

BATTALION LOCATIONS

2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
COLCHESTER	Apr 69	Mar 74
West Malaysia	May 69	Jul 69
	Sep 69	Jan 70
	Jun 71	Oct 71
N Ireland Tours	Feb 72	Mar 72
	Jun 72	Oct 72
	Mar 73	Jul 73
LEMGO	Mar 74	
N Ireland Tour	Mar 75	Jul 75
LEMGO	Jul 75	Jul 76
N Ireland Tour	Jul 76	Dec 76
LEMGO	Dec 76	Dec 77
BALLYKINLER	Jan 78	Jul 79
UK	Jul 79	Sep 79
GIBRALTAR	Sep 79	Jul 81
WEETON	Jul 81	Nov 84
N Ireland Tour	Apr 82	Sep 82
Coy Strength Falklands Tour	Aug 83	Dec 83
HEMER	Nov 84	Mar 89
N Ireland Tour	Jul 87	Dec 87

TIDWORTH	Mar 89	Feb 93
N Ireland Tour	Dec 89	Jun 90
N Ireland Tour	Nov 90	Dec 90
N Ireland Tour	Aug 91	Sep 91
N Ireland Tour	Mar 92	Sep 92

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PADERBORN	Feb 93	
N Ireland Tour Dungannon	Jun 93	Dec 93
Bosnia Op GRAPPLE	Nov 95	May 96
N Ireland	Jan 97	Apr 99

BULFORD CAMP (KIWI BARRACKS)	Apr 99	Feb 02
N Ireland		
(B Coy)	Jan 99	Mar 00
(A Coy)	Mar 99	Apr 00
(B Coy)	Apr 99	May 00
(C Coy)	Oct 99	Apr 00
Banja Luka	Sep 00	Nov 00
Kosovo	Sep 00	Nov 00
Sierra Leone	Jun 01	Sep 01

CYPRUS (ALEXANDER BARRACKS)	Feb 02	
Falkland Islands (B Coy)	Oct 02	Feb 03
Falkland Islands (A Coy)	Feb 03	Jul 03
Iraq Op TELIC II	Sep 03	Nov 03

EDINBURGH (REDFORD INFANTRY BARRACKS)	Feb 04	Jan 07
N Ireland, S Armagh	Sep 04	Mar 05
OP Highbrow, Beirut	Jul 06	Jul 06

OP TELIC VIII, Iraq

Oct 06

OP HERRICK, Afghanistan

Formation of The Rifles 1 Feb 07

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COMMANDING OFFICERS

	FROM	TO
Lt Col A C Elcomb	Sep 68	Oct 68
Lt Col P F A Sibbald OBE	Oct 68	Nov 71
Lt Col R B MacGregor-Oakford OBE MC	Nov 71	Jan 74
Lt Col J A Hare MBE	May 74	Jul 76
Lt Col R St C Preston OBE	Aug 76	Jan 79
Lt Col T D V Bevan	Feb 79	Jul 81
Lt Col M H Dru-Drury MBE	Jul 81	Jan 84
Lt Col C M S Kaye OBE	Jan 84	Jun 86
Lt Col J W Parker	Jun 86	Dec 88
Lt Col R P Cousens	Dec 88	Jun 91
Lt Col C M J Elcomb	Jun 91	Feb 93

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Lt Col M J W Grubb	Feb 93	Jun 94
Lt Col B W Barry	Jun 94	Sep 96
Lt Col T J Martin MBE	Sep 96	Jan 99
Lt Col D J Wood MBE MC	Jan 99	Jan 01
Lt Col E P Davies MBE	Jan 01	Oct 03
Lt Col H E Shields MBE	Oct 03	Apr 06
Lt Col R G Arundell	Apr 06	Jan 07

2IC, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
Major C W Huxley	Sep 68	Jun 69
Major J A G Arnot MC	Jun 69	Mar 70
Major B M Lees	Sep 70	Jan 71
Major J R Darbyshire	Jun 71	Oct 71
Major J A Hare MBE	Oct 71	Mar 73
Major R St C Preston	Oct 73	Jun 75
Major A C H Bennett	Jul 75	Sep 76
Major J E Kendall MBE	Oct 76	Jan 78
Major R G H Chetwynd Stapylton	Jan 78	Apr 79
Major T M Barker	Apr 79	Oct 81
Major A H Penny	Oct 81	Mar 84
Major D H R Stephenson	Mar 84	Dec 85
Major I J Sawers	Dec 85	Dec 87
Major C M G Elcomb	Jan 88	Dec 89
Major C M F Mackain-Bremner	Dec 89	Oct 91
Major B W Barry	Oct 91	Feb 93

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Major C H C Lynch Staunton	Feb 93	Jan 94
Major T J Martin MBE	Jan 94	Jan 95
Major C C S Booth	Jan 95	May 96
Major R P Sartain	May 96	May 98

Major S Mills	May 98	Jul 00
Major JC Hardy	Jul 00	Aug 02
Major M R Goldsack MBE	Sep 02	Aug 03
Major R G Arundell QCVS	Aug 03	Jun 04
Major ME Thornton	Sep 04	
Major SJW Noble		
Major AH Ward		
Major J Cavanagh		

ADJUTANT, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
Captain C M J Deedes	Sep 68	Apr 70
Captain R G H Chetwynd Stapylton	Apr 70	Nov 70
Captain T Barker	Nov 70	Jun 73
Captain A H Penny	Jun 73	Sep 74
Captain J W Parker	Sep 74	Apr 77
Captain R P Cousens	May 77	Jul 79
Captain C M G Elcomb	Aug 79	Jul 81
Captain R V Brims	Jul 81	Jan 82
Captain A R Wright	Jan 82	Sep 83
Captain M C D Montagu	Sep 83	Sep 85
Captain J Malins-Smith	Sep 85	Oct 86
Captain R P Sartain	Oct 86	Jan 88
Captain E P Davies	Jan 88	Jun 89

Captain H E Shields	Jun 89	Jun 91
Captain G R T Bishop	Jun 91	Feb 93

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Captain E G E Turner	Feb 93	Jan 94
Captain M J Goldsack	Jan 94	Mar 96
Captain J H Bowron	Mar 96	Feb 98
Captain A C P Norris	Apr 98	Mar 00
Captain P Gorman	Mar 00	Sep 01
Captain R N D Follett	Sep 01	Jul 03
Captain T N R Jackson	Jul 03	Jul 04
Captain MJD Lynch	Jul 04	
Captain GT Sawyer		

QM(1), 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
Captain (QM) R Kitching	Sept 68	Jan 69
Captain (QM) A Buckley MBE	June 69	June 71
Captain (QM) C W G Clark	Nov 71	Mar 73
Captain/Major (QM) Buckley MBE	Nov 73	Feb 75
Captain (QM) R C H Berry	Mar 75	Aug 76
Captain S Sedman	Aug 76	Jan 78
Major (QM) J G Brynolf	Jan 78	Jun 82
Major (QM) H R Burnett	Jun 82	Dec 85
Captain (QM) M R Grindley	Dec 85	Oct 88

Captain (QM) D R Crook	Oct 88	Sep 90
Major (QM) M D White	Sep 90	Dec 91
Captain D Wroe	Dec 91	Dec 92
Captain (QM) J E Atkinson	Dec 92	Feb 93

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Major (QM) D Wroe	Feb 93	Apr 94
Captain D G Jarratt	Apr 94	Sep 94
Major H L Kennedy	Oct 94	Jul 97
Major P J Evanson	Jul 97	Apr 02
Major A Pickford	Apr 02	May 03
Major J Hall	May 03	
Captain G Gilbert		

QM(2), 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
Captain (QM) C W G Clark	Sept 68	May 71
Captain (QM) R C B Cox	Nov 71	Jan 74
Captain (QM) R C H Berry	April 74	Mar 75
Captain (QM) J G Brynolf	Mar 75	Jan 78
Captain (QM) S Sedman MBE	Jan 78	Jul 80
Captain (QM) H R Burnett	Jul 80	Jun 82
Captain (QM) M R Grindley	Jun 82	Nov 85
Captain (QM) D R Crook	Nov 85	Oct 88

Captain (QM) M D White	Oct 88	Sep 90
Captain (QM) D Wroe	Sep 90	Dec 91
Captain (QM) J Atkinson	Dec 91	Dec 92

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Captain (QM) H L Kennedy	Feb 93	Sep 94
Captain D G Jarratt	Oct 94	Mar 98
Captain A Pickford	Mar 98	Apr 02
Captain D R Matthews	Apr 02	Sep 03
Captain T Meggison	Sep 03	
Captain G Wood		

RSM, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
WO1 (RSM) J Lee	Sept 68	June 69
WO1 (RSM) D W Wackett	Nov 69	May 72
WO1 (RSM) T G Jones	May 72	Jan 75
WO1 (RSM) R T Bevan	Jan 75	Mar 77
WO1 (RSM) J E Dudart-Aberdeen	Apr 77	Apr 79
WO1 (RSM) G A E Lloyd	May 79	Jul 81
WO1 (RSM) E Smith	Jul 81	Feb 83
WO1 (RSM) R Hockey	Feb 83	Dec 84
WO1 (RSM) D Wroe	Dec 84	Nov 86
WO1 (RSM) D G Jarrett	Nov 86	Oct 88
WO1 (RSM) C Lawton	Oct 88	May 90

WO1 (RSM) P J Evanson	May 90	Feb 93
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WO1 (RSM) S Lyth	Feb 93	May 93
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WO1 (RSM) N Measor	May 93	Mar 95
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WO1 (RSM) D R Matthews	Mar 95	Jun 97
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WO1 (RSM) G D Gilbert	Jun 97	Mar 99
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WO1 (RSM) D W White	Mar 99	Apr 01
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WO1 (RSM) G Wood	Apr 01	Feb 02
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WO1 (RSM) S M Morte	Feb 02	Feb 04
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WO1 (RSM) ID Cameron	Feb 04	Feb 06
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WO1 (RSM) C McBurney		
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RQMS, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
WO2 (RQMS) J Knight	Sept 68	June 69
WO2 (RQMS) D W Wackett	June 69	Nov 69
WO2 (RQMS) T Marsh	Nov 69	May 72
WO2 (RQMS) H R Burnett	May 72	Feb 73
WO2 (RQMS) B Hassall	Mar 73	Mar 74
WO2 (RQMS) B McKeith	Mar 74	Oct 75
WO2 (RQMS) M Kilburn	Nov 75	Apr 78
WO2 (RQMS) G A E Lloyd	May 78	May 79
WO2 (RQMS) R W Richardson RGJ	June 79	Jan 82

WO2 (RQMS) J Fritz-Domeney RGJ	Jan 82	Feb 84
WO2 (RQMS) D Bradley DCM	Feb 84	Sep 85
WO2 (RQMS) D G Jarratt	Sep 85	Jul 86
WO2 (RQMS) T K Jacobs	Jul 86	Sep 87
WO2 (RQMS) D Bradley	Sep 87	Feb 89
WO2 (RQMS) Green	Feb 89	Nov 90
WO2 (RQMS) Garner	Nov 90	Mar 92
WO2 (RQMS) Haynes	Mar 92	Feb 93

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WO2 (RQMS) A Pickford	Feb 93	Feb 94
WO2 (RQMS) J W Downie BEM	Feb 94	Sep 94
WO2 A D Barnes	Sep 94	Jun 97
WO2 T Meggison	Jun 97	Apr 98
WO2 Dawson	Mar 98	Apr 00
WO2 Rigby	Apr 00	Apr 01
WO2 I D Cameron	Apr 01	
WO2 K Bain		

ORQMS/ORCS, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
C/SGT (ORCS) B Rotherforth	Sept 68	Mar 70
WO2 (ORQMS) A E Chipperfield RGJ	Mar 70	Oct 70
C/SGT (ORCS) D Wardle RGJ	Oct 70	May 73
WO2 (ORQMS) J L Read RGJ	May 73	Mar 74

C/SGT (ORCS) H Finley	Mar 74	Jun 78
WO2 (ORQMS) T P Byrne RGJ	Jun 78	Jun 83
WO2 (ORQMS) R S Humphries	Jun 83	Jul 85
C/SGT (ORCS) R D Davies	Jul 85	May 87
C/SGT (ORCS) D Hamilton	May 87	Mar 89
C/SGT (ORCS) C M F Holt	Mar 89	Feb 93

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S/SGT P Browning AGC	Feb 93
WO2 D C Siddall AGC	

BANDMASTER, 2ND BATTALION THE LIGHT INFANTRY

	FROM	TO
WO1 (Bandmaster) J Offord	Sep 68	Jun 69
WO1 (Bandmaster) M E Cadwallader	Jun 69	Sep 74
WO1 (Bandmaster) J E Simmonds	Sep 74	Jul 80
WO1 (Bandmaster) J Leeming	Jul 80	Dec 83
WO1 (Bandmaster) D Burton	Dec 83	Jan 85

POST DISESTABLISHED 1 JAN 85

