



## Welcome to C CO, 2BSTB, 2BDE, 1CD Dismounted Counter IED Tactics Training





- The Senior person on the Range is CPT Erich Schnee/1SG Mamud/1LT Beattie.
- The Range OIC is 1LT LaPlante.
- The Range NCOIC is \_\_\_\_\_\_
- Medevac vehicle is located \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- The Latrines are located \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- DCT Master Trainers: 2LT Gladd, SFC Green, SGT Martinez, SGT Brantley





# Operation Alpine Warfare: C CO Dismounted CIED Tactics Training

Perseverance,

# Strength and Courage!

Charlie Company, 2<sup>nd</sup> BSTB, 1<sup>st</sup> CD



## **AGENDA**



- Situation, Mission Statement and Commander's Intent
- Concept of Training
- Service and Support
- Command Signal
- Strip Maps
- FTX CONOP
- SPARTAN 6 Comments



## **SITUATION**



| ☐ Situation: The IED remains the number one killer of Coalition Forces on the battlefield |
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| today. Only through sound and relevant training will our Warfighters tip the scales of    |
| operational adaptability against an elusive and clever opponent.                          |

☐ This training is intended to set the conditions for Charlie Company to establish SOP's that not only keep the troops alive, but also show them that they are in charge of their situation, not at the mercy of the enemy or their insidious booby traps.

■ Environment: Phantom Run Training Area consists of gravel roads, prairie grasses, sandy areas, and urban compounds designed for training. There are places with rocks, uneven surfaces and sporadic berms on the roadside. Wildlife and cattle running through the range pose a threat to the training and set-up. Snakes, spiders, and other poisonous wildlife also pose a potential threat to Soldiers out on the range.

|         | 4-8MAR          |
|---------|-----------------|
| Average | <b>Hi</b> 65°F  |
|         | <b>Lo</b> 47°F  |
| Records | <b>Hi</b> 86 °F |
|         | <b>Lo</b> 33 °F |



## **MISSION**



C CO, 2BSTB, 2HBCT, 1CD conducts Dismounted Counter IED Tactics Training 4-8 March 2013 IOT train the skills that support small unit Leaders to make threat assessments and integrate how to best employ enablers to counter contemporary IED related threats.





## **COMMANDER'S INTENT**



□This training is intended to introduce and familiarize Engineer Soldiers to the latest TTP's, equipment, and enabler employment in the dismounted RCP missions in Afghanistan. Through this training, we will set conditions to locate, engage, and destroy the enemies of the United States in the contemporary IED fight.

□Focus of this training is on maximization of internal capabilities, thoughtful employment of enabling equipment, evolving threat assessments, and setting conditions to mitigate Soldier risk.



## CONCEPT OF THE TRAINING



| This operation will have 4 main focuses:                       |
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| ☐Technical Training  |
| ☐ Tactical Training  |
| ☐Threat Assessment Analysis                                    |
| □Enabler Employment  |
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| Main Training Objectives:                                      |
| The right equipment for the job (capabilities vs. limitations) |
| Physical and Mental Dispersion                                 |
| Evolving Threat Assessment                                     |
| Offensively postured Missions                                  |
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- 1500-1600 : Battalion S2 Brief
  - Enemy Situation
- Intent: Set the conditions for follow-on training and provide the "why this training matters".







- x1 Classroom for the Company
  - Request Coordinated through Fort Hood Soldier Development Center
  - Equipped with an instructor computer, projector, smart board and seats 58 Students
- BN S2
  - LT Agu
  - Issues: Seating requirements







- 0900-1200 : All C Co Soldiers
  - BOI
    - Minehound (SGT Martinez)
    - Gizmo/Goldie/Thor III (SFC Green)
    - VP 360/2 & 4 Man Road Teams (SGT Brantley)

1300-1600 : Hands-On (Local)

### E4 and Below

- Practical Exercise
- Minehound Calibration/Familiarization (SGT Martinez)
- Scan Lane/Visual Retention (LT Gladd)

### E5 and Above

- Tactical Considerations
- •IED Indicators (SGT Martinez)
- Application of Dismounted Enablers (SGT Brantley)







- x3 Classroom
  - x1 Coordinated with 58 PAX capacity
- Equipment
  - Minehounds, Gizmo, Goldies, Bino's, IED Training Components

Issues: Seating requirements







Training Area: Phantom Run

## 0900-1200

VP/VA Lane Walk – E4 and Below (LT Gladd)

VP/VA OPFOR – E5 and Above (SGT Brantley)

VP 360 (SGT Martinez)

Road Parties (SFC Green)

|                  | LT Gladd            | SGT Brantley        | SGT Martinez        | SFC Green           |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| First Iteration  | 1st PLT             | 1 <sup>st</sup> PLT | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT |
| Second Iteration | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT | 1 <sup>st</sup> PLT |
| Third Iteration  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT | 1 <sup>st</sup> PLT | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT |



## Familiarization Lanes











## 1300-1600

- •OPFOR HASTY LANE EMPLACEMENT
- •WALKTHROUGH EXERCISE 1
- •WALKTHROUGH EXERCISE 2

|            | 1st PLT OPFOR Lane  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT OPFOR Lane | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT OPFOR Lane |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Exercise 1 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT | 1st PLT                        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT            |
| Exercise 2 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> PLT | 3 <sup>rd</sup> PLT            | 1 <sup>st</sup> PLT            |



## OPFOR Exercise







# DAY 3 RESOURCES



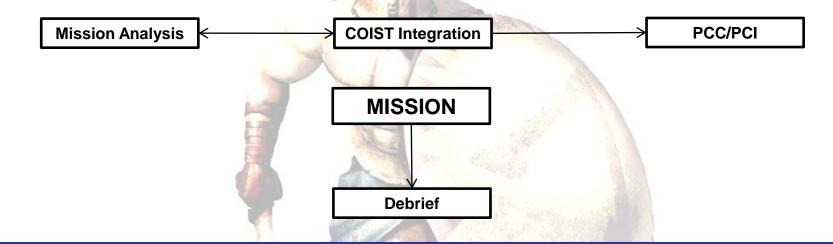
- Training Area: Coordinated through Range Control
- Class I: M, Water Buffalo
- Minehounds, Gizmo, Goldies, Bino's, IED Training Components
- Transportation: Troop Carriers
- Medic

Issues: Equipment Shortages



# Day 4





|                     | Lane 1       | Lane 2          | Lane 3          | ID Lane<br>Alpha | ID Lane<br>Bravo | ID Lane<br>Charlie |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| First<br>Iteration  | 1-1          | 2-1             | 3-1             | 1-2              | 2-2              | 3-2                |
| Second<br>Iteration | 1-2          | 2-2             | 3-2             | 1-3              | 2-3              | 3-3                |
| Third Iteration     | 1-3          | 2-3             | 3-3             | 1-1              | 2-1              | 3-1                |
|                     | SFC<br>Green | SGT<br>Brantley | SGT<br>Martinez | SL               | SL               | SL <sub>18</sub>   |



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- Medic
- COIST

Issues: Additional Trainers/Equipment Shortages

| Dismounted Counter IED Tactics Dates: 04-08 MAR 2013 Master Trainer: 2LT Gladd Training Audience/ #'s: C CO Tasks to be Trained: Hand-held Training, Current TTP's, Threat Assessment, Enabler Employment |                                    |  |  |  |
|---|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
|   | <u>Resource</u>                    |  |  |  |
| Class I   | MREs                               |  |  |  |
| Class II  | Shovels/Picks<br>(Carpenter's Kit) |  |  |  |
| Class III   | Vehicle fuel                       |  |  |  |
| Class VI  | Shaving Cream                      |  |  |  |
| Medical   | FLA<br>Medic                       |  |  |  |

| <u>Eve</u>                    |
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| CDRs Guidano                  |
| AO backbrief t                |
| Range Control<br>Coordination |
| Recon                         |
| BN S3/XO Brie                 |
| BN CSM Brief                  |
| BN CDR Brief                  |
| Company OPC                   |
| Rehearsal                     |
| Resources                     |
| Requeste                      |
| Company (                     |
| As neede                      |
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| 30 - 10oz Bar<br>cans         |
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#### **Completion Date** <u>nt</u> **Target Date** ce Issued T-week 21JAN2013 to Co. CDR NLT T+5 20FEB2013 NLT T+4 19FEB2013 NLT T+4 19FEB2013 NLT T+2 ef NLT T+2 22FEB2013 NLT T+2 ORD NLT T+1 (27FEB2013) NLT T+1 (01MAR2013) **POC** <u>ed</u> **Approved SSG Morant** (x2) ed **SGT Gutierrez** 1LT Beattie barsol **SSG Morant**

**1LT Beattie** 

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**Planning Timeline** 

## STRENGTH AND COURAGE



## Service and Support (continued)



| Resources     |                                  |                              |                  |               |  |
|---------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|---------------|--|
|               | <u>Resource</u>                  | Requested                    | <u>Approved</u>  | POC           |  |
| Commo         | MBITR                            | 6                            |                  | SPC Chaffee   |  |
| Land          | Phantom Run<br>Training Area     | Yes                          | 06-07<br>MAR2013 | 1LT Chavez    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Water Buffalo                    | 1                            |                  | 1LT Beattie   |  |
| Miscellaneous | Bino's                           | 15                           |                  | SPC Damian    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Chem Lights                      | Box (x5)                     |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Popsicle Sticks                  | 250                          |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Spray Paint                      | 8 cans                       |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Copper Wire                      | 1,000 M                      |                  | SGT Gutierrez |  |
| Miscellaneous | 100mph Tape                      | 6 rolls                      |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Colored Tape                     | 2x roll (green, yellow, red) |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| Miscellaneous | Batteries                        | AA, C, D (x10 pack)          |                  | SSG Morant    |  |
| TSC/Red Cell  | IED Components and Training Aids |                              |                  | SGT Gutierrez |  |



## **COMMAND AND SIGNAL**



- ☐ Master Trainer: 2LT Gladd
  - □SFC Green
  - □SGT Martinez
  - ☐SGT Brantley
- □OIC: 1LT LaPlante
- ■NCOIC: SSG Gama
- ☐RSO:
- ☐RTO: Company TOC Setup
- ■MEDICS: PFC Mann
- □4<sup>th</sup> Platoon NCOIC: SGT Gutierrez (OPFOR)



## **COMMAND AND SIGNAL**



- ☐ Range Control radio frequency 30.450,
  - ☐ Alternate / MEDEVAC 38.300
  - ☐ BN frequency 46.125
- ☐ RTO will monitor Range Control radio net at all times during the range.
- ☐ In case of severe weather warnings, the range OIC will receive notification from Range Control. The range OIC will then notify his/her chain of command on the current conditions. The OIC may shut down the range if he/she determines the weather to be dangerous.



# Range Layout







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# Possible Trainees: 120

# Predicted: 70

#### **Concept of Training:**

#### **04 MAR**

Battalion S2 Intel Brief HUMINT Brief (ASCOPE)

#### **05 MAR**

Classroom Round Robin x3 Hands-on Technical (E4 and Below) Hands-on Tactical (E5 and Above) Teach Back

#### **06 MAR**

Lane Walks OPFOR Exercise

#### **07 MAR**

Mission Analysis IED Lanes

#### **08 MAR**

Mission Analysis Briefs (E5 and Above)
Hands-on Technical (E4 and Below)

Focus of this training is on maximization of internal capabilities, thoughtful employment of enabling equipment, evolving threat assessments, and setting conditions to mitigate Soldier risk.

ENEMY INTENT

TYPE OF THREAT

LOCATION OF THREAT

#### 8 STEP TRAINING MODEL FOR MAJOR TRAINING EVENT

1. PLAN THE TRAINING Flanned training with Master Trainer input, scheduled for 04-08 MARCH 2013.

2. TRAIN & CERTIFY LEADERS: Master Trainers trained and certified through 5 weeks of DCT-MTT. Training completed 22 FEB 2013.

3. RECON THE SITE: Conducted site walk on 19 FEB 2013 with Master Trainers.

**4. ISSUE PLAN:** CONOP and Plan briefed to Charlie Co Leadership on 20 MAR 2013.

5. REHEARSE: Rock Drill 01 MAR 2013

6. EXECUTE: 04-08 MAR 2013.

7. AAR: 08 MAR 2013

8. RETRAIN: All Platoon Leadership will be encouraged to continually retrain their SM's in the technical and tactical competencies of the CIED fight.

## RESOURCES

**Land:** Phantom Run Range, Classrooms

**Transportation:** Company Internal. **Medical:** Darnall Medical Center, Instructors are CLS qualified, and

Medic on site.

External Coord: Ice, TSC

#### **Coordinating Instructions**

Uniform: ACU w/IBA/IOTV, Kevlar, gloves, eyepro, earpro, as per Spartan Uniform Standard

05-3-1008 Conduct Minesweeping Operations

052-192-1230 Identify Mines and Firing Devices

05-3-1701 Perform Route Reconnaissance and Clearance

**METL TASKS** 

052-192-1269 Detect Explosive-Hazard Indicators by Visual Means

052-192-3261 React to an IED Attack

052-192-1251 React to Explosive Hazard Visual Indicators

05-3-D0016 Perform the 5 C's

05-3-D0019 Perform 5/25/200 Meter Checks

05-3-1703 Perform Dismounted Route Search



## DCT ASSESSMENT



### THREAT ASSESSMENT

- □Planning Phase
- □Continuously Evolving

## VP/VA

- **□VP 360**
- □Road Parties

## **INDIVIDUAL SOLDIER TASKS**

- □Complete Mine Awareness Training
- **□5** C's

## **COLLECTIVE TASKS**

- □Establish Security
- □React to Indirect Fire

### INDIVIDUAL LEADER TASKS

- □ Complete Individual Counter IED
- **Leader Tasks**
- □ Recognition of Combatants IED
- □Plan for IED Threats
- □Conduct PCC/PCIs of Combat Patrols
- □Counter IED Leader Tasks
- □Plan and Conduct Operations
- □ Advanced Counter IED Training

## **ARMY WARRIOR TASKS**

- □Perform Counter IED
- □ Maintain Situational Awareness/Every
- Soldier is a Sensor
- **□** Assess and Respond to Threats
- □ Adapt to Changing Operational
- **Environment**





# Roster



## Date/Time:

## Soldiers Evaluated:

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