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1st Bn 8th Cav

FSB CANDY

0001 28 Mar 70 2400 28 Mar 70

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	IN	OUT			
1.	0001		Bn NCS/Log: Journal Open.	JS	JM
2.	0010		Bde S-3 Air/Bn S-3 Air: This morning we will receive 01 A/C at approximately 0700H. We will use him as we wish for log or CC. At approximately 1000H to 1030H we will receive another A/C to be used also as we wish. CC this morning will have negative console. <del>Either</del> A/C can do either job.	JS	JM
3.	0100		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit <sup>4</sup> ep.	JS	JM
4.	0200		Bde S-2 Air/Bn NCS: Red Haze Reading TOS 2155H to 2315H at grid YU 200302/2 in woods.	JS	JM
5.	0201		All Units/ <sup>B</sup> n NCS: Negative Sit Rep (0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600H).	JS	JM
6.	0700		D/Co/ <sup>B</sup> n NCS: Trips and claymores in at 0700H, first light check out at 0710H, first light in at 0735H. Negative findings. (FSB Candy).	JS	JA
7.	0715		All Units/ <sup>B</sup> n NCS: Upon the pill (A,B,C,D,E).	JS	JA
8.	0812		Bde S-2 Air/ <sup>B</sup> n NCS: VR Boxes 1-1327,1527,1524,1324. 4-1436,2136,2133,1833. 5-1333,1633,1631,1331. 6-2129, 2429, 2427, 2127. 7-2222,2522,2520,2220. 8-2623,2823,2820,2620. 11-2730,2930,2927,2727. Sniffer Box; 6-1834,2834,2831,1831. 7-0931,1331,1324,0924. 8-2127,3027,3023,2123.		

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8.	0812		Continues from page 1: Red Haze; TOT 2200H-2039, 2939, 2030, 2930, 2029, 22929, 2920, 2020, 1029, 1929, 1020, 1920.	JS	DG
9.	0936		B/Co Recon/Bn NCS: Found at grid YU 190253 a northsouth trail 1 1/2' wide was heavily used at one time, but has negative recent use, Negative direction, trail is very old.	JS	DG
10.	1003		Hazel Bench 57/Bn NCS: TOS 1003H to VR Box-grid YU 1030 to YU 1530 - north to Cambodia boundary. A/C <del>is</del> hunter killer team and 1 <del>click</del> Brake station at 1126H POL.	JS	DG
11.	1005		C/Co/Bn NCS: Found at grid YU 140284 and East west trail 8' wide, negative recent use last 2 months, the trail also has old elephant tracks running in both directions.	JS	DB
12.	1025		All Units/Bn NCS: A/Co-R&R, Bien Hoa. B/Co-YU 159320 (2nd plt) 161316. C/Co-YU 140284. D/Co-Candy. E/Co-Candy, Recon-YU 193252.	JS	DB
13.	1040		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Discussed further plans and possibility of putting half an artillery battery on Margaret with a Company securing. The Bn S-3 would like to keep the CP at Candy until we move our permanent fire base.	JS	DG

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14.	1100		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Requested Scout dog team for A/Co for 28 Mar. Due to negative aircraft from Phouc Vinh, 2nd Bde will try to get team today but it will probably be tomorrow (29 March) before they can get one out to Candy.	JS	DG
15.	1100		E/Co Recon/Bn NCS: Recon reports at grid YU 196257 a northwest - southeast trail 1 1/2' wide about 6 to 8 months old. Trail was at one time heavily used. Indication showed negative recent movement.	JS	DB
16.	1400		All Units/Bn NCS: Current Location; A/Co-R&R, Bien Hoa. B/Co-YU 159329 moving southwest. C/Co-YU 140284 moving north. D/co-Candy. E/Co-Candy, Recon-YU 195261 and moving north.	JS	DB
17.	1500		E/Co Recon/Bn NCS: At grid YU 197265 found an old east west trail about 6 to 8 months old. Trail was approximately 2' wide with negative recent use.	JS	DB
18.	1515		C/Co/B nNCS: Found at grid YU 140286, elephant tracks on a north-south trail. Trail is 2' wide, elephant track about 10 days old and heading north.	JS	DB
19.	1545		Rash 28/Bn NCS: Rash 28 TOS 1500H to put in <u>YU RP</u> air strike, LZ construct at grid 116320.		

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19.	1545		Continues from page 3: clearance of 2K radius given YU 130326. At grid YU 118314 there is a 2 to 3 shipper, with a little work it could be made a 4 to 5 shipper. Air strike (LZ construct) did go in at grid YU 130326 at approximately 1730H. BDA, possibly a O1 shipper.	JS	DB
20.	1630		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: A/Co hook sorties started at 1500H from Buttons to FSB Candy. Lifts complete at 1620H.	JS	JM
21.	1646		Rash 28/Bn NCS: Rash 28 has had trouble with his air strike because of bad weather. He will continue to work on the strike. 1700H/negative commo with Rash 28.	JS	JM
22.	1630		A/Co/Bn NCS: A/Co is presently moving away from FSB Candy. They are moving to the east.	JS	CR
23.	1639		E/Co Recon/Bn NCS: YU 197265 has completed a squad size patrol to the stream near this grid (YU197265). Negative findings. They are currently sending a squad size patrol to the north. They are in the general vicinity of the ground to air fire of two days ago. Negative findings.	JS	JG
24.	1732		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: CC Released.	JS	RC
25.	1820		Bn Asst S-3/Bde S-3 Air: Request for A/C for 29 Mar. CO A/C report to Buttons at 0700H, contact		

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26.	1820		Continues from page 4: Adverse Bruiser 66K on 63.30, then report to Candy and contact Adverse Bruiser 86 on 51.50. Log A/C report to Buttons at 0700H and contact Adverse Bruiser 66K on 63.30, then <sup>report to BIP</sup> Candy contact Adverse Bruiser 25E on 63.30.	JS		JM
27.	1821		Bde S-3 Aqr/Bn NCS: Air strike 29 March 1300H IZ construct, 750 pound daisy cutter.	JS		OR
28.	1830		C/Co/Bn NCS: YU 140289, C/Co has found 2' wide lightly used trail. Possibly used by 2 to 3 individuals in last week. C/Co has placed 02 automatic ambushes on this trail. Trail runs north-south.	JS		JM
29.	1840	✓	Bn NCS/Bde NCS: All Units-Night Closing Locations; A/Co-YU 188232. B/Co-YU 149320. C/Co-YU 140289. D/Co-Candy. E/Co Recon-YU 197265. E/Co(-)-Candy.	JS		JM
30.	1840		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Ambush Report; Negative ambushes. 03 automatic ambushes for A/Co. Negative ambushes for B/Co. 04 automatic ambushes for C/Co at night. Negative automatic ambushes for D/Co. 02 automatic ambushes for E/Co-Recon. These automatic ambushes are for night.	JS		JM

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31.	1840		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Sniper Report; A/Co-01 field. B/Co-02 inf field, C/Co-01 field, D/Co-01 Candy. E/Co Recon-02 field, HHC-01 light duty, Candy.	JS	JM
32.	1840		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Exposure Report, negative exposure 28 March 1970.	JS	JM
33.	1845		B/Co/Bn NCS: YU 154317 - B/Co found east west trail 2' wide with negative recent use. Has possibly been used by elephants.	JS	JM
34.	1907		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: PDS of Candy; HHC & E/Co-11 officers, 32 NCO, 61 EM. 105-4 officers, 12 NCO, 42 EM. Base Defense-4 officers, 14 NCO, 018 EM. Attached (Engineers)-01 NCO, 6 EM.	JS	JM
35.	2240		Bn Asst S-3/Bde S-3 Air: Air strike request for 30 March; (1) LZ construct - grid YU 137332 750 lbs daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 1500 meters southeast. (2) LZ construct - grid YU 119310, 750 lbs daisy cutter nearest friendlies 2K, SE. (3) LZ construct YU 157337 - 750 lbs daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 1700 meters south. (4) LZ construct - grid YU 199297 - 750 lbs daisy cutter, nearest friendlies 4K south.	JS	JM
36.	2250		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Closing Locations; 2/12, <u>ALL YU</u> A/Co-115182. A/1A-115205. A-2A-122229. A4A-146197.		

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36.	2250		Continues from page 6: B/Co- <sup>1</sup> im, B3B-124149. C/Co-Buttons, 020-222064. D-084087, D2D-114339, D3D-121118. D4D-112064, D4DA-216058. E-Tim. Team 1-254147. Team 2-Buttons. Team 3-Buttons. Team 4-175135. 1/12 A-278437. B-288433. C-304420. D-Smuffy. D-Hang. E-Smuffy. E LERP Team-Smuffy. E/Co recon-Smuffy.	JS	JM
37.	2251		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Plans for 1/8 Cav for 29 Mar; Aco will ground recon to vicinity YU 203235, establish NDP. B/Co will ground recon to vicinity YU 145312, establish NDP. C/Co will ground recon to vicinity YU 143297, establish NDP. E/Co (-) Base Defense Candy. D/Co-Base Defense At Candy. E/Co recon will ground recon to vicinity YU 201277, establish NDP.	JS	JM
38.	2252		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Tentative Plans for 30 <sup>th</sup> March 1/8 Cav; A/Co will ground recon vicinity YU 216235. B/Co will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 141304, establish NDP. C/Co will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 138303, establish NDP. D/Co-Base Defense at Candy. E/Co(-) Base Defense Candy. E/Co Recon will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 209280, establish NDP.	JS	JM

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39.	2255		Bn Asst S-3/Bde S-3 Air: Request for Bde S-3 <i>AVN <sup>log</sup></i> air and check through the 11th ARVN group channels for flight helmet belonging to CO, 1/8 Cav. Flight helmet has "Adverser Bruiser 13" inscribed on rear. The helmet was left on the CO A/C (Stylus 119) on the log A/C (Codes 171) today. Notify the Battalion of findings.	JS	JM
40.	2359		Bn Asst S-3/Log; Daily Summary; Negative Contact. Air; A/C <sup>o</sup> moved by hook, 4 sorties, from Buttons to Candy, 1500H to 1620H. A/C <sup>o</sup> moved by fixed wing, Bien Hoa to Buttons, <del>1500H</del> <sup>1300H</sup> to 1500H. Negative <sup>significant REP</sup> <del>signal</del> events.	JS	JM
41.	2400		Bn NCS/Log: Journal Closed.	JS	JM

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