will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 314257, then establish NDP. E/Co(-)-Base Defense FSB Judie. E/Co Recon will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 283135, then establish NDP.	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>39.</u>	<u>2300</u>		Bde NCS/ <sup>d</sup> n NCS: SOI Changes; Item # 43A-3 1st Bde Nets Change B-2 from 62.20 to 49.55. Item # 43J-3 1/9 Cav change from 48.40 to 32.25/ Change AM primary from 3.296 to 9.427. Change operator 2 ADM from 13.616 to 8.952. Change Operator 2 PM from 32.25 to 48.40. C troop ATC 236.1 to 256.1. Item # 46-3 Div artillery. Change CF AM 8.721 to 10.689. Change CF AM Alternate from 10.513 to 11.016. Item #48C-3 guard Add 01 ACD Crash and Rescue 259.3. Item #46.3 1/30 Artillery Lavish Stumper CF from 35.85 to 63.40. Change Alternate from 45.20 to 65.80.	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>41.</u>	<u>2359</u>		Bn Asst S-3/Log; 1/8 Cav; Negative contact today; Negative Air Moves today. Significant Events; 9 ARVN from 5th ARVN Division started OJT today. All CO's came in for full intell briefing today.	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>42.</u>	<u>2400</u>		Bn NCS/Bn Log: Journal Closed.	<u>JS</u>	<u>DG</u>

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