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1st Bn 14th Inf  
3rd Bde 4th Inf Div

LOCATION

LZ St. George

PERIOD COVERED

FROM		TO	
HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
0001	25 Sept 69	2400	25 Sept 69

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		RM
2	0510	0511	(U) To Bde from Bn. S-5 report sent to Bde.	Bde	JRF
3	0725	0726	(U) To NCS from Engineers. Mine sweep to the north has SP at this time.	Bde	JRF
4	1055	1056	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company SRPs and bushmasters closed. A Company 2nd platoon SP NL at 0820 hours and closed at 1000 hours. C Company 1st platoon SP NL at 0815 hours, and closed at 1055 hours.	Bde	JRF
5	1110	1111	(U) To Bn from Bde. Each Bn will send Training S officer or training NCO to war room Division 260900 Sept for meeting to aid in passage of Division IG.		SC
6	1350	1351	(U) To Bde from Bn. Shamrock 90 on station at this time.	Bde	SC
7	1405	1406	(U) To Bn from Bde. Frequency Changes: 2/9 F-3 60.30; 1st Bde 60.30; 2/8 Cmd primary 60.80; 2/8 cmd alt 57.00; 2/8 C Co cmd 43.30; 2/8 C FO 71.80; 2/8 Flame plt 74.45; 2/35 cmd primary 55.80; 2/35 cmd alt 60.00; 3/8 retrans 60.65; 3/8 B Co 33.70; 1/35 cmd primary 64.85; 1/35 cmd alt 71.80; 1/14 Cmd 56.85; 1/14 cmd alt 60.35.	S	SC
8	1500	1501	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1415 hours Shamrock 90 (bird) spotted one NMC wearing Montagnard clothing loin cloth and carrying SKS, NVA poncho. At grid 241238, fled southwest.	Bde	SC
9	1610	1611	(U) To Bde from Bn. CA for D Company 1st platoon PZ at 020190, LZ at 776257, 1st PZ at 1100 hours, 1st LZ at 1115 hours, final PZ at 1510 hours, final LZ at 1610 hours. CA for 2nd and 3rd platoon D Company, LZ at 805273, 1st PZ at 1220 hours, 1st LZ at 1237 hours, final PZ at 1230 hours, final LZ at 1240 hours.	Bde	SC
10	1630	1631	(U) To Bde from Bn. Shamrock went off station at 1530 hours for POL.	Bde	SC
11	1650	1651	(U) To Bn S-3 from Bde OIC TOC. Be prepared to move D Company by 1200 hours 27 Sept.	S	JRF
12	1730	1731	(U) To Bn from Bde. 1. All requests for slick CA must be submitted NLT than 1200 hours preceding the lift. 2. Request for 2 FAC controlled Air strikes and 2 CSS will be submitted daily. A FAC controlled request due prior to 0800 hours. A CCS are due 1200 hours preceding day.	S	JRF
13	1805	1806	(U) To NCS from Rat Patrol. We have SP for Base Camp.	Bde	JRF

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14	2115	2116	(U) To Bde from Bn. S-5 report sent to Bde.		Bde	JRF
15	0755	0756	(U) To Bde from Bn. All elements report 100% malaria roster signed with shirts on and sleeves rolled down: A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, RECON, COMMO, 106RR, AND BASE CAMP REAR.		Bde	RM
16	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company is at Weigt Davis with SRPs at 894137, 925110, 892096, B Company NL is at 921143, 911147, 932140, 928129, 914132. C Company is at St. George with SRPs at 853112, 834125, 837152, 871173, 887158, 3rd platoon in stationary bushmaster at 893152 and roving bushmaster at 879120. D Company minus NL is at 770257, 1st platoon at 803266, 241279, 2nd platoon at 239282, 3rd platoon at 794280. Recon is at St. George. 4.2 mortars are at 770257. Plans Summary: A Company will continue defense of Weigt Davis; provide security for mine sweep of Weigt Davis road to junction of Hwy 14; 3 SRPs return to FB; squad size element conduct search in vic of MIA; squad size element conducts perimeter inspection of Weigt Davis; remainder of element prepare for phase out of Weigt Davis; in afternoon element will move by vehicle to a dismount point on Hwy 14 vic 832175, 2 platoons move into AO to the east in box 8619-9019-8715-9115; two platoons to west into box 7916-8316-8011-8511 in conjunction with Phu Nhom election to be conducted 27-29 Sept; platoons will be conducting daylight RIF and area bushmasters with SRP screen to the east and west during the hours of darkness. B Company will move from NL into Weigt Davis for 3 day phasing out of FB; will put out 5 SRPs to the north, northeast, east, southeast, and south; conduct squad size sweep to the southwest and south of Weigt Davis in late evening; start phase out; weapons platoon to conduct crew drill. C Company will remain at St. George with 5 two day SRPs to the north, northwest, west, southwest, and south; provide security for mine sweep of Hwy 14 to the north and south; 3 rd platoon will return to St. George; one reinforced squad will conduct a bushmaster in the general vic of 842160; weapons platoon will conduct crew drill. D Company flag, security platoon will prepare to move from hipshoot on order south in Bn AO by 1200 hours if ordered to do so; 2nd platoon (cont'd)		Bde	RM
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16	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) will work into the Bde northwest of hipshoot and will join up with CP for move south into Bn AO; 3rd platoon will turn south and sweep along low ground and blue lines; 1st platoon moves to southeast from bushmaster site around village conducting sweep along the low ground and blue line into Bn AO. The concept of movement for the CP and the platoon working separately will be from present NL south each lane being two clicks in width down to the south in Bn AO to a point where element will join up again at a rendezvous point general vic 7918, effect resupply and begin platoon size operations in northwest corner of Bn AO. Air request: one LOH first flyable for 4 hours, one slick first flyable for 2 hours for backhaul and resupply, one slick at 1500 hours for 2 hours for resupply.		RM
			KIA KIA(EST) CIA WPNS		
	Energy Casualties	(C)	0 0 0 0		
	Energy Casualties	(C)	742 155 101 137		
	Cumulative				
			KIA WIA CIA		
	US Casualties	(C)	0 0 0		
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			25 September 1969 Summary		
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued SRP, RIF, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. Bn is phasing out Weigt Davis.		
			(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. Weigt Davis phase out will continue.		
17	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.		RM

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