

FOURTH FAAD BATTERY
COMMAND CHRONOLOGY REPORT CY-82

1. ORGANIZATION

a. Fourth FAAD Battery (-), 4th LAAMBn, 4thMAW, 2755 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107.

b. 1 January through 31 December 1982.

2. PERSONNEL INFORMATION

a. Commanding Officer

Major William G. GOODWIN
1 January through 31 December 1982

b. Executive Officer

Captain Keith D. BUSHEY
1 January through 31 December 1982

c. Platoon Commanders

Captain Thomas P. NEELY (First Platoon Commander)
CWO-3 Richard SANCHEZ (Second Platoon Commander)
CWO-4 Joseph R. MARTINEZ (Support Platoon Commander)
1 January through 31 December 1982

d. Administrative Officer

CWO-2 Denise L. SHIRLEY
1 January through 31 December 1982

e. First Sergeant

1stSgt Rudolph C. OBAD
1 January through 31 December 1982

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH DURING PERIOD

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>OFFICER/ENLISTED</u>
JAN	6/99
FEB	6/97
MAR	6/97
APR	6/98
MAY	6/101
JUN	6/102
JUL	6/102
AUG	6/102
SEPT	6/107
OCT	6/110
NOV	6/109
DEC	6/106

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4. EQUIPMENT

<u>NOMENCLATURE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AN/GRA 39 Radio Set Control	2
AN/PRC-47 Radio Set	4
AN/PRC-75A Radio Set	2
AN/PRC-77 Radio Set	17
SB/22/PT Switchboard	1
XM41E2 Redeye Launcher Simulator	5
XM 76 Redeye Tracking Set	6

5. COMMAND, OPERATIONS AND TRAINING

Fourth FAAD Battery (-) is continually involved in most of the major USMCR exercises, which have been very successful in the use and employment of Redeye personnel for air defense. During CY-82 the Battery conducted EST, NBC, Leadership, Drug and Alcohol and MOS training with emphasis placed on Law of War Training. During December, the Battery participated in a combined Redeye Firex held at 29 Palms, CA. More than 100 missiles were fired. Units participating were Fourth FAAD Battery(-) and 3rd FAAD Battery from Camp Pendleton, CA.

6. PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION

During this period the 4th FAAD Battery Administrative Staff did extensive training in their MOS.

7. LOGISTICAL/SUPPLY

Supply deficiencies for the Battery have been steadily improving this past year. As the money became available, 782 gear deficiencies were filled. Sleeping bags, canteens, field jackets and liners, and other items were purchased.

8. CIVIC ACTION

FAAD Battery personnel participated in the annual Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program in November and December. Personnel also assisted in static displays and color guard details.

9. SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1 January 1982	Battery personnel assisted H&S DetAlfa personnel in the annual Tournament of Roses Parade.
28 April to 14 May 1982	Nine Battery personnel attended Redeye Gunner School at Fort Bliss, TX.
10-24 July 1982	Battery personnel participated in

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in RESMAREX (Phantom Fox) at MCALF
Rougefield, NC (ATD).

1-14 August 1982

Battery personnel participated in CAX
9-82 at 29 Palms, CA (ATD)

21 August to
4 September 1982

Battery personnel participated in CAX
10-82 at 29 Palms, CA (ATD)

4-25 September 1982

Battery personnel participated in Northern
Wedding/Bold Guard 82 (NATO) in Denmark (ATD)

17-19 December 1982

Combined Redeye Firex at 29 Palms. Units
participating were Fourth FAAD Battery (-)
and 3rd FAAD Battery from Camp Pendleton, CA.
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1. Organizational Data:

a. Designation and Location. 4th FAAD Battery Det A, 4th MAW
NAS Atlanta, Marietta, Georgia 30060

b. Period Covered by Report. 1 January - 31 December 1982.

c. Commanding Officer and Principal Staff Officers.

OIC	Major D. C. VASSY (1 January - 2 October 1982)
	Major R. L. O'BRIEN Jr. (3 October - 31 December 1982)
AOIC	Major R. L. JACKSON (1 January - 30 September 1982)
	Major K. D. HANKINS (1 December - 31 December 1982)
3RD PLT CO	Captain M. E. GEHRING (1 January - 31 December 1982)
4TH PLT CO	Captain S. C. MORGAN (1 January - 31 March 1982)
	Captain M. E. NUNNALLY (17 December - 31 December 1982)
5TH PLT CO	Captain R. J. SUTTER (1 January - 31 December 1982)
SERVICES PLT NCOIC	GySgt W. L. JEFFERY (1 January - 31 December 1982)
TRNGO	Captain S. C. MORGAN (1 January - 31 March 1982)
	Captain R. J. SUTTER (1 April - 31 December 1982)

d. Average Monthly Strength During the Period. 4 Air/Ground
Officers, 90 Enlisted, 94 total.

2. Sequential Listing of Significant Events, Relating to:

a. Personnel. A change of Command took place in October.

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The Assistant OIC returned to active duty under the FTS program. One Platoon Commander transferred from the unit.

b. Administration. The Detachment Administrative Section has maintained the unit's records, basic correspondence, SRB audits, and reports during the period.

c. Intelligence. Negative Report.

d. Training.

(1) During the course of the 12 months covered by this report, priority was placed on maintaining qualification and expertise of Redeye Gunners. 140 hours have been devoted to Redeye training. This training has consisted of aircraft recognition, tracking head training, map reading, communications, and associated military training. The unit achieved a 35.2% completion rate for MCI courses and a 95% passing rate of the PFT.

(2) Unit training accomplished during ATD is as follows:

(a) During 29 April - 16 May the unit participated in Operation Ocean Venture held at U. S. Naval Base Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico. The detachment of 1 officer and 17 enlisted performed Redeye training in a combined exercise with elements of the Army, Marine Corps, and Puerto Rican Air National Guard.

(b) During 27 June - 9 July 2 NCO's attended the Instructor's Orientation Course held at Camp Pendleton, California. The course consisted of techniques of military instruction including preparation, construction, and delivery of information.

(c) During 16 July - 24 July a detachment of 1 Gunnery Sergeant and 17 enlisted participated in the Reserve Phiblex held at Camp LeJeune and MCAS New River, North Carolina.

(d) During 27 May - 14 June 10 Marines attended the formal Redeye Training School conducted by the U. S. Army at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

(e) During 14 August - 28 August the remainder of this unit attended summer camp at MCAS Cherry Point, North Carolina. Training accomplished included rifle range, pistol familiarization, land navigation, night land navigation, NBC training, tracking head training and Redeye deployment and tactics.

e. Special Operations

(1) On 9 and 10 January the unit conducted cold weather training in the mountains of North Georgia. Temperatures reached

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were the lowest of the century in this part of the country at -20° F, including wind chill factor.

(2) In December the unit held live fire exercises at Onslow Beach, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. Twenty-one missiles were fired.

f. Command and Control. Negative report.

g. Logistics. General supply system, requisitioning, and record keeping were maintained. First echelon maintenance, OJT, and classes were conducted for the equipment organic to the detachment.

h. Air Defense. The complete spectrum of Redeye training was conducted as mentioned in previous paragraphs.

i. Civil Affairs/Military Government/Community Relations

(1) Command relations with other Marine and Naval units located at NAS Atlanta are excellent.

(2) Marines of this unit collected and donated toys for the Toys for Tots campaign of the Marine Corps Reserve.

j. Activations/Deactivations/Redesignations. Negative report.

k. ATD Sites and Dates. As noted above.

l. Changes of Operational and Administrative Control. Negative report.

m. Ceremonies. A change of command ceremony was held in October.

n. New Programs. A more aggressive approach to recruiting and retention has been implemented and is conducted by a Staff NCO who is assigned as Career Planning NCO as a primary duty.

o. Other Significant Activities/Events. Negative report.