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AVDF-BARK S-2/S-3, 4th Bn, 3d Inf		LZ SAN JUAN BS 635382			
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			0001	14 May 70	2400 14 May 70
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01	0001	Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP loc follow: A Co. Bronco, B Co CP 796323, 1 Plt 794320 & 794323, 2 Plt 794328 & 795330, 3 Plt 794325, 4 Plt 796323, C Co 3 Plt Bronco rest of element SJ, D Co. SJ, Recon T1 - 617395, T1, 2 & 4			
02	0030	(C) AO Ext 31 approved but modified by 4/21 modification disapproved by Cpt Schwebach therefore request dropped and AO Ext 24 requested and approved to run as previously scheduled	DO		RJ
03	0045	(C) Toc 4/3 req. LOH for 0930 to 1030 May 14 & 1500 to 1600, 14 May 70 to Bde Lightey	DO Bde		RJ
04	0100	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP	DO		RJ
05	0200	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP	DO		RJ
06	0300	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP	DO		RJ
07	0400	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP	DO		RJ
08	0500	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar neg SITREP	DO		RJ
09	0500	(U) Fr Bde Wiley Rec Infrared targets passed to S-2	DO S-2		RJ
10	0515	(U) Beacon 709290 diverted Fr Bde	DO		RJ
11	0520	(C) 4.2 ammo rpt, 23 Msn, 104 HE, 2 Illum 106 total expenditures. Bde Wiley	DO Bde		RJ
12	0600	(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same radar shutting down	DO		RJ
13	0650	(C) From Bde, Mine Dog team will be at Scout dog plt at 0900 to give class.	DO and Staff.		CS
14	0700	(C) Bn Sitrep Neg, A company Bronco, B company CP 796323, 1st Plt 794320-794323, 2nd pl 794328-795330, 3rd Plt 794325, Company G, 1, 2 and 4 Plt San Juan Hill. 3rd Plt Bronco D company San Juan. Recon SJH. Tiger 1 617395	DO and Arty.		CS
15	0730	(C) Company C started their move from SJH.	DO and Staff		CS
16	0735	(C) Preplanned fire request to Bde, 15 May 70	DO and S-3 Air		CS
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17	0800		(C) Tiger 1 started their move.	DO	CS	
18	0800		(C) Bn Sitrep A company Bronco B company Neg Same Loc. C company 634389, D company San Juan Hill. Recon 620390.	DO and Arty.	CS	
19	0810		(C) Bn Commander Departed for Duc Pho.	DO	CS	
20	0900		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco, B company CP and 1st Plt 795320 3rd Plt and 2nd Plt 793327. C company 631391, 3rd Plt Opcon 1/20. Company D San Juan Hill. Recon 1st Plt 623387 Recon (-) San Juan Hill.	DO and Arty.	CS	
21	0930		(C) Bn Cmd Arrived LZSJH.	DO	CS	
22	0935		(C) From Bde, Intel 13 May CP of 21st Regiment located at 654596, 13 May Night entire 21st Regt will begin to withdraw to its rear Base at Nuoc Y (Base area 128) its final Area for withdrawal will be in Vic. 594476. 14 May Night Regt will stop in Vic. 594476.	DO and S-2	CS	
23	0940		(C) From Blue Ghost Red, DTG rec. 140920 Source VR Time 140910 Coord. 679468. Fresh Trail now he is cont. VR.	DO and S-2	CS	
24	0941		(C) From Blue Ghost Red, Time 140907 Coord. 676475. Blown out Area from Bombs. Believe to use trees to build bunkers.	DO and S-2	CS	
25	0943		(C). From Blue Ghost Red, DTG 140916 Coord 663479: Old night lager position with bunkers believed to be Refortified by enemy Personnel.	DO and S-2	CS	
26	0944		(C) Div Cmd Arrived SHH 0940 Hrs	DO and Staff.	CS	
27	0945		(C) From Blue Ghost, DTG 140925 Coord 660435 5 Bunkers built out of logs. Conducted A/s with Neg Results.	DO and S-2	CS	
28	0955		(C) From Blue Ghost, DTG 140930 Coord 665436 Very large bunker about 5X5 looks as if Heavily reinforced.	DO and S-2	CS	
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29	1000		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco B company CP and 1st Plt 795320, 2nd and 3rd Plt 795327. C company 631391 3rd Plt Opcon 1/20 D company SJH Recon 1st Plt 623394, Recon (-) SJH.		DO and Arty.	CS	
30	1015		(C) To company C 0955 Hrs Move to Vic 607410 Asaf		DO and S-3	CS	
31	1100		(C) From B company Loc of CP and 1st Plt 795323.		DO and Arty.		
32	1101		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco B company CP 10, 795323, 2nd and 3rd 795327. C company 631391, 3rd Plt Opcon 1/20 Recon (-) SJH. tiger 1 614381.		DO and Arty	CS	
33	1115		(C) To Bde from 4/3 Inf. AO Ext Request From 623465 to 600465 to 6050 to 6350 to 4/3 Inf Boundary 6348. DTG 141100 Hrs to 192400 May 70. Called to Bde.		DO and S-3	CS	
34	1120		(U) Col. Barlow arr. SJH.		DO and Staff	TN	
35	1130		(O) C/A request for B 4/3 sent to Bde. Rec. by Gilroy.		DO and Arty	TN	
36	1150		Col Barlow Departed SJH. 1135 Hrs.		DO and Staff	CS	
37	1155		(C) From Bde 1600 Beacon RN 350 Grid 620455		DO and S-3 Air	CS	
38	1156		(C) Request LOH for 1300 Canceled LOH for 1500. Approved by Bde.		DO and S-3 Air.	CS	
39	1200		(C) From Blue Ghost Red: Time 1125 at Grid 605517 spotted Bamboo strips tied in tripods in old NDP. Also new fence around area.		DO and S-2	CS	
40	1205		(C) From Blue Ghost Red: time 1135 Grid 595468 made contact with Black Ace 24 Ace 24 showed Blue Ghost where he took Ground		Con't Next Page	CS	
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40	Con't			Fire. Recon with W.P. and rockets: Also spotted two bunkers engaged with rockets. Couldn't determine because of triple Canopy. <i>Blue Ghost RD OFF STA. THIS TIME</i>		DO and S-2	CS
41	1210			(C) Daily Bns Plans called to Bde.		DO, Bde.	CS
42	1230			(C) AO Ext. request From 6040 to 5940 to 5944 to 473 Inf boundry 627440. DTG 141200 to 192400 May 70.		DO and Bde.	CS
43	1235			(C) Bn. Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco B company 795323. C company 628393 3rd plt to 20. D company SJH. Recon (-) SJH. Tiger 1 614381.		DO and Arty, Bde.	CS
44	1250			(C) From Bato C-17 A At Grid 554405 140720 Hrs May 70-9 Detainees 4 Women 5 Children 4 M-16 Mag. 1 Bayonet 1 AM Radio, Unidentified Documents.		DO and S-2	CS
45	1253			(C) 1245 14 May 70 B company PZ Loc. 797327.		DO and Arty.	CS
46	1300			(C) Bn Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco B company 797327 Company 6 626392, 3rd Plt Opcon 1/20 D company San Juan Hill Recon (-) SJH. Tiger 1 626378.		DO and Arty.	CS
47	1355			(C) Recon Tiger 1 Closed SJH.		DO and Staff	CS
48	1357			(C) From Bde This evening and early tomorrow			
49	1400			Morning wants Beacon concentrated in Appox. 5743. <i>Grid. CONCENTRATED</i>		DO and S-3 Air	CS
				(C) BN Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco, B company 797327 Neg contact 1300 Hrs loc. Company C 625391, D company San Juan. Recon <i>(H) San Juan Hill.</i>		DO and Arty. Bde	CS
50	1410			(C) From TMF String 158 C 141400 Grid 612396		Con't on Next Page	
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50	Con't		(C) 6 Personnel Moving West at 2 MPH Confirmed by Metal. B Btry Expended 26 HE Rds. Neg Results.	DO and S-2	CS
51	1430		(C) B co when moved into new AO will be out of Illum. Range.	DO and S-3	CS
52	1431		(C) From Bde Grid 620455 URI Regt. size Prox 600 Meters picked up late Morning 14 May	DO and S-2	CS
53	1440		(C) AO Ext for B company change to 605500 south along River to 606480 south to 606460 East to River.	DO and Staff.	CS
54	1500		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg A company Bronco, B company 797327, Company G 625393, 3rd Plt Opcon 1720 D company San Juan Hill, Recon San Juan Hill	DO and Arty.	CS
55	1505		(C) From Bde URI Grid 612468 Regt. size Prox 500 Meters. Picked up early afternoon.	DO and S-2	CS
56	1515		(C) From Bde Air Cav Boxes needs clearance Box 61 Upper left 6449 lower right 6943 Box 65 upper left 7230 lower right 7825. Box 69 upper left 5555 lower right 5541 East to river. DTG 150600- 151800. CLEARED BY <i>LT K. W. S. J. Recon</i>	DO and Posted.	CS
57	1525		(C) Beacon Grids. 579455, 577473, 560459, 560440, 599477, These are loc of Well Used trails and Infiltration routes found by LRRP teams.	DO and S-2, S-3	CS
58	1600		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg. A company Bronco B company 797327, C company 615392, D company SJ Recon SJH.	DO and Arty.	CS
59	1600		(C) Request LOH for BN Commander to VR of AO from 151300-151500 May 70.	DO and Bde.	CS
60	1645		(C) From Bde Air Cav Box Nr. 50 DTG 1st	Cont Next Page	CS
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60	Con't		(C) Light 15 May UL 4744 IR 6237 Purpose Attempt to Loc 21 Regt.	DO and S-3			CS
61	1655		(C) 3/1 and 4th Regt boundary 570747 (starting) Grid arty free fire Grid south to 566720 to 566710 to 564700 to 563690 to 563676 (ARVN sensor box) then runs along NW of ARVN SENSOR BOX	DO and S-3			CS
62	1700		(C) 4th ARVN CA 1/3 Completed. B 4/3 will not CA today. If nothing develops tonight or tomorrow morning B company will resume Normal operations.	DO and S-3			CS
63	1716		(C) From BDE C-3 rating picked up 14 May 70 company from 38 Bn. and C-19 with 150 well Armed men at Midh Tan and Hoai AO 760590 and 758596 mission to attack OP's and refugee camps in Mo Duc in coming days.	DO and S-2			CS
64	1717		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg, A company Bronco B company 797327 C company 610402, 3rd Plt Opcon 1/20 D company San Juan Hill, Recon San Juan Hill.	DO and Arty			CS
65	1755		(C) Air Cav box #50 has been cleared but no free fire in area will have friendlies request granted & passed to Ramos at 1746	DO			RJ
66	1800		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc A Co. Bronco, B Co. 797327, C Co. 603414, 3 plt opcon 3/1, D Co. SJ, Rcn SJ	DO			RJ
67	1810		(C) Company C present Location 603416	DO and Arty.			CS
68	1830		(C) Beacon Data RN 376 0400, RN 374 0300 RN 363 1000 RN 367 1400 RN 371 1600.	DO and S-3 Air			CS
69	1840		(C) Company C DTG 141805 Coord 603416 Captured 1 Female POW age 30-35 yrs old wearing black Khaki type shirt and pants she was in hootch 63x10x8' also found 10 lbs rice and bunker under hootch W/ no Equip	Con't on next page.			
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69	Con't		she also had a basket w/ clothes and sandbags 1 G I towel 1 sandbag 1 white rag. black sarong 1 c-ration can 1 1/2 Lbs. ground rice 2 shoe laces. Beagle nut 1 additional lb of course rice. Neg. I D card.	DO, S-2, Bde	CS	
70	1854		(U) From Bde utility time for 15 May 70: 0930 to 1130, 1300 to 1800.	DO and Staff	CS	
71	1900		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same A Co Bronco, B Co 791327 moving, C Co 603416, D Co SJ, Ren SJ.	DO	RJ	
72	1929		(C) B Co. CP & 1 Plat 795322, 2 Plat 791323.	DO	RJ	
73	1935		(C) SPOT RPT: B Co. 2 Plat DTG 141850 at 791323 fd fresh Ho CHI & NVA boot tracks on trail. KCS says there were 5 people Msn to B/T trail.	DO, S-2, Bde.	RJ	
74	2000		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same A Co Bronco, B Co NDP 795322 2 Plat 791323, C Co 603416, D Co SJ, Ren SJ.	DO, Arty.	TN	
75	2010		(C) From TMF string 156B DTG 141940 Grid 654356 5 Pax stationary confirmed by metal B Btry expended 12 rds HE, 4.2 exp. 10 rds HE	DO and Staff	TN	
76	2030		(C) From TMF string 151 DTG 142025 Grid 656373, 4 Pax mov North at 1 mph confirmed by heat, 4.2 expended 20 rds HE.	DO and Staff	TN	
77	2035		(C) From Radar DTG 142026, Grid 604398, 3 to 5 Persons Stationary Engaged w/ 5 105 rds firecracker Res Unk.	DO, S-2, Bde	TN	
78	2040		(C) From Minh Long loc C13B 472512	DO	TN	
79	2100		(C) From Bde 2- 4 Bn LZ's 601492, 585488, 583476. 2-4 is working around these grids	DO	TN	
80	2105		(C) Ref Item 42 AO Ext. Disapproved from Bde Sgt Ward. Rec by Sgt James.	DO and Staff	TN	
81	2125		(C) S-3 requests time extension on AO Ext. B- 24 to 222400 May Rec at Bde by Sgt Ward.	DO	TN	
82	2130		(C) Bn SITREP Neg A Co Bronco, B Co NDP 795322 2 Plat 791323, C Co NDP 600413 1 Plat 602421 2 Plat 602413 3 Plat Bronco, D Co SJ, Ren SJ.	DO and Arty	TN	
83	2135		(C) From S-3 to B Co Hold current position will receive hot meal, R/S, and Fragord 0900	DO	TN	
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84	2150		(C) From C Co DTG 142000 Mech AP went off. Res. Unit will check out in morning 601418	DO and Bde	TN	
85	2200		(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same Radar neg SITREP	DO	RJ	
86	2205		(C) Fr TOC 4/3 to C Co. Do not go any further N than the 1 Plt present loc - & no further W than th CP ele. now. due to boundary lines sent to C Co by Lt Gaines 2135 hrs	DO	RJ	
87	2215		(C) Fr Bde Lockhart; AO #66 for Quang Ngia DTG 160600 to 171800, 434780, 450780, 450767 along river to 443760 along river to 434780 # 75 for 4th Regt DTG now to 192400	DO	RJ	
88	2220		(C) Bato LWK, loc's Co 555413, Plt amb 557413 VN Plt 498272	DO	RJ	
89	2225		(C) AO Ext req # B32 approved #B24 DTG extended to 262400 approved	DO	RJ	
90	2230		(C) B Co. R/S on the 15/May at 0930 hrs. passed to B Co. rear 2220 by Cox acknowledged	DO	RJ	
91	2245		(C) Fr 4/3 to ML; req grids cleared for Beacons fr 0100 to 1800 - 15 May 70, 5745, 5746, 5645 5644, 5947 passed to ML 2235 by Cox cleared by HLB	DO	RJ	
92	2250		(U) Cpt Small took req for IPD team to be at SE pad at 150930 May 70, by CPT Hage wood	DO	RJ	
93	2255		(C) Fr Bde Toc Lockhart to 4/3 S-3, DTG 142250 May 70 Sub: Utilization of Army & Air Force both fixed and rotor air craft. atten Cpt Schwebach	DO	RJ	
94	2300		(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same, radar neg SITREP	DO	RJ	
95	2300		(C) Ba To Martin Intell; 1 LF/VC Plt Comm Dinh Xin, BS 630293 DTG 141000, 1 VC Sqd BS 493327 DTG 141300 to Bde Lockhart 2300hrs	DO S-2 Bde	RJ	
96	2315		(C) Radar DTG 142150 May 70 at 633392, radar sighted 3 personnel moving N. eng w/25 rds of 4.2 HE neg res, passed to Bde Lockhart	DO S-2 Bde	RJ	
97	2335		(C) AOExt # B 32 as follows 6348 North to 6351 West to 605500 South along river to 606480 South 606460 east to river	DO	JG	
98	2400		(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same, radar neg SITREP	DO	RJ	
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99 (C) Journal Summary: 4-3 Inf cont offensive search and amb ops in SAN JUAN AO w/Co D and Recon Plat securing LZSJ and Co's B and C working in grid squares BS7932 and 6239. At 1135 at BS595468 Blue Ghost engaged bunkers and general area where Black Ace received ground fire, engagement produced unknown results. At 1110 at BS612396 sensor activation revealed 6 personnel moving west at 2 MPH, confirmed by metal. B Btry expended 26 rounds 105mm HE on tgt with unknown results. (See #50). At 1805 at BS603116 Co C CIA 1 female sitting in hootch. Also found was a small quantity of rice (See #69). At 2010 at BS651356 sensor activation string 156B revealed 5 personnel stationary, confirmed by metal, engaged with 4.2 mortars with unknown results (See #75). At 2035 at BS601398 sensor activation revealed 5 personnel stationary, engaged with 5 105mm firecracker rounds with unknown results (See #77). At 2150 Co C reports mechanical ambush going off, will check results at first light (See #84). At 2315 at BS633392 radar sighted 3 personnel moving north engaged with 4.2 inch mortars with unknown results (See #96). There were negative further significant events during the day.

100	2400	(U) Journal closed.
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