

1-508 PIR Leaders at Fort AP Hill's Adaptability Training Exercise (22 MAR 16)

On 22 MAR 16, company commanders and first sergeants from 1-508 PIR participated in 3BCT's Adaptability Training Exercise at Fort AP Hill. The squad of 1-508 leaders were dropped in a remote location and conducted an 8km movement through swamps and over mountainous terrain to link up with other Panther command teams. Enroute to their ORP, the squad reacted to multiple OPFOR attacks, treated and evacuated casualties, and conducted a river crossing in canoes. Once at the ORP, CPT Frazer (HHC CDR) and SFC Creel (D Co 1SG) took charge and planned a non-combatant evacuation mission on the Embassy – which resulted in successfully rescuing multiple citizens.

1-508 PIR leaders cross a canal enroute to a link-up point



A 1-508 PIR leader receives a helping hand to cross a canal while enroute to his link-up point



1F9 and 1F6 cross a canal enroute to their link-up point



1-508 PIR leaders treat and evacuate a casualty following contact

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1-508 PIR leaders receive intelligence from a local citizen prior to crossing the river



1-508 PIR leaders carry canoes to a river crossing



1-508 PIR leaders execute a river crossing enroute to their ORP



1-508 PIR leaders receive intelligence from a local citizen prior to executing a NEO on the embassy



1-508 PIR leaders clear a SAPA body following an attack



1-508 PIR leaders clear a subway tunnel on the embassy compound