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1st Bn 8th Cav		FSB BETTY	FROM HOUR 0001	TO DATE 27 JUL 70	HOUR 2400	DATE 27 JUL 70
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS	
	IN	OUT				
1.	0001		Bn NCS/Log: Journal Opened.	JS	IW	
2.	0230		Night Hawk Aircraft/Bn NCS: Night Hawk (Disc 19) checked out Box 4 TOS 0215H, TBS 0230H, Negative findings.	JS	IW	
3.	0505		Bde S-3/Bn NCS: Log aircraft-856 and CC aircraft 048 scheduled to arrive at FSB Buttons at 0700H. Weather clear, with light ground fog.	JS	IW	
4.	0600		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Negative Significant Events in the last 12 hours.	JS	RL	
5.	0600		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Reps (0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600H).	JS	IW	
6.	0700		All Units/Bn NCS: Up on the pill (A,B,C,D,E). Trips and claymores are in at FSB Betty at 0700H.	JS	IW	
7.	0945		All Units/Bn NCS: Current locations; A Co-YU 293299. B Co-FSB Betty. C Co-YU 259366. D Co- YU 260302. E Co-FSB Betty and Recon Platoon.	JS	DQ	
8.	0815		Bde S-2 NCO Asst/Bn NCS: Sniffer Boxes; Box #3- 2240, 2730, 2228, 2440, 2728. 4-1736, 2239, 2228, 1728. 5-1133, 1736, 1728, 1128. 10-2733, 3133, 3122, 2722. 11-2128, 2628, 2617, 2117. 12-1126, 1726, 1718, 1118. Cleared; 2-1332, 1832, 1828, 1328. 3-1028, 1828, 1820, 1020. 4-1826, 2626, 2622, 1822. 5-2627, 3227, 3218, 2618.	JS	DQ	
9.	1056		A Co/Bn NCS: Vicinity YU 293299; found 01			

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9.	1056		Continuation from page 1: northwest-southeast 2 ft wide trail with light recent use, and bunkers along the side about every 6', (bunkers are 3' x 5' wide, with 1' OHG) fairly old. Also found 01 bridge 25 ft long and 8 ft wide with hand rails on side. This bridge is in very good condition and made of bamboo. A Co would like to have a pink team to VR before crossing this bridge. Pink team requested at 1059H.	JS	KB		
10.	1225		A Co/Bn NCS: A Co found 01 box of 90mm recoilless rifle rounds at vicinity YU 292300. 06 rounds in box (U.S. type). CO believes these were accidentally dropped from aircraft, 01 to 02 months in place.	JS	ED		
11.	1230		Rash 27/Bn NCS: Air strikes; 1-YU 268272, BDA, 01 good shipper 750 lb daisy cutters. 2-YU 280286, 500 lb and napalm. Both airstrikes completed at 1400H.	JS	KB		
12.	1230		Bn NCS/Bde S-3 Air: Airstrikes to go in at YU 280286, ordnance 500 lb. Target description bunkers and other military structures.	JS	DB		
13.	1250		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Informed Bde that 1/8 will be changing over to the new frequency 52.40 for war command primary push. The frequency 52.40				

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13.	1250		Continuation from page 2: was tested and appears to be clear enough for our use.	JS		DB
14.	1300		Bde S-3 Air/Bn S-3 Air: Requested to the use of our log aircraft for 02 lifts for 2/12 Cav to conduct 02 final extracts. They request the log aircraft services from 1330H to 1500H. Permission was granted by 1/8 S-3 Air with the understanding that the log aircraft will be returning promptly after the lifts are completed.	JS		DB
15.	1320		D Co/Bn NGS: Urgent medevac for D Co at YU 260302. A Hoist Mission call sign "Shifty Shaker" on 36.45. Patient temperature of 104 degrees, gunship requested- Jungle Penetrator. ETA 15 to 20 minutes, tail #15. Roster #22-E-5 Mazzoni, Michael A. Individual was medevaced out by OC Aircraft and 1/8 CO. Completed at 1320H.	JS		DQ
16.	1335		<i>V9 A/C</i> Almond Red/Bn NGS: Center mask YU 1865; Inserted at 1345H, Badman 52 at YU 300228 (grid of insertion).	JS		KB
17.	1350		All Units/Bn NGS: Current locations; A Co-YU 294291. B Co-FSB Betty. D Co-YU 260302. E Co and E Co Recon-FSB Betty. C Co-YU 261363.	JS		KB
18.	1410		<i>V9 A/C</i> Almond Red(Aircraft)/Bn NGS: Pink team to work with A Co.	JS		KB

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19.	1416		Bash 25/Bn NCS: Air strikes; YU 273265; 4 kilometers friendly. (Bad Weather).	JS	KB
20.	1435		Bn S-2/Bde S-2: VR Request #1-D. VR Request #2- A. VR Request #3-work with O Co and VR Hill #352 at vicinity YU 277368. Sniffer Box #1-1935,2440, 2727,3232. Sniffer Box #2-1232,1227,2232,2227. Sniffer Box #3-2224,2219,3224,3219.	JS	PD
21.	1526		A Co/Bn NCS: YU 294291; Spotted from Almond Red to A Co; found 12 hootches, 01 northsouth trail 2' wide with negative recent use. Almond Red broke station at 1516H.	JS	KB
22.	1528		All Units/Bn NCS: Current locations; A Co-YU 294291. B Co-FSB Betty. C Co-YU 261363. D Co-YU 260299. E Co-FSB Betty and E Co Recon.	JS	KB
23.	1630		D Co/Bn NCS: Reported they found a dud 4.2 inch mortar projectile at YU 260299, 02 months old.	JS	DB
24.	1800		C Co/Bn NCS: Found at grid YU 287360 04 bunkers 3'x5' with 1.5" overhead cover used in the last 02 to 03 days by 08 to 10 individuals. Also at the same grid they found an 18" wide east west trail that used to be 4' wide and heavily used. The trail has recent use by 08 to 10 individuals		

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24.	1800		Continuation from page 4: in the last 02 to 03 days. However the trail is only 18" wide now due to undergrowth the trail itself is 8 to 12 months old. Negative direction of travel on the road. At grid YU 260360 they found recent ly cut bamboo about a week old. At grid YU 260364 found an east west trail 1.5' wide with negative recent movement. There is also another trail about 1' wide at YU 260363 with negative recent movement. At grid YU 263359 just northeast of YU 262360, C Co is calling in artillery out of FSB Snuffy. C Co CO has been observing the impacting rounds and believes but is not sure that he is hearing what sounds like secondary explosions. Anyway C Co CO would like to go into this area starting tomorrow (28 July) by moving in that direction. C Co CO would like to stay in the area at least a week to thoroughly check out the area, and specifically would not like to be pulled out before a week's time. Secondary believed to be small arms cooking off, or sounds like E158 popping.	JS	DB
25.	1830		Bn HQS/Bde HQS: 1/8 Command primary push changes from		

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25.	1830		Continuation from page 5: 32.85 to 52.40 effective immediately.	JS	PD
26.	1930		All Units/Bn NOS: Night locations; A Co-YU 294296. B Co-FSB Betty. C Co-YU 261363. D Co-YU 260299. E Co-FSB Betty.		
27.	1935		Bde NOS/Bn NOS: LR&P's inserted at YU 177256 at 1350H. Their night location is YU 181252. They moved with negative findings.	JS	PD
28.	1945		Bn NOS/Bde NOS: HHC & E Co-60,23,09. Base Defense-20,03. 155-36,09,04. 105-35,17,04. Black hats-01,01. Engineers-19,04,01.	JS	PD
29.	1952		Bn NOS/Bde NOS: Urgent medevac requested for A Co. Patient has 104.5 ⁰ temperature. Ground contact Swirly Rent 353 on 44.90. It will be a litter medevac. Medevac completed-Negative malaria.	JS	JM
30.	1953		Bde S-3 Air/Bn S-3 Air: Airstrikes data; YU 268272, 01 shipper. YU 273265, negative BDA. July 28; YU 278265, YU 260252. YU 263249.	JS	JM
31.	1955		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Aircraft requests for 28 Jul 70; (1) 01 UH1H for CC aircraft and report to FSB Buttons at 0700H. Contact "Theft 54B" (Commo Rear) on 53.60 and pickup 01 sortie for FSB Betty. Contact "Theft 61" on 52.40. Request		

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31.	1955		Continuation from page 6: aircraft have an extra "Y" cord. (2) 01 UH ¹ for log aircraft and report the same as CC Aircraft. "Y" cord N/A. Request all crews have protective masks. Log for 28 Jul 70; DCo-08 sorties, no set time.	JS	IW
32.	1957		Bn S-3 ABr/Bde S-3 Air: Airstrikes requests for 29 Jul 70; Negative.	JS	DB
33.	2000		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Tentative plans for 29 Jul 70; ACo-conduct ground reconnaissance to the south in vicinity YU 295285. BCo-SEC/CA from FSB Betty to vicinity YU 203363. Conduct ground reconnaissance to the northeast to YU 209369. CCo-FE/SEC from YU 264350. Assume base defense at FSB Betty. D Co-conduct ground reconnaissance to the south to vicinity YU 265285. E Co-Base defense at FSB Betty.	JS	PD
34.	2000		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Final plans for 28 July 70; ACo-conduct a ground reconnaissance to the south, establish NDP in vicinity YU 291291. B Co-Base defense at FSB Betty. C Co-Conduct a ground reconnaissance to the south, then establish NDP in vicinity YU 263354. DCo-conduct a ground reconnaissance to the southeast, then establish NDP at YU264293. ECo-Base defense at FSB Betty.	JS	PD

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Re NCS/Bde NCS: Requesta scout dog team to work
with D Co andreport to 1/8 rear at 0700H.

JS

PD

36. 2359

DAILY SUMMARY: Contacts; Negative. Airlifts;
Negative. Caches; Negative. Significant Events;
At grid YU 262360 C Co called in artillery from
FSB Smuffy and they are positioned in an area
to observe the impacting rounds, and C Co CO
believes that he hears secondary explosions,
and would like to continue working in the area
to check out area of what believes to be secondary
explosions.

JS

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