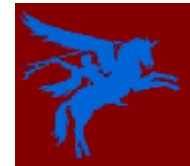


Badge: Winged Pegasus

DIARY OF EVENTS

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

Oct 1787	-	Raised at CHATHAM as the <u>Chatham Coy</u>
Sep 1806	-	Temporarily numbered <u>2 Coy</u>
Aug 1811	-	Re-titled <u>1 Coy of 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn</u>
1817	-	GIBRALTAR
Apr 1817	-	Absorbed 1 Coy of 4 <sup>th</sup> Bn (Plymouth Coy)
Nov 1819	-	Re-titled <u>9 Coy</u>
Feb 1827	-	WOOLWICH
Jun 1829	-	CHATHAM
Aug 1831	-	DEVONPORT
Mar 1833	-	CORFU
1837	-	VIDO
1839	-	CORFU
1842	-	WOOLWICH
1843	-	CHATHAM
1844	-	WOOLWICH
Jul 1845	-	CAPE OF GOOD HOPE and in Kaffir Wars
Sep 1853	-	WOOLWICH
Feb 1854	-	CHATHAM
Jun 1855	-	CRIMEA
Jun 1856	-	CORFU
Aug 1861	-	WOOLWICH
Aug 1865	-	BERMUDA
1870	-	HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA
Jun 1876	-	GLASGOW
Aug 1878	-	CHATHAM
Nov 1880	-	BERMUDA
Nov 1883	-	GIBRALTAR
1885	-	Redesignated a <u>Fortress Coy</u>
Oct 1887	-	HONG KONG
Apr 1891	-	CHATHAM

1899	-	Redesignated a <u>Fd Coy</u>
Jan 1900	-	S. AFRICA in Boer War with 7 Div
Feb 1905	-	COLCHESTER
1907	-	Joined 4 Div
Oct 1911	-	WOOLWICH
1914	-	SHORNCLIFFE
1914	-	WOOLWICH
Aug 1914	-	FRANCE with 4 Div
1918	-	In Rhine Army
1924	-	SHORNCLIFFE
Oct 1939	-	FRANCE with 4 Div
Feb 1940	-	Transferred to 48 Div in France
Jun 1940	-	UK with 48 Div
Dec 1941	-	Transferred to 1 Air Landing Bde
Jun 1942	-	Redesignated a <u>Fd Coy (Airborne)</u> and transferred to 1 Airborne Div
May 1943	-	N. AFRICA with 1 AB Div
Jul 1943	-	SICILY
Jul 1943	-	N. AFRICA
Sep 1943	-	ITALY
Dec 1943	-	UK
Sep 1944	-	ARNHEM
1945	-	UK with 6 AB Div
Mar 1945	-	Redesignated an <u>Airborne Sqn</u>
(Note – No connection with 9 Fd Sqn in 6 Armd Div 1940-45)		
Nov 1945	-	PALESTINE
Jun 1948	-	UK
Jul 1949	-	Redesignated an <u>Indep Airborne Sqn</u> in 16 Indep Para Bde Gp
Jun 1951	-	CYPRUS
Oct 1951	-	EGYPT
Jul 1954	-	ALDERSHOT
May 1966	-	re-titled <u>9 Indep Para Fd Sqn</u>
Aug 1956	-	CYPRUS
Nov 1956	-	PORT SAID on Suez operations, returning to Cyprus
Dec 1956	-	ALDERSHOT
1958	-	Re-titled <u>9 Indep Para Sqn</u>

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9 COY (contd)

Jul 1958	-	JORDAN for emergency
Nov 1958	-	COVE
Jul 1961	-	KUWAIT for emergency
Sep 11961	-	COVE
1962	-	Aldershot
Jan 1963	-	CROOKHAM
Dec 1963-Apr 1964	-	Sqn, less two Tps in CYPRUS
Jan 1965-Jul 1965	-	A Tp in BORNEO
Jan 1965-Aug 1965	-	A second Tp in BORNEO
Mar-Sep 1965	-	HQ and Pk Tp in ADEN
May-Sep 1970	-	In N. IRELAND
Sep 1971-Jan 1972	-	In N. IRELAND
Mar-Jul 1973	-	In N. IRELAND
Oct 1974-Feb 1975	-	In N. IRELAND
Jan-Mar 1976	-	A Troop in N. IRELAND
Oct 1976-Feb 1977	-	In N. IRELAND
Apr 1977	-	Redesignated <u>9 Para Sqn</u> and came under comd 36 Engr Regt, but remained at Aldershot
Oct 1980-Mar 1981	-	In N. IRELAND
26 Apr 1982	-	2 Tp sails for FALKLAND ISLANDS with 2 PARA
12 May 1982	-	Remainder of Sqn sail with 36Regt for FALKLAND ISLANDS with 5 Inf Bde
mid Aug 1982	-	Sqn returns to ALDERSHOT
Oct-Dec 1994	-	RWANDA
Dec 1994-May 1995	-	CYPRUS (NICOSEA with UNFICYP)
Sep 1995-Mar 1996	-	NI (HMP Maze) Roulment Tour (Op Descant)
Apr-May 1996	-	USA (Fort Bragg) (Engr Sp to SAB Bde)

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9 COY OCs

1779	-	Maj Gen W Spry	1870	-	Capt E N Peters
1797	-	Lt Col T Nepean	Apr 1924	-	Bt Maj A B Clough MC
1804	-	Lt Col R D'Arcy	May 1925	-	Maj W E Euler MC
1813	-	Capt J B Harris	Jan 1926	-	Maj A T Shakespear DSO MC
	-	Maj W Tylden	1928	-	Maj MacGeorge
	-	Capt A Marshall	1940	-	Maj Houghton
	-	Lt T H Blackiston		-	Maj E F Kyte
	-	Lt E b Patten	1942	-	Maj B S Beazley
	-	Lt H Tucker	1943	-	R A McNeile
	-	Capt E Fyers	Jul 1944	-	Maj j C Winchester
	-	Capt W Ward	Jun 1945	-	
	-	Lt t Budgen	1948	-	Maj D A Smith MC
1818	-	Capt W Ward	1950	-	Maj P M Bennett
1821	-	Capt A Marshall	1951	-	Maj I H Lyall Grant MC
1823	-	Lt G Lewis	1953	-	Maj A J I Poynder MC
1824	-	Maj G J Harding	1955	-	Maj C E H Edwards MC
1826	-	Lt G C D Lewis	1957	-	Maj R F Semple MC
	-	Capt C Grierson	1959	-	Maj R M Merrell MBE
	-	Capt F Stanway	1960	-	Maj I T C Wilson MC
	-	Capt A D White	Sep 1962	-	Maj C L B Gillespie
1827	-	Lt G C D Lewis	Mar 1965	-	Maj M Mathews
1828	-	Capt G V Tinling	1967	-	Maj P J Dickinson
1832	-	Lt T L Lewis	Apr 1969	-	Maj S L Rooth MBE
1832	-	Capt H Sandham	May 1970	-	Maj J B Awford
1837	-	Capt W Faris	Apr 1972	-	Maj W M R Addison
1851	-	Capt R Tylden	Feb 1974	-	Maj M J Payne
1852	-	Capt H C B Moody	Dec 1975	-	Maj H G R Taggart
1853	-	Capt W H Jesse	Jan 1978	-	Maj T J W Robertson
1854	-	Capt J F M Browne	Dec 1979	-	Maj I D T McGill
1855	-	Capt C H Sedley	Feb 1982	-	Maj C M Davies MBE
1856	-	Lt J B Edwards	Jan 1984	-	Maj C N Guthkelch
1856	-	Capt W F Lambert	Dec 1985	-	Maj C W Crawford MBE
1856	-	Capt C Rice	Dec 1987	-	Maj D R Burns
1859	-	Capt J P Cox	Jan 1990	-	Maj P A Wall
1862	-	Capt R Declé	Dec 1995	-	Maj D Hudson MBE RE
1865	-	Capt R B Rimington			

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