Phù Cát Cobra Flight

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1. Phù Cát Air Base, flight line.



2. (Close up)



3. Phù Cát Search and Rescue, HH43 USAF helicopters.



4. Phù Cát Flight Control Tower, USAF.



5. Phù Cát 37th SPS basecamp APC's at the ready. Foreground, "Phù Cát AB Beautiful" campaign.



6. What's that Airman doin' with a camera instead of plantin' them there plants?



7. 37th SPS APC's and QRT's Locked and Loaded.



8. Phù Cát Cobra basecamp.



9. QRT Jeeps.



10. Phù Cát Cobra basecamp construction.



11. SSgt. Hylton's Fire Team. Cobra Sniper Ambush Team, December 1967.







12. Heads of Beer?

13. Phù Cát SPS composite combat art.



Cobra flight on flight line. Fire Rescue briefing.1967

14. Photo taken at Fire and Rescue briefing. Phù Cát 1967.



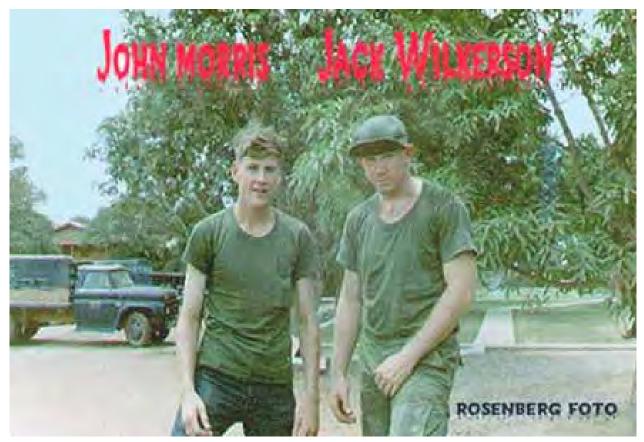
15. Charlie Eleven members leaving Armory area for night ambush outside the wire. Also on board relief for Rook Towers. Cobra Flight set up blocking force beyond K-9 handlers in defense of Phù Cát Air Base.



16. Phù Cát Sunrise 1967, taken from 37th SPS armory area. - Ron Arthur photo.



17. Photo taken inside bar in Qui Nhơn. Babysan wearing my cobra beret.



18. John Morris and Jack Wilkerson, Phù Cát 1967.



19. Cobra Fireteam Mac

Standing, L/R: Team Leader Mac, Jimmy Jones, Wallace Sands, David Stanley, Billy Clowers and Harry McGraw.

Background on APC: Right: Max Dalrymple. **Center, front driver:** Randy Melina (deceased)

APC driver on left: Michael Chapron.



20. Mortar crew Cobra Flight, Phù Cát 1967.



21. Larry Minturn, Cobra Flight, in tower on NE Perimeter of Phù Cát Air Base - 1967.



22. Local Villager building on to house - Phu Cat 1968: This photo started as the most used one I had . It had cracks tape marks and holes all over it. Incidently it was taken from a "house" on the Phù Cát Strip, while waiting for some ROK Tiger Div. (troops tore up the house). The old man in the photo would go out and fill the two baskets and bring back to fill in the water hole.



23. 37th SPS, Cobra Barracks Left to Right: Philip Preston, Robert Cooley and Bryan William's.[... and that's the story we all stick too!]

24. (below) Phù Cát Cobra Recon, 1967



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25. Cobra Flight Sniper - I took this photo late one night at Phù Cát from the balcony of the barracks, looking toward the armory. It shows a member of cobra flight heading out on ambush. The original photo was rather foggy but I cleaned it up as much as possible.

26. Tunnel Rat - Photo taken near MISSOURI mortar pit. On a day off three of us checked out some area nearby. Besides tunnels we also found old Buddhist temple.

Cobra member checking out one of many tunnel on Phu Cat AB.



27. View North, from Hill 54 -Practice fire with mortars from Hill 54. Area below smoke on right (Charlie Island). Phù Cát received first rocket attack during Tet 1968. I was on Hill 54 and witnessed the midnight celebration of the start of Tet. Rather bizarre to see in all directions tracer rounds fired into the sky.





28.(left) SSgt James Hylton's Fireteam.