

Fort Ord Guestbook

November 2004

Date:

01 Nov 2004

Time:

23:57:39

Name or Email

sheevner@yahoo.com

Comments

I served with A co. 2/27 inf. "Asskickers" from 1989-2003. Nothing like the cold weapons ranges or the over 200 days a year in the field. It made me what I am today and I would love to talk to any other Wolfhounds from that time period. God Bless you all.

Date:

02 Nov 2004

Time:

18:37:08

Name or Email

Kara M Chamberlin KaraMiekaChamberlin@yahoo.com

Comments

I been here to this site back in 99. I just wanted to add that my email has changed to the one above. I was an Army brat stationed at Fort Ord with my father back in the mid 80s early 90s. Feel free to email me.

Date:

03 Nov 2004

Time:

14:29:49

Name or Email

Kevin Romere kevinromere@hotmail.com

Comments

I was a medic in the 4/17 from 1986 to 1989. I have a lot of great memories from those years and this is a wonderful website that brings those memories back. Keep up the good work and I look forward to getting in touch with my fellow Buffalos. Thanks for all your work.

Date:

04 Nov 2004

Time:

13:37:23

Name or Email

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Comments

I live in granite city Il ,I was in 802 engineeas I was an e5 ,I was station there from 1962 to1964 . I would to contact Paul Shadwell

Date:

04 Nov 2004

Time:

19:26:41

Name or Email

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Comments

I would like pictures or any info you have on the Andrew P. Porter youth center. Andy was my brother and I haven't been over there since the dedication of the building so many years ago. Thank you,
Bronwyn Luna

Date:

07 Nov 2004

Time:

14:39:44

Name or Email

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Comments

Open letter to all you D.I.'s My BCT was C-2-1, Nov-'68 / Jan '69. It was hard work and such an experience that anyone who did it will never forget it. You guys were as tough as your reputation and I developed alot of respect for the hard work it took to train us maggots to be some kind of a soldier. My 'Nam tour(s) were Nov '69 / Jul '71 and I was lucky enough to come home. After that I swore that if I ever saw another DI I would thank him for the job he did. Well, I haven't seen one so this is my first opportunity. Thanks alot!

Date:

07 Nov 2004

Time:

22:51:59

Name or Email

Mike Scraggs mscraggs@aol.com

Comments

I was in the 54th MP Co Sept'71 to Feb'73. Worked in the Stockade. First guestbook entry in Aug'99.

Date:

08 Nov 2004

Time:

12:20:53

Name or Email

roywade@msn.com

Comments

I was at Ft.Ord back in 1975 in Supply & Maintance Co. call CDEC I was also TDY at Fort Hunter Liggett up until 1977 when I was honorably discharged as and (SP4) 31E20 Feild Radio Repairman

Date:

08 Nov 2004

Time:

12:40:00

Name or Email

Roy Lee Wade - roywade@msn

Comments

I was at Ft.Ord back in 1975 in Supply & Maintance Co. call CDEC I was also TDY at Fort Hunter Liggett up until 1977 when I was honorably discharged as and (SP5 not and SP4) 31E20 Feild Radio Repairman. God Bless all who have serve their country as I have.

Date:

08 Nov 2004

Time:

16:43:07

Name or Email

Bill Wolf sndgowolf@aol.com

Comments

I went to Basic in D-4-3 in June of 1968. After AIT (11B) and a year in Nam, I returned to Ft Ord to go

to Drill Sergeant School. As coincidence would have it, I was assigned back to D-4-3 as a Drill Sergeant and relieved my D.S. I had for Basic! Stayed there from 1970 to 1972. Was one of the youngest Drill Sergeants - graduated from DS School two weeks before my 20th birthday. Ft Ord will always have fond memories for me. Now my 18 year old son is at Ft. Benning in Basic - graduates Nov 18, 2004. Duty / Honor / Country!

Date:

11 Nov 2004

Time:

23:34:20

Name or Email

suptman64@yahoo.com

Comments

Happy Veterans Day, 11/1104 My name is Rich. I was stationed at Ord in 66/67. I was a chaplains assistant an the Main Post Chapel and was later tdy at Camp Roberts. I have some really great memories of Ord. I went to Light Vehicle Drivers School for AIT there. How often I think of that place and tell stories of great times.

Date:

12 Nov 2004

Time:

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Name or Email

suptman64@yahoo.com

Comments

Was at Ord 66/67. Hq & Hq Company. I was a chaplains assistant at the Post Chapel. Had so many great times in Monterey, Seaside, Carmel, Big Sur, Cannery Row. I used to go to a place called the Outrigger on Cannery Row to hear Jerry Winters and Sue Scott entertain. Great times. Rich

Date:

12 Nov 2004

Time:

02:06:10

Name or Email

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Comments

SP4, Bob Dew, 6th Army, D-4-1, Company Clerk, 1970-1972 Honorable Discharge. Good times bad times we had a few.

Date:

12 Nov 2004

Time:

15:00:21

Name or Email

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Comments

I was stationed at Ft Ord in late 1971 for Basic & AIT (B-1-2 for both), then returned in Feb 1973, assigned to CDEC Experimentation Battalion going back and forth from Ord to Hunter Liggett Military Reservation (HLMR) (now known as Ft Hunter Liggett) thru late Sept. '74. Lived in nearby Sand City. Seaside & Monterey was (and probably still is) a nice place to live and work.

Date:

15 Nov 2004

Time:

22:26:29

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Comments

D-9-3 Oct. 1960 to mar 1961

Date:

15 Nov 2004

Time:

23:22:55

Name or Email

Timothy R. Jordan

Comments

I took basic training at Fort ord, from Jun-Sep 1970, I was with C-2-3 and can remember taking those morning runs around that big track in the middle of the 3rd BCT Brigade Barracks. I remember the three story barracks and the squad bays on each side, the single drill sergeants and other cadre lived in rooms in the center of each floor and I remember them coming out and yelling at all of us when we made to much noise. I remember us be called Trainees and Shitheads. Those long double times, and the low crawl punishments, as well as foot locker drill up and down the stairs. I also went directly to Infantry AIT on the hill in the old WWII barracks and the runs up and down those big hills, and watching other trainees and AIT soldiers falling on the ground and being screamed at, such as you candy asses, sissy's, etc. I beleive that soldiers trained during those days were far better trained than the new soldiers of today. The Army should go back to that style again. I work for the Navy on a Marine base and have for over 20 years. To this day I still do not undersatnd how the Marines training is called harder than the Armys. The people who say that never trained at Fort Ord. Keep this up as it has brought back fond memories of my youth. At 53 and retired after serving 26 years in the military, both active and reserve. I wish I still had my old Fort Ord year book, but after all these years it was lost. Thank You again.

Date:

17 Nov 2004

Time:

11:41:28

Name or Email

James Nelson wa7jn@aol.com

Comments

I was stationed at Ft Ord for basic traning 1964 July-Aug. Had a lot of great friends there but lost track of them.

Date:

17 Nov 2004

Time:

21:08:25

Name or Email

LTC John M Whitaker

Comments

I took basic at Ft Ord in the fall of '73. Charlie 3-1. The Battalion Cdr was Ltc William E. Missledine a close friend of my father's. The tng I rcvd at Ft Ord remained with me to this day. I am an Infantry Officer and AIRBORNE!

Date:

19 Nov 2004

Time:

10:35:27

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Comments

CS 2nd/9th Infantry (Manchus) Keep up the fire The years were 1983-1985. I had a great experience at Fort Ord. I love this web page it brought back alot of great memories! Thanks great job!

Date:

19 Nov 2004

Time:

18:55:00

Name or Email

Mike Boelman Rudeeb1 @aol.com

Comments

served with C/Co 4/17th INF 89-92 Had alot of good memories with all my old friends.

Date:

21 Nov 2004

Time:

18:07:23

Name or Email

Sgt. Carter

Comments

When did "F Troop" 707th Maint. Bn. get redesignated as E Co. When I was there, E Co. was the aviation maint company but was moved out of the Bn and attached to the An Bn.

Date:

21 Nov 2004

Time:

23:16:58

Name or Email

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Comments

Took my basic at ORD, and AIT BAAC. I took a drive through today. The Hill is weed chocked, windows groken out. The Doughboy Theater is somewhat intact, the side doors forced open. The toilet works! So sad to see where I suffered through basic and the Quartermaster area where we received our first uniforms in such delapitdated shape. In some way I felt violated. Something I didn't expect to feel. Thanks DI Manolo. I did learn!

Date:

22 Nov 2004

Time:

20:18:04

Name or Email

Bruce Seybert whizman44@wmconnect.com

Comments

I did my Basic Training in jun of 1974 in H-5-3 then did my AIT in Transportation there as well then went to CDEC and TDY to Trans company CDEC at Hunter-Liggett Military Reservation until Dec 1975 Had great Times there anybody from 3rd Platoon Trans company CDEC had SSGT Maclamore I turned 18 at Liggett and what a Party it was! Hello from See-Puppy

Date:

22 Nov 2004

Time:

23:49:18

Name or Email

Edd Holman Edduhduh@aol.com

Comments

I was stationed there in Bravo 7/15 FA, from Jan 88 until Nov 90. SSG Kreeger was my Section chief, SFC Umetsu was Smoke, and 1SG was Larry Bryd. I forget our CPT's name. I remember Hurricane Hugo in North Carolina, and Operation Just Cause in Panama, both in 89. Fond memories of B Btry 7/15 FA.

Date:

23 Nov 2004

Time:

17:47:50

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ahistorybuff@hotmail.com

Comments

I am making another entry in the guestbook. I am impressed at all the possitive entries in the book. I was

at Ft. Ord May to July 1962 for basic. I was drafted, but still had 3 duty stations beside Ft. Ord during my 2 yr. period. The best by far was Ft. Ord. I had an opportunity to go back for a visit this summer. It was sad to see the base in its present condition. Does make a statement that nothing in this life is permanent. A former recruit at Ft. Ord Larry Vellema

Date:

24 Nov 2004

Time:

14:19:56

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Comments

Was station at Fort Ord Ca July 64 to Sept 64 Co B 4 1 would like to get in contact with old army buddies

Date:

25 Nov 2004

Time:

12:07:48

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Comments

I will dig up my pix from my time at Ft. Ord. Summer of 70. C-4-3 BCT and H-4-2 AIT, good old 11B. Hated it while I was there but don't regret one moment. Gave me a perspective on life I will never forget. Took my boys through there many years ago and was amazed at the changes.

Date:

26 Nov 2004

Time:

08:54:49

Name or Email

J.W. Albright frisbee185@earthlink.net

Comments

I was stationed @ the Planet Ord 77 thru 80 .B co 2/17 Inf. BUFFALO'S . Was also asigned to the 7 AIT provisional company. I have several addresses ans alot of pictures from that era . I am looking for some of the fellows I served with during that time . FTX's from Hunter Ligget , Camp Roberts , Coranodo / SEAL's cross training & the Mohavie desert . Hope to hear from you guys ! BUFFALO !!

Date:

27 Nov 2004

Time:

10:35:26

Name or Email

John.brattain@us.army.mil

Comments

I was with E Co. 123rd Avn and 2/9 Cavalry (Recon) until 1993. I went back to "Planet Ord" while I bringing equipment back from Iraq for the 4th ID (2004). I have to say I was very disappointed at what I saw. Everything was overgrown with vegetation and not kept up at all.

Date:

27 Nov 2004

Time:

14:44:01

Name or Email

Timothy Curtis Wright

Comments

Hi, I am on the search of my father. I was born in fort ord on the 01 November 78. My father was in this in the time of in fort ord stations. I didn't have any contact with my father since now more than 20 years. My mother is from Germany and I since at that time now lives here. My father is called Andrew D. Wright , born at the 31. March 1955 in Shorter, Alabama. My mother is called Heidi Irma Hofmann. If somebody knows my father by chance or knows where he/it is, or you you been well received feels, I would be very happy to hear from you. You must forgive me my bad one English. I am already my whole one lives here. Greetingses from the cold Germany. Timothy

Date:

27 Nov 2004

Time:

14:46:27

Name or Email

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Comments

I forget the email adress. T.wright@arcor.de

Date:

27 Nov 2004

Time:

19:30:25

Name or Email

Dale Shankle daleshankle@bigfoot.com

Comments

I was with HHC, USACDEC from 3/67 to 9/67, after rotating back stateside I spent about half of the

time at Hunter Liggett. Was there for the Monterey Youth Festival in 67. I was a little out of place with my hair cut but it was sure something to see. Enjoyed my last few months at Ord, it was the nicest Post I was stationed at. Sorry that other GIs will not have the opportunity will to enjoy the absolutely beautiful scenery of that location.

Date:

27 Nov 2004

Time:

20:36:49

Name or Email

Marty

Comments

I was in A 2/27 INF from 1988 to 1990. I would like to hear from the other Wolfhound who was there at the same time.

Date:

28 Nov 2004

Time:

06:45:33

Name or Email

John Cox johnlizz@adelphia.net

Comments

Was just reading some of the comments, when I ran across one from J. W. Albright. I was stationed with B. co. 2/17 th Infantry from 77 to 79. It jogged my memory of those day's. My wife and I still love that area and try and return a couple times a year to the Monterey area. Sad to see Ft. Ord in such a state (like a ghost town). I saw Bill Hick's & his wife this summer first time in 25 yrs. Would enjoy hearing from anyone stationed in Bco 2/17 Inf. during that time.

Date:

28 Nov 2004

Time:

15:08:23

Name or Email

Rr4alb

Comments

was at ord aug 69-dec70 41st infantry f co,cdcec