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Passing Out Parade

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THE JUNIOR LEADERS BATTALION RAOC
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The Cover Photograph shows Junior Leaders RAOC being instructed in typing, by the sight and sound method as part of their clerical training.
Trade Training School RAOC.

WELCOME TO THE JUNIOR LEADERS BATTALION RAOC

We welcome you to the Junior Leaders Battalion RAOC on the occasion of our Passing Out Parade and plan to show you something of the scope of work we do.

You are invited to visit any particular part of the Battalion Lines you are interested in seeing and to meet any member of the Permanent Staff to discuss points and problems you may have concerning your son or relative.

We have on display a number of exhibits showing part of the range of hobbies in which Junior Leaders can participate.

Our curriculum includes intensive education, military and physical training and leadership. We endeavour to produce Junior Leaders who are potential Non–Commisioned Officers, Warrant Officers and Commissioned Officers of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps and Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers. Our aim is to pass them out of the Battalion with the highest possible standard of military trade and educational qualifications

We hope that you have an enjoyable day with the Battalion.

R. MATHEWS
Lieutenant Colonel
Commanding Officer

THE JUNIOR LEADERS BATTALION RAOC

Commanding Officer	Lieutenant Colonel R. MATHEWS RAOC
Second–in–Command	Major T.F. PEARSON RAOC
Adjutant	Captain T.H. BOLLEN RAOC
Training Officer	Captain R.T. ARLISS RAOC

A Company

Officer Commanding	Major G.A. NICHOLS RAOC
Second–in–Command	Captain D.M.M. STOBIE RAOC

PLATOON COMMANDERS

BAKER PLATOON	Lt. J.T. KEATING RAOC
GORDON PLATOON	Capt. T. COWAN RAOC
MULCAHY PLATOON	Capt. B.J. BOWELL REME
WILLIAMS PLATOON	2Lt F.A. BUTTERWORTH RAOC
STEEVENS PLATOON	Lt. R.C. GRAY RAOC

B Company

Officer Commanding	Major D.J. PORTER RAOC
Second–in–Command	Capt. E. CHAMPION RAOC

PLATOON COMMANDERS

BODY PLATOON	Lt.J.M.F.S. NORRIS RAOC
ROWCROFT PLATOON	Lt. R.K.V. BENSAID RAOC
HILL PLATOON	2Lt. A.C.D. WELCH RAOC
PARSONS PLATOON	Capt. J.W.G. McLEOD REME
WATTS PLATTOON	Capt. J.B. WRIGHT RAOC

Senior Education Officer	Major H.W. RICHMOND MA RAEC
Regimental Sergeant Major	WOI M.E. WOOD RAOC

ROLL OF JUNIOR LEADERS PASSING OUT 21st MARCH 1970

Staff Clerks RAOC

24119270 Pte. J.S. BATT	–	1 OFP Tidworth.
24092779 Pte. E.D.G. COX	–	Carrier Borne GD Liaison Gp Lee–on–Solent.
24092693 Pte. D. HUTTON	–	HQ 1 Div & Sig Regt BAOR.
24119509 Pte. D.J.C. LAWRENCE	–	39 Inf Bn Lisburn N. Ireland.
24119257 Pte. C.E.J. PARSONS	–	HQ BAOR.
24092789 Pte. C.J. WARNES	–	HQ 4 Guards Bde.
24092765 Pte. V. KROPIDLOWSKI	–	22 SAS Hereford.
24119234 Pte. S.M. REDDINGTON	–	3 Div HQ & Sig Regt Bulford Camp.

Technical Clerks RAOC

24119587 Pte. A. JACKSON	–	24 OFP Plymouth.
24119789 Pte. S.P. O'TOOLE	–	12 OFP BAOR.
24119519 Pte. R.M. STEWART	–	6 Inf Wksp Stores sect BAOR

Storemen RAOC

24119057 Pte. T.J. ALDERSON)	–	Ord. Depot, Bahrein.
24119291 Pte. R.T. PADDISON)		
24092760 Pte. S. ROSS	–	5 OFP, Barnard Castle, Co. Durham.
24092760 Pte. D.R. SUMMERBELL	–	RAOC Stores Sect, 7 Armd Wksp REME BAOR
24119264 Pte. M.J. VINE	–	CAD Kineton.

Storemen RAOC – Potential Vehicle Specialists

24092686 Pte. A.J. CATCHPOLE)		
24092652 Pte. A.E. JOHNSON)	–	Regt Depot RAOC (Trainees)
24092705 Pte. D. RIDING)		
24119294 Pte. A.J. ROBERTSON)		

Clerks – REME

24136729 Cfn. M.J. ELLIS	–	6 Inf Wksp, BAOR
24126304 Cfn. P. HOLROYD	–	12 Inf Wksp, BAOR
24136303 Cfn. R.G. SPENCER	–	15 Inf Wksp, Plymouth.

Storemen – REME

24126087 Cfn. K.T. CANNON)	–	1 Para Log Regt Wksp, Aldershot (Para Volunteers)
24126589 Cfn. A. NICHOLLS)		
24126571 Cfn. R.P. EVANS	–	4 Armd Wksp, BAOR

THE PASSING OUT PARADE 21st MARCH 1970

Brigadier P N W. BESLEY. Commander RAOC Training Centre, Deepcut, is today's Inspecting Officer.

Mrs P.N.W. BESLEY has kindly consented to present the prizes in the gymnasium after the parade.

The parade comprising nine platoons is under the command of Junior Regimental Sergeant Major M.J. ELLIS.

The platoons are drawn up in the following order as seen left to right from the spectators stand':

	Commanded by:	
No. 1 Platoon (Passing out)	J Sgt.	RIDING
No. 2 Platoon	J Sgt.	DUNN
No. 3 Platoon	J CSM.	HOOD
No. 4 Platoon	J Sgt.	ARNOLD
No. 5 Platoon	J Sgt.	SEBBURN
No. 6 Platoon	J CSM.	LATCHEM
No. 7 Platoon	J Sgt.	PENTZ
No. 8 Platoon	J Sgt.	MORAN
No. 9 Platoon	J Sgt.	BURFOOT

The Passing Out Platoon are distinguishable by their white waist belts.

By kind permission of the Director of the Electrical and Mechanical Engineers and the Officers of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, the Band of the Corps of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers will play at the Parade and later at the Prize–giving.

THE FORM OF THE PASSING OUT PARADE

1. The Band and Battalion march on to the Parade Ground and take up their positions.

2. The Inspecting Officer arrives at the Saluting Base.

3. The Battalion presents arms and the Band play the General Salute. (Spectators are requested to stand during the General Salute.)

4. The Junior Regimental Sergeant Major reports to the Inspecting Officer.

5. The Inspecting Officer inspects the Passing Out Platoon.

6. The Battalion marches past in slow and then quick time

7. The Battalion presents arms and the Band play the General Salute. (Spectators are again requested to stand.)

8. The Passing Out Platoon marches off the Parade Ground in slow time.

9. The remainder of the Battalion and the Band march off the Parade Ground.

DRY WEATHER PROGRAMME FOR PASSING OUT DAY SATURDAY 21st MARCH 1970

1025 hours	All spectators to be seated please.
1030 hours	The Passing Out Parade.
1100 hours	Junior Leaders Corps of Drums Display.
1120 –1145 hours	Band Concert in the Gymnasium prior to the Prize–giving.
1145 hours	Prize–giving in the Gymnasium.
1215 hours	Hobbies Exhibition in Drill Shed No. 2
1245 hours	Lunch

ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMME TO BE FOLLOWED IN THE EVENT OF BAD WEATHER

1015–1115 hours	Band Concert in the Gymnasium prior to the Prize–giving. During this period the Inspecting Officer will inspect the Passing Out Platoon in Drill Shed No. 1 which is unfortunately too small to accommodate spectators.
1115 hours	Prize–giving in the Gymnasium.
1145 hours	Hobbies Exhibition in Drill Shed No. 2.
1215 hours	Lunch

MAJOR G.A. NICHOLS RAOC

Major NICHOLS will be leaving us to take up an appointment at the Ministry of Defence.

Major NICHOLS took command of A Company in July 1968. He has worked unselfishly and energetically to maintain the high standard which A Company enjoys, and as many parents will know, he has at all times taken the keenest interest in each boy's personal career and problems. He has done a great deal to stimulate interest and variety in the training by initiating exercises, adventure training schemes and healthy sporting competitions. He has always been an active participant in these events.

We wish him and his wife and family all hapiness in their next posting, and shall be sorry to see them go. Major NICHOLS is due to be replaced by Major J. REED, who is returning from an appointment in Australia.

JUNIOR SERGEANT MAJOR M.J. ELLIS, REME

Junior RSM Michael ELLIS enlisted into the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers in September 1968. He is the first member of his Corps to attain the appointment of Junior RSM of the Junior Leaders Battalion RAOC.
Junior RSM ELLIS is from Harlow New Town. Educated at Brays Grove Comprehensive School, he attained passes in several CSE subjects and now has only one more subject to pass to obtain a Class 2 Army Certificate of Education. He has represented the Battalion at Swimming and Judo

JUNIOR DRUM MAJOR G.E. ANSCOMBE

Junior Drum Major Graham ANSCOMBE is another representative of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers. His home is Coventry where he was a Sea Cadet Drummer before joining the Army. Junior Drum Major ANSCOMBE has played in the Battalion Soccer Eleven.

JUNIOR BUGLE MAJOR G. NICOLL, RAOC

Junior Bugle Major Graham NICOLL hails from Edinburgh. He is currently the Battalion Hockey Goalkeeper. His lack of height is compensated for by the extra volume of sound he manages to produce with a bugle .

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC TO BE PLAYED AT THE PASSING OUT PARADE BY THE BAND OF THE ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CAPTAIN D. SNOWDEN, ARCM, psm.

March On	PRIDE OF YOUTH		Steck
	GENERAL SALUTE		Anon
Inspection Music	STRUTTIN' WITH MARIA		Alpert
	LEGIONS LAST PATROL		Lavagnino
	A WALK IN THE BLACK FOREST		Jankowski
	THE COLOURS		Stanley
March Past	GARB OF OLD GAUL		Hartman
(Slow Time)	PRINCE OF WALES	arr:	Walker
	FIGARO	arr:	Pope
March Past	HEY LOOK ME OVER		Coleman
(Quick Time)	RAOC MARCH	arr:	Jarman
	76 TROMBONES		Willson
Final Salute	GENERAL SALUTE		Anon
March Off	AULD LANG SYNE		Anon
	NEW COLONIAL		Hall
	RAOC MARCH	arr:	Jarman
	REME MARCH	arr:	Plater
	THOSE MAGNIFCENT MEN IN THEIR FLYING MACHINES		Goodwin

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC FOR THE CONCERT TO BE GIVEN BY THE BAND OF THE ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS IN THE GYMNASIUM PRIOR TO THE PRIZE–GIVING

March	LEICESTER SQUARE LOOKS ROUND		Howlett
Cornet Trio	TRUMPETS WILD		Walters
Clarinet Feature	SKIP TO MY FLUTE	arr:	Sandoe
Latin American	JAZZ RHUMBA		Palange
Trombone Trio	THE CLOWNS		Kingsbury
Finale	DIXIELAND FESTIVAL	arr:	Green