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DIARY OF EVENTS

(Record of changes of location, designation and operational moves)

May 1900	-	Formed at CHATHAM as a <u>Fd Coy</u>
Aug 1903	-	BULFORD
Oct 1906	-	CURRAGH with 5 Div
Aug 1914	-	FRANCE with 5 Div
Dec 1917	-	ITALY
Apr 1918	-	FRANCE
May 1919	-	CURRAGH, still with 5 Div
Jan 1922	-	CARRICKFERGUS
Mar 1923	-	SHORNCLIFFE
May 1924	-	CATTERICK
Nov 1929	-	BORDON
Oct 1930	-	CANTERBURY with 4 Div
Oct 1939	-	FRANCE
Jun 1940	-	UK
Mar 1943	-	N. AFRICA with 4 Div
Dec 1943	-	EGYPT
Feb 1944	-	ITALY
Dec 1944	-	GREECE
Jun 1946	-	EGYPT
May 1947	-	<u>Disbanded</u> in Egypt
Jan 1950	-	Formed as a <u>Fd Sqn</u> in 32 Aslt Engr Regt, at PERHAM DOWN by re-titling 44 Fd Sqn
1954	-	Redesignated an <u>Airfield Const Sqn</u>
Aug 1956	-	Left the Regt and moved to CHATHAM under Comd SME
Nov 1957	-	Moved to RIPON to join 38 Corps Engr Regt
Jan 1958	-	Flew to CHRISTMAS ISLAND with the Regt
1958	-	Redesignated a <u>Fd Sqn</u>
Dec 1958	-	Returned to CHATHAM under Comd SME
Feb 1959	-	Absorbed 66 Indep Fd Sqn
Aug 1960	-	To CAMEROONS, leaving a Det under 40 SME Sqn
Jun 1961	-	Returned to CHATHAM under Comd SME

- Jan 1962 - Rundown to a Cadre and amalgamated with B Sqn of The Depot
Regt to form 59 SME Sqn in Brompton Barracks
- Jul 1962 - SME granted title Royal and Sqn becomes 59 RSME Sqn
- Dec 1962 - Re-titled 36 RSME Sqn
- Apr 1963 - Formed as a Fd Sqn in 36 Corps Engr Regt at MAIDSTONE
- May 1963 - Moved to SHORNCLIFFE but still under Comd 36 Regt
- Jan 1964 - Left the Regt and flew to THAILAND on Op Crown (airfield
construction) with the Sqn base in SINGAPORE
- Dec 1965 - Returned to SINGAPORE
- May 1966 - To THAILAND on Op Crown
- Oct 1966 - Returned to SINGAPORE
- Jan 1967 - Came under Comd 3 Commando Bde
- Apr 1971 - Redesignated 59 Indep Cdo Sqn
- May 1971 - To PLYMOUTH
- Oct 1971 - Condor Tp moves permanently to ARBROATH in Sp 45 Cdo Bde
- Jul-Nov 1972 - In N. IRELAND
- Mar-Jul 1974 - In N. IRELAND less 2 Tp and Condor Tp
- Feb-Jun 1976 - In N. IRELAND
- 10 Jun-22 Oct 1980 - In N. IRELAND
- 5 Apr-11 Jul 1982 - In Sp 3 Cdo in FALKLAND ISLANDS operations
- ? 1991 - To NORTHERN IRAQ on Op Haven
- 1995 - Re-locate to RMB CHIVENOR
- ? -? 1998 - In N. IRELAND

May 1900	-	Capt H W Weeks	-	Maj Chambers
Oct 1900	-	Lt E N Mozley	1957	- Maj C T P Holland
			1961	- Maj H P Cunningham
			1963	- Maj C A Bramwell
			Aug 1965	- Maj M G L Roberts MBE
1912	-	Maj G Walker	Sep 1967	- Maj GW Preston-Jones MBE
Dec 1914	-	Capt W H Johnston VC	Sep 1969	- Maj J B Grosvenor
Feb 1915	-	Bt Lt Col J R White	Jun 1971	- Maj G R Owens
May 1916	-	Capt M E Morgan	Jul 1973	- Maj G A Hewish
Dec 1917	-	Maj M C Cloutman VC	Jan 1976	- Maj G W Field MBE
			Jan 1978	- Maj R Lean-Vercoe
1919	-	Capt Sharp	Dec 1980	- Maj R Macdonald
Jan 1920	-	Capt C de C E Findlay VC MC		
May 1920	-	Maj R A S Mansel MC	Jul 1983	- Maj T G Hoddinott
Jul 1920	-	Maj J Dove-Park DSO	Feb 1986	- Maj M R Campbell
Jan 1921	-	Capt H G Pyne	Dec 1987	- Maj A B Kerr
Sep 1921	-	Maj H R P Reynolds	Dec 1989	- Maj R C Hendicott
Mar 1922	-	Maj A J Darlington DSO		
Mar 1924	-	Capt C de C E Findlay VC MC		
Jan 1928	-	Bt Lt Col A E Grasett DSO MC		
Dec 1929	-	Maj S J Armstrong	Jan 1992	- Maj M P Carter
Aug 1932	-	Maj E A Robinson MC	Jan 1994	- Maj B J Legrys
Mar 1936	-	Bt Lt Col K N Crawford MC	Sep 1995	- Maj A G L Tronlan
Feb 1937	-	Maj W W Boggs		
Jun 1937	-	Maj E N Clifton		
	-	Maj Chambers		
Sep 1939	-	Maj A J MacDonald		
Jun 1940	-	Maj D Cowie		
Jul 1940	-	Maj R de V Winkfield		
Jan 1942	-	Maj A P de T Daniell		
Oct 1944	-	Maj A J Pittam		
Nov 1944	-	Maj J A Price		
Nov 1945	-	Maj R P Hutchinson		
Jan 1946	-	Maj A E Arnold		

SUMMARY OF REGTS

32 : Jan 1950 – Aug 1956

38 : Nov 1957 – Dec 1958

Depot : Jan 1962 – Dec 1962

36 : Apr 1963 – Jan 1964