THE BATTLE OF LONG TAN

D Company, 6RAR
Manning Details for 18 August 1966

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* Killed at Long Tan
** Killed later

\# Wounded at Long Tan
\## Wounded later as well

CHQ

Rank	Name	Age
Maj	HA Smith SG MC	33
Capt	HI McLean-Williams	
WO2	JW Kirby DCM **	31
SSgt	R Gildersleeve	
Sgt	W O'Donnell MID	
Sgt	DA Thomson	
Cpl	PN Dobson MID	25
Cpl	MW Green	
Cpl	JW Harris	
Cpl	CM Marchant	
LCpl	MG Campbell	
LCpl	GR Richardson	
LCpl	GR Smith	
LCpl	DA Spencer #	
Pte	WA Akell MID	
Pte	DJ Collins	
Pte	I Dixon	
Pte	RC Healey	
Pte	PR Hunt	
Pte	RV Perandis	
Pte	RL Rencher ##	
Pte	RN Stewart	
Pte	SR Willaims	

Attached Artillery Forward
Observer team from 161 Bty RNZA

Capt	M Stanley MBE (RNZA)	35
Bdr	WG Walker MID (RNZA)	
LBdr	NN Broomhall (RNZA)	

10 Platoon

Rank	Name	Age
2Lt	GM Kendall MG MID	25
Sgt	NJ Rankin	
Cpl	TH Lea #	
Cpl	IE McDonald	
Cpl	DR Mogg	
LCpl	GJ Ballinger	
LCpl	GK Crowther	
LCpl	J Jewry *	
Pte	RA Aldersea *	
Pte	SR Belford	
Pte	KD Branch	
Pte	CW Brown #	
Pte	IM Campbell	
Pte	JC Cash	
Pte	AR Deller	
Pte	PR Dixon	
Pte	KP Doolan	
Pte	PJ Doyle	
Pte	HT Esler	
Pte	BD Firth #	
Pte	DA Graham	
Pte	BG Hornung #	
Pte	PW Jamerson	
Pte	IJ McGrath #	
Pte	DI Mitchell	
Pte	DB Montgomery	
Pte	RC Moss	
Pte	P Nash	
Pte	GM Peters	
Pte	JE Riley	
Pte	WA Roche	
Pte	AM Stepney	
Pte	LS Vine	
Pte	MR Wales *	
Pte	TW Watts	

11 Platoon

Rank	Name	Age
2Lt	GC Sharp *	21
Sgt	RS Buick MM	26
Cpl	JM Duroux	
Cpl	WR Moore MID	
LCpl	BE Magnussen #	
LCpl	JC Robbins #	
Pte	CT Ainslie ##	
Pte	JE Beere #	
Pte	RC Carne #	
Pte	DA Drabble *	
Pte	RM Eglinton MM #	
Pte	DF Fabian #	
Pte	KH Gant *	
Pte	EF Grant *	
Pte	VR Grice *	
Pte	B Halls	
Pte	JE Heslewood	
Pte	JR Holmes ##	
Pte	WF Hornett	
Pte	JM Houston *	
Pte	AJ May #	
Pte	AF McCormack *	
Pte	DJ McCormack *	
Pte	BC Meller #	
Pte	WD Mitchell *	
Pte	ID Munro ##	
Pte	JH Quincey ##	
Pte	JP Richmond #	
Pte	DJ Salveron *	
Pte	DJ Thomas *	
Pte	FB Topp *	
Pte	KJ Tronc	
Pte	CJ Whiston *	

12 Platoon

Rank	Name	Age
2Lt	DR Sabben MG MID	21
Sgt	J Todd #	
Cpl	L Drinkwater	
Cpl	MV McCullough ##	
Cpl	KT Miller	
LCpl	CT Lithgow **	
LCpl	WT Luther ##	
LCpl	P Slacksmith	
Pte	AG Barlett	
Pte	DF Beahan #	
Pte	NR Bextram	
Pte	RD Brown MM ##	
Pte	WR Buckland	
Pte	RT Burstall	
Pte	VM Cameron	
Pte	GR Davis #	
Pte	PH Dettman	
Pte	BD Forsyth #	
Pte	AR Fraser	
Pte	KW Graham #	
Pte	NJ Grimes	
Pte	S Hodder	
Pte	TR Humphries	
Pte	GD Langlands ##	
Pte	PA Large *	
Pte	T Newall	
Pte	AL Parr	
Pte	BR Reilly	
Pte	TP Ryan #	
Pte	VW Simon	
Pte	BF Vassella	
Pte	GS Warrell	
Pte	HP Webb #	

Only 105 soldiers from D Coy, 6RAR were on the battlefield during the battle of Long Tan as some soldiers were attending language courses and other duties. However, all members of D Coy and the three man New Zealand Forward Observation artillery party are entitled to wear the Australia Unit Citation for Gallantry (UCG) and the U.S. and South Vietnam Presidential Unit Citation's for Gallantry.