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51st Expeditionary Signal Battalion - Enhanced



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Commander's Corner

August has been a remarkably busy month! SNN teams successfully deployed to both the National Training Center and Camp Asaka, Japan, providing critical support to I Corps. Meanwhile, we have teams down at White Sands providing support that is shaping how sensors and shooters communicate to reduce the time from when a target is identified to when that target is destroyed; ultimately enhancing the Army's lethality. The quality of support delivered is earning us a fantastic reputation – demand is increasing, particularly for exercises throughout the Pacific theater. Looking ahead, September promises to be even more demanding with both Battalion and Brigade FTXs on the horizon. Coupled with the start of the school year and the associated demands at home, we'll all be balancing a lot. Remember to communicate mission requirements with your family early and often. I am consistently impressed by your dedication and professionalism. It's a privilege to continue serving alongside each of you. **ALWAYS CONSTANT!**



CSM's Corner

Greetings Mercury Team! As always, Team 51st has had a productive month as we continued to prepare for ongoing and upcoming missions. Teams throughout the Battalion are conducting missions in White Sands Missile Range, Fort Irwin, and in Japan. Simultaneously, Team 51st is getting after preparing 13 individuals, from all companies, for the upcoming Expert Soldier Badge Testing that will occur in September. Leading this effort is SSG Cortez from Charlie Company, job well done so far. Additionally, we continue to focus on training and developing our Soldiers. SSG Morales was able to plan and execute another Mercury Academy which provides our junior leaders with the basic leadership skills to lead as a team leader. We also had eight individuals attend and graduate from the Basic Leaders Course with SPC Squillante winning the Leadership Award, an accomplishment only a few achieve, excellent work! We closed out the month by welcoming 1SG Dupuy to the team as he assumed the role as the Alpha Company First Sergeant.

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XO's Corner

It has been a busy last month of Summer as the Mercury Family conducted final preparations for the Field Training Exercise. The month started out with the Brigade OIP hosted by the Corps COMET team, which highlighted areas of improvement for the Battalion. The Battalion Staff conducted an OPORD Brief to companies for the Battalion Field Training Exercise Mercury Challenge and is looking towards the Combined Arms Rehearsal before execution. The first Mercury Rising kicked off on 22 August, which is a quarterly event for all Officers and Warrant Officers to come together once a quarter and complete a physically challenging event. The Battalion continues to work hard as we prepare for our FTX while supporting missions at White Sands, NTC, and Japan. **Always Constant!**



S1's Corner

On 15 August 2025, [MILPER 25-335](#) was published introducing the iPERMS New Record Review Tool (RRT) 2.0 for release on 28 August 2025. Primary changes are that the RRT remains open all year around and no longer requires initiation by battalion S1. This allows the Soldiers to work through completeness and accuracy of the record at any time. Additionally, units will be able to submit a reason for overdue Personnel Records Reviews (PRR) allowing the unit to brief prescribed reasons why some PRRs are overdue. Please ensure you read through the attached MILPER for all the changes that will go into effect. When using the link, you need to login to the HRC website. As always reach out to the battalion S1 for any questions! **Always Constant!**



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S3's Corner

This past month the S3 team has been busy preparing the Battalion for the busy month of September. CPT Corabo and his team of Soldiers helped clear the motorpool of debris and excess equipment so our maintenance team can increase their ability to prepare the Battalion's fleet to go to the field. The NETOPs team has been making final preparations for our SNNs to be fully employed during the month of September. Additionally, Chief Matherne traveled to Japan with teams from Bravo Company to participate in the Operation Pathways exercise Yama Sakura 89 in support of I Corps. Lastly, we have SSG Morales and 2LT McGuire training to earn their Expert Soldier Badge in September and represent the S3 shop. **Always Constant!**



Chaplain's Corner

In August, the UMT continued to encourage Soldiers through counseling, worship, and resilience-building events. A highlight of the month was the Building Strong and Ready Teams (BSRT) Singles Event on 22 August at the Courtyard Marriott in Tacoma, where 15 Soldiers participated. The program, led by SGT Yokum, focused on resiliency, communication skills, and teamwork, giving Soldiers practical tools to strengthen both their personal and professional lives. This month also marked the departure of SGT Yokum, who faithfully served the 51st Expeditionary Signal Battalion - Enhanced UMT throughout deployment. She made a lasting impact through her leadership and dedication. As she departs for her next assignment in Georgia, we express our gratitude for her service and wish her continued success. **Always Constant!**



Hounds...

August has been a period of change for HHC. On the first of the month, the company conducted a change of command ceremony, transitioning command from CPT Antonio Buckner to CPT Scott Brown. With this change in leadership, the company has adopted the callsign Hound. We also welcomed LT Mitchell Mastin to the company headquarters, who is taking the role of company executive officer. Aside from the leadership transitions, the company's focus has been preparation for the upcoming field training exercise in September. From the 10-19th the battalion will be training in the woods, using lessons learned from current conflicts and updated doctrine to rehearse our capabilities and build resilience. This training will be taxing, but will test our abilities before we head into the next fiscal year and the holiday season. Steadfast in support of the Oldest and Finest Signal Battalion in the Army, Hound Company is ready to **Raise Hell!**



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Atlas...

During the duration of this month, A Co worked hard on numerous tasks. First we kicked off the week with company promotion for individuals who have put in the hard work and dedication to earn the next rank. It's always a great day in the Army when you are promoting Soldiers. During this time we also gave CPL Day a farewell to him and his family as they are off to Alaska. Also, we had two Soldiers compete in the NCO/SOQ board where we captured SGT Sanchez performing different weapon tasks for the mystery event. Along with the board. Atlas company conducting a Battalion PMI/EST for the M4 range that help qualify Soldiers within the Battalion as well as for the train up for Expert Soldiers Badge. Throughout the week Atlas company Soldiers also started painting the COF getting ahead of the company clean up. Atlas company Soldiers also participated in cross training with 17th FAB in which we learned more about the JBCP/TOC KIT as well as taught them SNN capabilities with setup procedures. **Strong and Steady, this is the way!**



Bruins...

This month, the Bruin Company faced challenges and rose above adversity. Physical training has continued to revolve around training for the 12-mile ruck as well as the 4-mile validation run. B Co also had the honor of smoking the 22nd Corps Signal Brigade CSM Costello during Eagle 7 PT at the COF. Technical expertise continues to be tested and strengthened as teams continue to be forward deployed to White Sands Missile Range, NM and Yama Sakura, Japan. Our current mission focus is preparing for the upcoming Battalion Field Training Exercise where we will test our capabilities to self-sustain as well as team validations. In B Co, we strive to set standards in physical, technical, and tactical competencies as we remain prepared to deploy and support the defense of our nation. **Rise Above!**



Cobras...

Greetings Cobra Family! During the month of August Cobra Company conducted coordination for the employment of 6 nodes in support of MSC aligned units and 2 nodes in support of 2-2 SBCT. These co-ordinations culminated with three COMMEXs with 201st, 864th, and 2-2. Ten soldiers from C Co have completed all requirements to compete for their Expert Soldier Badges and have been conducting train-up over the course of August. We look forward to seeing their hard work pay off as they compete to earn their badges in the month of September! This month also saw the promotion of SSG Larios, and the successful completion of BLC for SPC Eggers, SPC Delriego and SPC Squillante. A big congratulations to SPC Squillante who was the first soldier from 51st ESB-E to win the Distinguished Leadership Award at BLC! **OSOK!**



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HHC COC

Soldiers' Highlights
September Soldiers' Birthdays

BAZURTO II VINCENT
BEGAYE CHARLISIA
BENNETT CURTIS
BLUE ALEXIS
BOWEN MARIEKA
CLARK KEASHEEKA
DEL RIEGO ELI
GAFFNEY JEREMIAH
GONZALEZ DANIA
GUERRA SETH
HASKELL CAMERON
HERNANDEZ MARK

HUANTE DAVID
JACKSON TRAMELLE
MACK KENNETH
MALONE BRODERICK
MASTIN MITCHELL
MCWILLIAMS TYLER
MORALES CAREN
MORRIS JANSEN
MOUA VINCE
MYERS CONNLANN
PETTWAY WARREN
RIVERA JORGE

ROMAN ETHAN
ROSARIO DUSTIN
SAIGH GABRIELA
SINGLETON GREGORY
STAPLETON DEVON
STOKES BRANDON
STOUT BRYCE
TAING JONATHAN
THOMPSON JORDANN
TRIVETTE JACOB
ZATEZALO CALEB



A Co training with 17th FAB for STT



HHC conducts Leaders Time Training, led by SSG Beach



SPC Beat teaches PMCS Sargeant's Time Training



Farewells to CPT Buckner



B Co promotes Soldier to CPL



Ready and Resilient PT Event.



A Co running the M4 range



LTC Liley presents CPL Day his PSC award



SPC Beat teaches PMCS Sargeant's Time Training



PFC Bluff takes pride in her workplace



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The Danish Flyver participants after the 20km ruck march



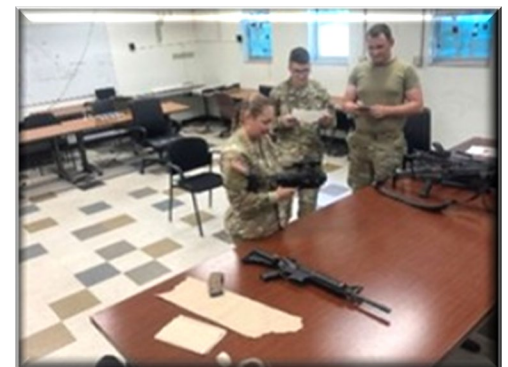
Soldiers from the 256 Signal Company assisting A Co Soldiers with the TRILOS



A Co Soldiers teaching 256 Sig Co Soldiers how to operate the SNN



A Co promoted 4 Soldiers to the next rank.



SGT Sanchez during the NCO of The Quarter Mystery event



MAJ Ruano presents SGT Adeleye her PCS Award



SSG and above PT with LTC Liley



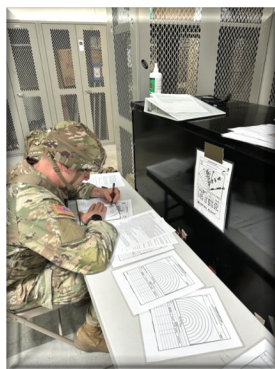
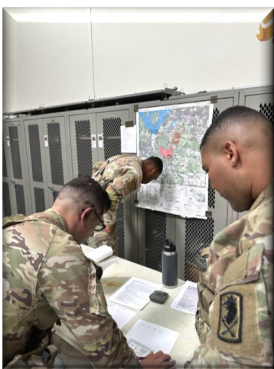
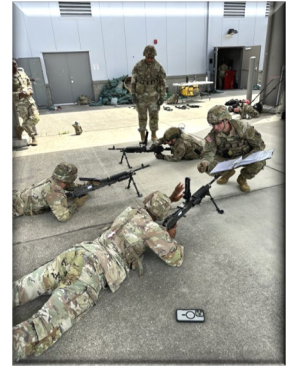
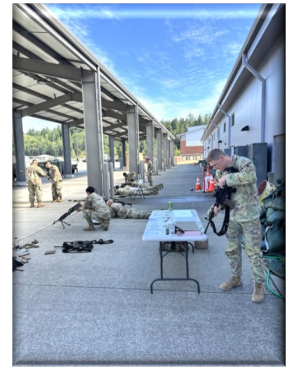
ESB Train-up



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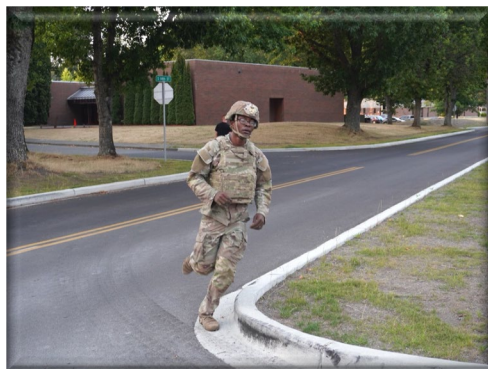
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51ST ESB-E UPCOMING EVENTS
SEPTEMBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
			BOSS – Tacoma Rainier Baseball game			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Battalion FTX			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
						JBLM Half Marathon & 5K/1K
			Battalion FTX			
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			Promotion Board		Commanders Cup 2-Miler	
		Battalion NCO/Soldier of the Year Competition		BN Fitness Challenge	Unit Polos	
28	29	30				
	BLC Graduation					

OFF DAYS JBLM EVENTS BN EVENTS

OCTOBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			All AC removed from windows		BSRT	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
BSRT				Signal Ball AGSU		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
					12 Mile RUCK	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
					Unit Polos	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
			BLC Graduation		NCO Run Unit Polos	



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