

Battalion History



Battalion History Between Tours of Vietnam

31 May	1969			Main body disembarked in Brisbane
19 July	1969			Battalion returned from leave
24 September	1969-18	October	1969	Support battalion for Exercise "STRAIGHT KRIS" at Shoalwater Bay
1 October	1969			Lieutenant-Colonel L. R. Greville, DSO, handed over command to Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Hughes, MC
2 December	1969			Battalion moved to Lavarack Barracks, Townsville
2 December	1969-31	January	1970	Annual leave period Support battalion for Exercise "SECOND STAB"
5 October	1970-12	December	1970	Training at Jungle Training Centre, Canungra
12 December	1970-10	January	1971	Annual leave period
25 January	1971-29	January	1971	Exercise "GRANITE VALE"
17 February	1971-26	February	1971	Exercise "THIRD STAB"
15 March	1971-24	March	1971	Exercise "MONARO MALL"
2 April	1971- 8	April	1971	Pre-embarkation leave
1 May	1971			Advance party emplaned Townsville and disembarked South Vietnam
13 May	1971			Main body embarked Townsville
23 May	1971			Main body disembarked South Vietnam