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1.	0001		Journal opened	JS	JB
2.	0100		Neg. sit. rep.	JS	RR
3.	0200		Neg. Sit. Rep.	JS	RR
4.	0245		S/A reading at xt 925980 01 ind. on river		
			TOT 0215. Out of 1/8 AO	JS	RR
4.	0300		Neg. Sit. Rep	JS	RR
6.	0247		FSB Debbie had 04 rds, 82mm from vic xu836117		
			fall short to their south neg. damage or		
			casualties. Fired 4,2 81mm 105 arty.	JS	RB
7.	0250		Shadow #64 will be working in our AO with a		
			four klik raduis from 0524. Never came on		
			station.	JS	RB
8.	0400		Neg. Sit. Rep	JS	RR
9.	0505		F 4 reprot at xt 908985 time 0451. Bde reports		
			arty. notified & firing on target at this		
			time. Out of 1/8 AO	JS	RB
10.	0510		Neg sit rep.	JS	RR
11.	0600		QRF A/Co. (16) RRF A/Co.	JS Bde	RR
12.	0630		A/Co. up for stand to	JS	RR
13.	0700		Big Duke CC Snoopy 532. Big Duke log bird		
			patatoo Masher 590	JS	RB
14.	0705		Claymores & tripflares are in.	JS	RR
15.	0710		First light recon negative	JS	RB

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16.	0835		Snoopy 17 CC on station at 0835	JS	KG
17.	0840		Agent Report C-3- 2 VC squads vic. xu990264 Yellow khakis- 01 82mm, 01 60mm, 01 B-41, 01 B-40, 20 ind. Weapons. Want to know where the 35th went and why all the C-130 in Bu Dop 06- 1000H C-2 HQ. of NVA to all VC units there will be a general attack to all South Vietnam in Oct. Attack Saigon captal with rockets and mortars to destroy airport & all compounds of S. Vietnamese Army & US forces. VC troops will attack Quan Loi of US forces moving in convoys in Loc Ninh & Binh Long area. 07 Oct. 1200H C-2- 01 VC plt.- 03 B-40 01 B-41, ind. weapons, mised uniforms. Consisted of Montagnards & Cambodians commanded by lam blong, moved vic 925270 SE 930260 neg. intentions. 07 1215H C-2 06 VC sq. from above plt. ind weapons, black uniforms, vic 910258 want to know why all C-130. 06 1000H- New govt. of VC ordered 7th & 9th VC units to prepare to attack some district out post in Hau Nghia & Tay Ninh prov. The 268th VC Bn. is reinforcing the 7th & 9th 268th VC Bn		

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			stays in Binh Duong prov. The 7th VC unit is in PHU Khuong district also Tay Ninh prov. They might change their mind attack Phuoc Long or Binh Long prov.	JS		JB	
18.	1040		1000H Locs turned in A/Co.,-FSB Jerri, B/Co.,-Quan Loi, C/Co.,-opcon 1/5, D/Co.,-opcon 1/5 E/Co./(-) FSB Jerri, 16-opcon 1/5	JS Bde		JB	
19.	1100		1000H locs for 1/5 A/Co.,-868108, B/Co.,-825116 C/Co.,-Vivian, E/Co.,-Vivian, C 1/8-903144 D 1/8-912147, E 1/8-885095, 36-840126	JS		JB	
20.	1144		Saber 6 reports at 951117 1-8 in roof hooch was partially destroyed with neg. recent use At 950126 NW-SE shows recent use but can't determine when at 951130. Water Buffalo in a pond-engaged- Believed 1-KEH	JS		KG	
21.	1145		G/A fire reported at #055265. Arty has fire mission going at this time. 51 rds of 105 and 155.	JS		SH	
22.	1215		At 1500H, there will be a briefing at Cold Steels location with flight leader and B/Co. about the move to FSB Ellen tomorrow. Request Big Duke 6 and or Big Duke 3 be present. Bridge 36M will be present also	JS		SH	
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23.	1000		Delayed entry. On 28 Sept. Cole, Larry #82 went to Quan Loi to get his M-14 sight repaired. On the 1st of Oct. his rear notified us that he had to go to Bien Hoa, and since that no one has heard of him. Where is he now located Waiting readout from Pig Iron 6. RTO'S does not want to give one up request we get one from another unit.	JS	SH
24.	1210		E 1-6 element released from 1/5 at 1210 E 1-6 final extracted from to LZ Jerri 5 Sorties Lift off 1210 on Jerri 1227.	JS Bde	KG
25.	1315		Physops leaflets drop at grids, 0131,0232, 0133,0032,9831,9631,9429,9429,9428,9327, 9326,9226, 500 leaflets dropped at each location.	JS Bde	SH
26.	1320		Rash 33 on station for A 15 at yu045265- G/ A fire grid was cleared by the ground commander of CIDG who says his unit will not go any further east than his last nite loc. (017264) app. 2 Kms W of A/S	JS	KG
27.	1328		Enemy grid-Reg. CP. Loc. 700 meters radius-xu970369 neg. rating. Passend on information to District, and Special Forces.	JS Bde	JB

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28.	1415		A/Co. 36 element reconned found ^{wooden} 3 wecker fences 6" tall very old, Vegetaitio tall gross and young bamboo, ground soft and wet. 1 stream 945232 3' wide and 6" deep very clear Fish 6 to 8 inches long. 2 old GI night looc at 958231 and 955224. Neg. enemy activity. mortars could be fired from top of hill with very little cutting.	JS	EW
29.	1444		Air request passed into Bde.	JS Bde	JB
30.	1445		1400H ACo.-FSB Jerri, B/Co.-Quan Loi BD, C/Co.-opoon 1/5, D/Co.-opoon 1/5, E/Co.-(-) FSB Jerri, 16-opoon 1/5	JS	JB
31/	1500		Saber 25 on station working N of Bu Dop at 946323, EW trail used by 1015 ind, in last 24H, 968300 NS trail used by 8-10 ind, last 12 hrs, negative direction determined	JS	KG
32.	1535		Current looc for 1/5, A/Co.-867096, B/Co.-826107, C/Co.-Vivian, D/Co.-915097, E/Co.-1/6-903027, D 1/8-928125, E (-)-Vivian.	JS	JB
33.	1640		A/Co. 26 element left LZ Jerri at 1620H- complete at Bo Duc at 1635- 4 sorties.	JS	KG
34.	0800		CIC students will report to S-1 NLT 10 Oct. 69 for class 10-70. See that they are all in		

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			in from the field and bet off to FTA Bien Hoa, reproting date at school NLT 1800H on 12 Oct. 69 units . A/Co.-Blue, A R.No.-81 SSAN 7673, B/Co.-Robertson, M, R.No.-129. SSAN-8284, C/Co.-Sweckr, M, R.No.-64, SSAN-5427, D/Co.-Mock, M, Rq No. 123 SSAN-0305 Let S-3 know if students do not show at QL NLT 1800H on 10 Oct. also make sure students have all equip. and haircuts ect.	JS	JB
35.	1915		Final locs- A/Co.-FSB Jerri, B/Co.-Quan Loi C/Co.-opcon 1/5, D/Co.-opcon 1/5, E/Co.-FSB Jerri CIDG-953303, 973265, 016301, RF-961261	JS Bde	JB
36.	1920		Final locs for 1/5. A-869095-(12)-870094-23-868096- 36-869092, B/Co.-826107, 16-825145, 26-826106- 36-826105, C/Co.-Vivian D/Co.-913097, E/Co.(-)Vivian 16-902023, C 1/8-886134, D 1/8-923128	JS	JB
37.	1927		Hatchet Report: Flt, Sq. Day --- 0 0 Night--- 1 0 1	JS Bde	JB
38.	2130		All slick moved up one hour	JS	RB
39.	2035		A/Co. had movement in front of bunker 14. are engaging the area with M-79. On north		

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