

Fort Ord Guestbook

March to July 2000

Date:
05 Mar 2000

Time:
03:59:30

Remote User:

Comments

Its wild to see the pictures of the old place. Many good times were had, and meet some great people. Anyone out there from the old 237th MED DET (AA)? Contact WES VANKUREN EMAIL - BEARWVK@AOL>COM DUSTOFF!!

Date:
06 Mar 2000

Time:
18:10:43

Remote User:

Comments

I was stationed at Fort Ord in 1968. I went through Infantry AIT and than on to Korea. My wife and I visited Fort Ord last year and it was sad to see the condition of the grounds and buildings. The government should have never closed it down. You have a great site!

Date:
07 Mar 2000

Time:
08:31:46

Remote User:

Comments

Great Site. Any Info From Anyone In C Co. 2/27 Would Be Appreciated.WOLFHOOUNDS!

Date:

09 Mar 2000

Time:

04:08:50

Remote User:

Comments

I was stationed at ft. ord (the planet) in 4/17 inf. bat. from 1985 to 1991. Its nice to see this site it brings back good memories.

Date:

11 Mar 2000

Time:

04:15:37

Remote User:

Comments

I did my infantry training at Fort Ord in March, April, and May of 1970. Was not a good time to be in the Army, but really enjoyed my time at Ord. Drill Sgt. Pettaway. Hope I spelled name correctly. Thanks for teaching responsibility.

Date:

12 Mar 2000

Time:

18:23:02

Remote User:

Comments

Served at Ft Ord 1965-1966. Commanded a Basic Training Company. Was a member of the 2/31 Inf, 7th Inf. Div. just prior to that. Thanks for all the hard work that you put into this page.

Date:

13 Mar 2000

Time:

04:52:04

Remote User:

Comments

My Dad received basic Training on Infantry Hill in '67. I was stationed at that exact spot from '82-'86. It was the 2/17 Buffalo Battalion, then changed to the 4/9 Manchu Regiment, "Keep up the Fire!"

If there are any "Animals" out there, it would be great to hear from you.

jbejmitchell@hotmail.com

Date:

14 Mar 2000

Time:

16:32:27

Remote User:

Comments

I WAS STATIONED AT FORT ORD FROM 1976-1979. I WAS ASSIGNED TO A CO. 3/17 IF ANYONE FROM THAT TIME DROP ME A LINE. FRANKIE POLLOCK FROM NORTH CAROLINA FRANKIEPOLLOCK@HOTMAIL.COM

Date:

15 Mar 2000

Time:

04:29:28

Remote User:

Comments

Did basic training at Ord Sep-Oct 1974, H-1-3, Drill Sgt Morris, like a fool didn't buy the platoon picture. Must say I was glad as hell to get out of there.

Steve Huddleston

Date:

16 Mar 2000

Time:

21:04:16

Remote User:

Comments

My cousin Gearld V. Smith was stationed at fort Ord. Keith Chaney South Boston, Va.

Date:

17 Mar 2000

Time:

03:13:09

Remote User:

Comments

I am trying to locate a friend, Joe C. Jones, who was stationed in Fort Ord in 1967. He had a friend named Ernie Romero who was stationed there as well. Any idea how I might go about this? My email: MATruj39@aol.com

Date:

18 Mar 2000

Time:

00:31:18

Remote User:

Comments

I was at Ft Ord 46-48 when the 4th Div (Ivy) was there. M Company 22nd Inf . Suprised that Mortimers was still in business. The Shalmar Club next to the Greyhound Bus Station was a favorite spot. Wish you had more about the 4th.

Date:
18 Mar 2000

Time:
04:57:29

Remote User:

Comments

I was stationed at Ft. Ord January 62 to April 62, in Basic Training. Spent time there as a CW in the Oregon National Guard in 83-90. Sad to see it being turned over to the Civilians. It was a great Ft. CW3 Ret. Roger Sharp.

Date:
20 Mar 2000

Time:
00:58:42

Remote User:

Comments

Would like to see about 13th & 14Th engineer batallions

Date:
20 Mar 2000

Time:
01:02:18

Remote User:

Comments

Was stationed 13th engr battallion 1979-1981 would like to hear from any buddies Please respond on this site March 20,2000 Pvt Carmine Fico

Date:

20 Mar 2000

Time:

21:22:47

Remote User:

Comments

I served as a Chaplain Assistant with 3-17 IN from April 1990-August 1993. They were some of the best years I served. I enjoyed every day of my service, and the Fort Ord web-page is a great reminder of those days.

Date:

21 Mar 2000

Time:

04:02:32

Remote User:

Comments

On March 7, 2000, someone wanted info about C Co. 2/27, Wolfhounds. I was with the 25th, and one of my friends was attached to that unit. We spent over a year in the hospital at Fort Ord Hospital together, 1968-1969. If you would like to e-mail, please do so. BRACE4U@aol.com

Date:

22 Mar 2000

Time:

19:39:56

Remote User:

Comments

Stationed at Ord from 91-93 with C BTRY 7/15 FA. Had great times there, the chicks were awesome. If any old buddies should come across this, email me (Jesse Catlett) at jgcat72@hotmail.com.

Date:

23 Mar 2000

Time:

01:16:46

Remote User:

Comments

Great site. Was with 7th Medical Batt from 81-83. Miss the fun times with roomy Chris L. and SSg M. Hill..and all the folks from HSC PAC

Date:

23 Mar 2000

Time:

21:25:30

Remote User:

Comments

Stationed at Ft.Ord '76-'77 HHC 3/32 Bulldogs,"No Slack". Alf,Leary,Terry,Dave,you know who you are.SSG "Dick" Gainey you can still bite me 24 years later,(would love to catch you out here in the real world you LOSER!)CPT. Smith was cool.Have alot of good memories that don't include Hunter Ligett,29 Palms or that other shithole we used to go to. - peace, Walsh.

Date:

26 Mar 2000

Time:

06:05:34

Remote User:

Comments

I was stationed here with HHS 7/15th 87-90. I loved this post and hope to revisit someday. Drank lotsa beer with Bruce Bachlor & mel pistor. Best 3 years of my life. Anyone out there remember those days e-mail troy - tmds68@yahoo.com

Date:

26 Mar 2000

Time:

20:09:06

Remote User:

Comments

I have a lot of memories of the Monterey area from the time I was stationed at DLIWC in 1970. Thanks.

Date:

27 Mar 2000

Time:

20:37:48

Remote User:

Comments

I was ststioned there from Nov. 1958 to Feb. 1959 for Basic Training.

from there I went to Ft. Lenard Wood for Combat Engineer training for my second eight. Army should have never let it go. Gerold E. Fuller

Date:

28 Mar 2000

Time:

18:52:03

Remote User:

Comments

I was a Fort Ord for basic training and AIT June 1969 to December 1969.

Date:

28 Mar 2000

Time:

19:49:11

Remote User:

Comments

It's great to see this site. I was stationed at Ft. Ord from Feb 90 to Apr 93, the best 3 years of my military life. B. Co 127th Sig Bn. I'd like to see more about one of the most decorated signal units in the Army (127th). If you were stationed with me back then just send an e mail to master6of8puppets@hotmail.com Hooah Lightfighters..... Voice of the Bayonet.

Date:

29 Mar 2000

Time:

01:18:46

Remote User:

Comments

To anyone out there. I'm looking for a map of Fort Ord cir. 1965

Date:

31 Mar 2000

Time:

02:06:19

Remote User:

Comments

Looking for old friends. I was stationed at Ord from 83 to 86 in A company, 13th Engr Bn. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Lt. Jeff Malapit, Lt. William Acuff, SSG George Muller (commo), SSG Jason T. Lucier (JT), SSG David L. Sizelove or any of the of the other Engineers stationed there contact George Schimmel at LT11GS@Hotmail.com. First Light Sapper Battalion in the Army.

Date:

02 Apr 2000

Time:

00:20:29

Name or Email

Rodney Jay Slack

Comments

Loved Seeing The OLD "PLANET ORD". Anyone from 127th Signal can get ahold of me at rslack@btc-bci.com

Date:

05 Apr 2000

Time:

17:43:27

Name or Email

David Cremeens davidc@wcnnet.net

Comments

My father was stationed as an instructor during the early to late seventies. I grew up on Fort Ord, and have a lot of fond memories. I had the chance twice to visit the post in the last couple of years and these visits have again brought back the good times. I'm interested in information in reference to the schools on post. Is Marshall still in operation, and if so, is there an address or e-mail address. I'm looking for some information from the School if possible. Fort Ord was a great place to live and grow up. It was hard to take when they shut her down.

Date:

06 Apr 2000

Time:

14:47:32

Name or Email

dguthrie@netcarrier.com

Comments

I was at Ft. Ord in the spring of 1952. I will never forget my days there. Made a lot of friends, and went on to Korea with some of them. The 2nd Platoon, M of the 1st, was the greatest.

Date:

08 Apr 2000

Time:

04:38:08

Name or Email

DONALD HILL

Comments

ANY ONE THERE FROM THE BIG RED ONE,64-65, WOULD LIKE TO GET A HOLD OF ANY OF THEM.

Date:

09 Apr 2000

Time:

06:52:41

Name or Email

William C Middleton william734@yahoo.com

Comments

Received combat engineer training at Ft Ord March thru July 1957

Date:

12 Apr 2000

Time:

20:58:29

Name or Email

Joe83@tango5.com

Comments

I would like to know about what they did with the obstacle course in Fort Ord Thank you

Date:

13 Apr 2000

Time:

01:58:20

Name or Email

Alan Leiran klainc@means.net

Comments

Date:

13 Apr 2000

Time:

13:52:58

Name or Email

jacobb@id-ngnet.army.mil

Comments

Stationed at Ft Ord with B Company, Bushmasters, 4th Batt/21st Inf.

Date:

13 Apr 2000

Time:

16:15:16

Name or Email

William Lake lakew@pdqnet.net

Comments

Was stationed at the PLANET 88-92....went to the Gulf War with 761st CHEM (COHORTS) anyone knows any info. about anyone with 14th Engineers or 761st CHEM write to me...

Date:

14 Apr 2000

Time:

02:48:29

Name or Email

ginclan@gvtc.com

Comments

My uncle was in the 6/22nd ordinance? 1941 june shipped to fight the Japanese. I would like to follow the trails of this company. He is still alive but won't give any info. Please guid me. I have tried even historical web sites with no success. Thanks!

Date:

15 Apr 2000

Time:

01:54:51

Name or Email

J. Veilleux- joecwby@excite.com

Comments

I am glad to find your website. It has brought some good memories to mind. Was stationed there 84-87 with the Manchus. First with Co A 4/9th then with HHC 1/9th. Enjoyed my stay on the Planet very much and wish to return to Monterey some day.

Date:

16 Apr 2000

Time:

03:59:29

Name or Email

nlw@bendcable.com

Comments

Hello,My name is Charles L. Trego, I'm surprized to find this site.I heard that the Fort was closed. I was there in 1970 for Basic and in 1972 for Project Transition. I really liked being there. What memories!

Date:

18 Apr 2000

Time:

02:00:28

Name or Email

William Rugh

Comments

Date:

19 Apr 2000

Time:

02:16:43

Name or Email

Matt Wilson wilson2@ezworks.net

Comments

On the Fort from 85-90 with C 5/15 FA. Would like to hear from anyone who remembers times at Santa Cruz, Club Monterey, Stargaze club or people like Queen, Petroy, Morris, Ned, Moore, Kaplan, Griggs, SFC McLinton, or anyone from the cohorts from Ft. Sill. A time in my life I'll never forget.

Date:

20 Apr 2000

Time:

13:49:12

Name or Email

rcisto@snet.net

Comments

Great Site. I was stationed there 1978/1979. 2/10th Air Cav. Huey Crew Chief. Hello to the crew.

Date:

24 Apr 2000

Time:

01:10:27

Name or Email

William Branson

Comments

this web site brings back the old time,well not that long ago I was at fort ord from 90-93 I guess you could say Im one of the last wolfhounds to be at fort ord because of its closer in the 90s anyway the pitures of lightfighter field the building in the back ground is my old home 2/27 C Company. thank for the memories.....

Date:

24 Apr 2000

Time:

15:04:08

Name or Email

zucchini@pop21.odn.ne.jp

Comments

I used to live in Monterey to go to school(1973-76),and my late uncle and anut took me there for holiday breakfast and for shopping at the big commissary. It was about 28 years ago. No wonder things changed so much. I wish I could visit there again. It was nice visiting the Fort Ord Remembered web site.
(Hokkaido,Japan)

Date:

24 Apr 2000

Time:

18:13:39

Name or Email

Roslyn Murphy stramk@yahoo.com

Comments

Good photos

Date:

01 May 2000

Time:

19:49:06

Name or Email

Comments

Date:

02 May 2000

Time:

19:03:06

Name or Email

Srflyer@yahoo.com

Comments

I served 2 tours as a reservist at the Post Corections Facility in the late 80's and had a blast there. Fort Ord was full of history and charm. Hope to stop by htere soon and revisit.

Date:

03 May 2000

Time:

01:04:28

Name or Email

khatter@lcworkshop.com

Comments

I WAS STATIONED AT FT. ORD FROM 1/77-7/78.IT WAS THE ONLY THING THE ARMY DID TO ME THAT DIDNT PISS ME OFF. I SERVED WITH BRAVO COMPANY 2/31 INF.(POLAR BEARS) AND BRAVO BATTERY 2/8 FEILD ARTILLERY(F.I.S.T.). IT WAS GREAT. IWILL MISS FT. ORD ALWAYS.

Date:

05 May 2000

Time:

20:32:50

Name or Email

toro1973@aol.com

Comments

its nice to know that people still care about historical land marks. My grandfather was thare during world war 2

Date:

11 May 2000

Time:

04:55:21

Name or Email

Robert L. Atack Jr, SFC, USA Ret @ bobmy@earthlink.net

Robert L. Atack

Comments

Did my Basic there in Aug-Oct 1972, then on to Infantry AIT at Ft Polk in what started a 23 year career. Funny now I drive a semi truck and go back to Marina to deliver every sunday. Its sad I go over to Ft Ord to look around or use the exchange. Sad to see the Ft gone

Date:

11 May 2000

Time:

10:59:29

Name or Email

Phil Foster pfooster@meridiancg.com

Comments

Hello Lightfighters, anyone from C 5/21 drop me a line! Or check out our website at <http://www.geocities.com/fortordalumni/>

Date:

11 May 2000

Time:

19:06:02

Name or Email

lana walters

Comments

lived at Ft. Ord for four years. Didn't like it then but miss it now.

Date:

12 May 2000

Time:

16:17:29

Name or Email

Dennis Stirlen

Comments

Been there, trained there.

Date:

12 May 2000

Time:

20:54:51

Name or Email

jfforster@yahoo.com

Comments

Feb-Aug 70 - D-1-1 for Basic, then AIT, then off to Nam. Someone asked about the obstacle course? As of three years ago (the day Clinton spoke at the newly inaugurated Monterey Peninsula Bay college), the course was still there and my 15 year old stepdaughter and I did it. (Okay, all but the parallel monkey bars, but they gave me trouble back then too!)

Date:

14 May 2000

Time:

04:58:00

Name or Email

MATUTED@NETSCAPE.NET OR MATUTED@IWON.COM

Comments

IN 1968 JOIN ARMY AND WENT TO FORT ORD FOR BASIC TRAINING ,HAD MY BASIC TRAINING H-H-4-1,AFTER HEARING ABOUT THE CLOSER OF FORT ORD,IT REMIND ME OF THE TRAINING AND ALL OF GOOD TIME,AND FRIEND I HAD MADE WHILE GOING THREW BASIC,ITS IS SAID HEARING OF THE CLOSING. ANY ONE WHO WAS IN H-H-4-1 1968 MAY 20 DROP ME LINE. AND WAS IN NAM!1968 TO SEPTEMBER 1970 54TH SIGNAL BATTALION IN NHA TRANG

Date:

15 May 2000

Time:

09:16:24

Name or Email

pvt johann r sedlak

Comments

20., meldemannstr 25 vienna austria 1963 basic up the hill a11 1st Lt broun was my commander. im from austria. sent me a magazin of fort ord. thank you. i could not speak english.how is Lt brown. fort ord. how is Lt brown. please write.

Date:

16 May 2000

Time:

11:59:07

Name or Email

sbohannon@pebco.com

Comments

would be glad to hear from anyone from D-5-3 basic training july-sep 1971

Date:
18 May 2000

Time:
01:30:21

Name or Email

ajdelgado@mail.com

Comments

I was stationed in Ord between Nov. 89 and Nov 92 with A co. 4/21 INF (Coldsteel). Would like to hear from anyone from that era.

Date:
18 May 2000

Time:
15:07:04

Name or Email

PHIL VINCENT

Comments

HAD FUN DURING MY STAY IN '92-94 I WAS IN THE 14TH COMBAT ENGINEER BN

Date:
19 May 2000

Time:
21:20:05

Name or Email

sbell@cloh.net

Comments

alot of good memories at fort ord.

Date:

21 May 2000

Time:

21:30:59

Name or Email

Doc666USMC@AOL.Com

Comments

A Historical Military Landmark and a Library should be housed in one of the original buildings. Fort Ord will be remembered by those that were stationed there in the many past years. As a part of the California State University system with education a major activity is a very excellent use of these facilities.

I remember my Proud, Highly Decorated, U. S. Army Brother, First Sgt. Kenneth E. Fornof, who was stationed there and he spent much time at the Presideo upon returning from two tours in both Korea and Viet Nam.

Sgt. S. Ray Fornof 666th Platoon "The Devil's Squad" The United States Marine Corps

Date:

22 May 2000

Time:

21:45:48

Name or Email

cliff Groff, ccgroff@owt.com

Comments

I was inducted in 1953, just after the Korean War ended and had my basic training there in Co. A, 1st Inf. Reg., 6th Inf. division. I was most proud to have served. Later had Combat Engineer Training at Ft. Leonardwood, Mo., and later shipped to Ft. Buckner, Okinawa. I was separated from the Army at Ft. Ord. in Sept. 1955 and spent 6 years in enlisted reserves.

Date:

23 May 2000

Time:

17:05:05

Name or Email

at8070@yahoo.com

Comments

My family history is jumbled, and I am trying to sort it out. I know that my grandfather, Ernest Bare, fought in World War II. Recently, I found an old autograph book of my grandmother's entitled "Friends from Fort Ord". Her name was Dorothy "Dottie" Bare. From what I can gather she worked at a laundry place in May and June of 1944. Any information anyone has about them would much appreciated. Thank you.

Date:

24 May 2000

Time:

22:03:51

Name or Email

Mick Batton usrngr@lwol.com

Comments

I was at Fort Ord May 1968 and went to the hill. I did my BCT D33 there where I had Sgt. Bolima. I was in the 4th Plt. Anyone that was there then please email me. I have a number of pictures I took on my last visit. The place is run down but its still beautiful

Date:
25 May 2000

Time:
20:05:38

Name or Email

bnschu@baraboo.com

Comments

I was there in feb 73 for basic training and my father was there just after wwII.I would like to see a picture of stillwall hall or whatever it was called .It was a night club by the ocean

Date:
26 May 2000

Time:
17:03:17

Name or Email

Recondonick@aol.com

Comments

Hey:

Anybody else out there who did BCT with D 2/3 5 MAR 74? Chong, Troianni check in, maybe.

Nick

Date:

29 May 2000

Time:

01:39:24

Name or Email

Len Gallo MrEyeSky@aol.com

Comments

Drafted May 1968...Fort Ord Basic Training D-3-1. AIT and worked in Motor Pool Dispatcher. Sent to Vietnam 1969. Anyone remember SGT. Long from Texas from Basic? Called us "F" Heads. Thanks Long...I came HOME.

Date:

29 May 2000

Time:

19:36:07

Name or Email

LORINSDAD@AOL.COM

Comments

I was there July of 1966. It was "GREAT" to see the pictures. My drill Sergeant was SSG Madison. I have a lot of memories. It's sad to see the base close. We drove thru when they first started closing the base and you could see all around that the writing was on the wall. We stopped at a GREAT cafe in town. "MOMS KITCHEN"??? Hope at least it's still around. Anyone else around that was part of Co.D, 3d Batt., 3d Brig. training in July of 1966?

Date:

02 Jun 2000

Time:

00:55:55

Name or Email

Stuart Haas

Comments

was stationed at Fort Ord 89-91 with HHC 2/9 INF. Manhus, really loved Fort Ord and all my fellow soldiers at 2/9. Went back justlast weekend over the memorial day holiday and it really bummed me out.

Date:

02 Jun 2000

Time:

00:55:56

Name or Email

Stuart Haas

Comments

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Date:

03 Jun 2000

Time:

16:07:42

Name or Email

rktman124@aol.com

Comments

went walking through the old c-4-3 basic training area on arnhem rd. pretty sad condition , but brings back memories of when i had returned from vietnam and was a drill sgt in that unit. i was there on

memorial day and it looked as if alot of past soldiers were in the area taking a trip down memory lane. i was A-1 3 for basic in dec 67... drill sgt at C-4-3 aug 69-to sept 70...

Date:

04 Jun 2000

Time:

09:12:07

Name or Email

Joan Kimbrough-Lewis formerly Joan Boswell

Comments

My first duty station. If you were at HHC DISCOM with 1SG Charles Bousquette, CPT Miller, CPT Glass, Spec Kehn, SFC Mickle, SSG Weaver/Hanes, SSG Jones, between the years 1986-1989, email me at joankl@hotmail.com or visit my website at <http://www.poemsbyjoan.faithweb.com>

Theresa Barksdale I am searching for you!

Date:

04 Jun 2000

Time:

18:10:51

Name or Email

lksam99@yahoo.com

Comments

I did basic training at Ft. Ord in 1961. Drafted in August 61, when the Berlin wall went up.

Date:

04 Jun 2000

Time:

21:22:18

Name or Email

MATUTED@NETSCAPE.NET

Comments

ROBER FONG IF YOU ARE STILL ON LINE DROP ME A LINE I WAS ON THE HILL IN 68 AT H-4-1 LIKE TALK ABOUT THE OLD TIME DOMINGO MATUTE HAWAII

Date:

06 Jun 2000

Time:

01:43:08

Name or Email

Dave Wittich dwwsnw@shentel.net

Comments

Nice to see the old Fort remembered by someone other than me. Was stationed at the Presidio in 1972, lived on Ft Ord.

Date:

06 Jun 2000

Time:

22:49:52

Name or Email

robert may a btry 2/8 fa

Comments

its great to see ft. ord remembered still. i enjoyed 3 years of my life there. a lot of history was made there. i made alot of friends and memories. i enjoyed being a part of the artillery unit there. king of battle always. hooo waaaa!!!!

Date:

07 Jun 2000

Time:

01:46:49

Name or Email

mrbarne@banet.net

Comments

Just surfed on - great site. I was stationed at the "Planet" from 1/86 to 5/88 with the 7th MP CO Nice to see some of the old stomping grounds again. "Bayonets Best"

Date:

07 Jun 2000

Time:

13:30:58

Name or Email

Sgt Bob Matthews; countybob@aol.com

Comments

One of the initial "Light Fighters" at planet Ord. There from Jan 83 to Oct 86. First with B 2/17 and later designated as 4/9 Manchu. But we will always be known best as "Animals" Keep up the fire..... And to all former "Animals" or Manchus, I am still out in Vegas.... Come see me.

Date:

10 Jun 2000

Time:

13:35:01

Name or Email

Sam Gleaton

Comments

Went thru basic training & a.i.t from Nov.,1967 thru Mar.,1968. Tom Selleck (actor)was in my platoon. Would not like to repeat experiences but would not trade them for anything! Thanks for the opportunity to record this note in your guest book.

Date:

12 Jun 2000

Time:

02:20:52

Name or Email

Dan Rainbolt penguin@mlode.com

Comments

I was at Fort Ord in 72-75 was in B-CO 14 Engineers if you were to please write me . I go back once a year for old memories Dan R

Date:

13 Jun 2000

Time:

01:19:45

Name or Email

jpmillman@yahoo.com

Comments

A co.2/9 Inf Reg We sure had a lot of fun and hard work growing up.

Date:

13 Jun 2000

Time:

11:53:18

Name or Email

hogtailes@msn.com

Comments

you need more pitchers of the back days and all the units, like the 151 ada units,ok thank you.

Date:

13 Jun 2000

Time:

12:13:23

Name or Email

hogtailes@msn.com

Comments

hi my name is kevin freland, looking for old friends with hhq 151 ada unit any out there? had very good times out there.this was my first unit i spent three years out there and made alot good people.or call me at 8609355393.

Date:

14 Jun 2000

Time:

15:00:22

Name or Email

ron@chroma.net

Comments

I was in Basic Training in July, 1968! Then off to Vietnam. I have an extra book, like an annual of Basic Training, for sale at Ebay 6/14/00 to 6/22/00 if you're interested. Go to Ebay and search on this item number: 357993859 I was back there recently, to use an ATM at the credit union. Saw the very same barracks that I was in for basic training. What a trip! Ron

Date:

15 Jun 2000

Time:

11:46:15

Name or Email

cpowe@mail.ci.lubbock.tx.us

Comments

I was stationed at Ord from 02/84 to 04/86. I was at G2 and HHC 7th Inf, HQ Co. I am amazed at how quickly the mission of light infantry progressed to base closure. Alot of memories and good times. Great site!! Thanks for the chance to re-live some of those earlier & simple times!!!

Lt. Chris Powe O5G, G2, M.I.

Date:

16 Jun 2000

Time:

17:21:46

Name or Email

Kara M. Chamberlin

Comments

My father was stationed at Fort Ord during 1986-1992. Best years of my life. I was in the school system at the fort. Would like to find a few people. IF anyone remembers me or knows of me or my father, Major G. Chamberlin, please contact me at KaraMiekaChamberlin@yahoo.com

Date:

17 Jun 2000

Time:

11:40:26

Name or Email

John T Kearns,Jr.

Comments

Date:

17 Jun 2000

Time:

11:57:33

Name or Email

John T Kearns,Jr.

Comments

Was at Fort Ord Mar- Aug 58 19th. Ord. Co. Most of those few months were at Hunter Ligget and Camp Roberts.

Date:

17 Jun 2000

Time:

23:14:04

Name or Email

Walt Marshall, wlm789@peoplepc.com

Comments

Glad to run across this site! I was stationed at Fort Ord several times in between tours in Vietnam: 84th Engineer Battalion in '64-65, 542nd Medical Clearing Co, '65-66 (went with unit to Qui Nhon, S. Vietnam), 41st Infantry Battalion (part of USACDCEC) in '66-67, then went to 73rd Armor Battalion at Camp Roberts, '67-'69. Returned to HHC, USACDCEC in August '72. Great to see pictures of the old place, and hope the civilian communities preserve at least part of the memories. Any old friends, who were there, drop me an e-mail!

Date:

20 Jun 2000

Time:

00:25:19

Name or Email

OTANIC001@HAWAII.RR.COM

Comments

MY NAME IS GORDON I WAS IN A-5-1 BACK IN JULY TO OCTOBER 1972,HAD A GREAT TIME, LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Date:

21 Jun 2000

Time:

10:47:26

Name or Email

Andrew LaFountain (astrooa@ureach.com)

Comments

I lived in Fort Ord in the 1980's.

Date:

22 Jun 2000

Time:

20:22:15

Name or Email

william734

Comments

I signed guest book on 9 April. You who are looking for others might try www.gisearch.com

Date:

23 Jun 2000

Time:

15:49:24

Name or Email

gcochran-pensacola@worldnet.att.net

Comments

I was stationed at Ft. Ord from May, 1962 through November, 1964. I'm looking for any pictures or aerial views of the old post, then and now. You have done a great job on this. Gerald E. Cochran

Date:

24 Jun 2000

Time:

15:11:31

Name or Email

mason@mbay.net

Comments

I was stationed at Ft Ord in 1972 for basic training I was disapointed to see it inactivated

Date:

25 Jun 2000

Time:

00:55:10

Name or Email

R.Fraschetti@ponl.com

Comments

Date:

25 Jun 2000

Time:

17:14:05

Name or Email

Lisa Daly Lisa Daly

Comments

I was born here at Fort Ord in 1960. Thanks for your website.

Date:

25 Jun 2000

Time:

17:18:46

Name or Email

Lisa Daly

Comments

I was born here at Fort Ord in 1960. Thanks for your website.

Date:

26 Jun 2000

Time:

16:54:27

Name or Email

K. Choate

Comments

You guy's have an awesome site but need more photo's from the Light fighter day's... Many units deployed and participated in history..IE: MFO Siani JTF Brovo Honduras, Operation "Just Cause" Where is the illustration "The Light Fighter"? If you need some picture's or essay history Let us know... From reading the Log there are a lot of us out there...

Date:

27 Jun 2000

Time:

15:33:50

Name or Email

Thomas R. Atkinson tatkinson@1st.net

Comments

Some of life's experiences can't be expressed -- they can only be felt.

Date:

27 Jun 2000

Time:

15:58:03

Name or Email

STEVEN W. HAMILTON/hami46@hotmail.com

Comments

I TOOK MY BOOT CAMP TRAINING AT FORT ORD IN 1966

Date:

02 Jul 2000

Time:

17:50:38

Name or Email

PFC Rimsek E-mail sugarboy@dp.net

Comments

I was also of the 3/27 Inf. Pfc. Post you rememered me wow; I havnt seen anyone since i got out. Ft. ORD was the best I wouldn't have left if it wouldn't of closed. I would of lived in Monteray Bay.

Date:

03 Jul 2000

Time:

20:35:26

Name or Email

jcpygott1@yahoo.com

Comments

Pfc. James C pygott RA17384431 Co.D. 1ST Bat 10th INF.Reg; 5th INF. Division Fort Ord, California 1956 to 1958 was in there with my buddy that I still get to see once a year Jerry Hensley. He now lives in El Cajon, Ca. SN is RA17384431 stationed in Fort Ord 1956 to 1958 left in April 11th of 58. I was in the company D 1st bat, 10th inf. regiment. 5TH inf. division 1954 to 1958 also in Gabilan Kasern Germany. If anyone knows of any of our old Army buddies whereabouts would love to have them send me an e-mail I would enjoy hearing from them. I talk to Jerry on the phone at least a few times a year. I had a lot of memories there I LOVE CALIFORNIA. It is a very beautiful place. Thanks Jim

Date:

07 Jul 2000

Time:

08:55:02

Name or Email

Jim Wood (woodeye851@aol.com)

Comments

I was stationed at Fort Ord from 6/66 to 8/66 for AIT. The vast majority of us were all from New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. We trained as mortar crewmen and were on our way to Viet Nam. To our pleasant surprise we received our orders and were shipped to Germany as replacements. It was my first trip to California and what I saw of it was great. I can remember those days back in 1966 when we marched from the barracks area, over the hill and to the ranges. How cold it was down around sea level and how hot it got up in the hills.

Date:

13 Jul 2000

Time:

15:27:00

Name or Email

Amber - allen2001@earthlink.net

Comments

My Husband and I live on Fort Ord. My hubby is at the Presidio of Monterey, (GO ARMY). I'm really interested in the history of this place. One thing that is really interesting to me right now is finding out where Comanche the horse is buried. I've read stories and scene pictures of him and now I would like to find where his resting place is. If anyone has any info. please e-mail me.

Date:

13 Jul 2000

Time:

17:55:31

Name or Email

woodeye851@aol.com

Comments

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Jim Wood

Date:

13 Jul 2000

Time:

17:56:18

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Jim Wood

Date:

14 Jul 2000

Time:

10:35:07

Name or Email

MichelleS@Palaver-Com.com

Comments

I am looking for a man by the name of Frank Ortez. His nickname was "Frenchie". He was stationed at Fort Ord in 1968. If anyone has information on how I can contact him please e-mail me at MichelleS@Palaver-Com.com

Date:

17 Jul 2000

Time:

23:08:26

Name or Email

drickhoff

2social.rr.com

Comments

alpha 6 3 1974 had a blast in basic

Date:

18 Jul 2000

Time:

01:15:27

Name or Email

Troy Cutkomp/ tmds68@yahoo.com

Comments

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Date:

20 Jul 2000

Time:

16:29:33

Name or Email

TKOSHIP@ITCTEL.COM

Comments

MY NAME IS BOB HAYES I TOOK BASIC TRAINING AND AIT AT FORT ORD IN JULY THRU NOVEMBER. MY COMPANY IN BASIC TRAINING WAS A-4-3. MY DRILL SERGEANT WAS NAMED HERNANDEZ. I WAS WANDERING IF THERE IS ANYBODY OUT THERE THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN IN THE TRAINING CYCLE. I SURE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM SOMEONE.

Date:

21 Jul 2000

Time:

00:43:14

Name or Email

klington1@freedsl.com

Comments

I dug up this site because a friend and co-worker joined the Army and then was sent to Fort Ord for Basic. Good photos.

Date:

21 Jul 2000

Time:

16:41:42

Name or Email

Michael Paul boonter@earthlink.net

Comments

found the page on a search engine I was at Fort Ord for basic Inf. training in 1959 went on to Fort Gordon Ga., then Korea, then to Fort MacArthur. you brought back memories.

Date:

22 Jul 2000

Time:

20:09:21

Name or Email

Terry Drown spaceghost1@excite.com

Terry A Drown spaceghost1@excite.com

Comments

Hi again, Been going through all the entrys and am still looking for people who belong to B troop 2/10 Air Cav.from 76 to 78.Found folks but where there later or bad e-mail.I used to be a POL type on the flight line and went all over the place-only driver the section had for a long time.So if you know any one that was with 2/10 pass on the e-mail. Some day will get back there,Later!!!

Date:

22 Jul 2000

Time:

21:46:55

Name or Email

Wayne J. Creasap

Comments

Interesting information.

Date:

26 Jul 2000

Time:

17:10:06

Name or Email

SPC.WATERS DENNIS dwa643277@yahoo.com

Comments

LOOKING FOR VETS THAT SEVERD WITH A. CO.3/17 BETWEEN 1989-1992. AN SERVED DURING JUST CAUSE. MOST PEOPLE KNEW ME AS (BULL) PLEASE WRITE dwa643277@yahoo.com

Date:

26 Jul 2000

Time:

17:37:52

Name or Email

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Date:

26 Jul 2000

Time:

21:45:43

Name or Email

Fred Graham (ew1usnav@cvc.net)

Comments

Went through Army Basic Training (Aug-Oct 1961) with B-3-1 at the corner of 6th and Gigling.

Date:

28 Jul 2000

Time:

14:33:43

Name or Email

johnmira@usa.net

Comments

I did basic and AIT at Ord from April to August of 1970. It's very interesting to see what has been happening to the old place. Anyone else out there from A-1-1 or D-2-2? I'd like to hear from you.

Date:

29 Jul 2000

Time:

15:48:48

Name or Email

mjb@apip.net

Comments

My father was stationed at Fort Ord in 1975 the year I was born. He loved it there