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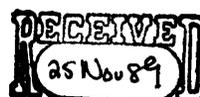
Subj: 1988 COMMAND HISTORY FOR FIGHTER SQUADRON ONE HUNDRED TWO

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5750.12C

Encl: (1) Commanding/Executive Officer Biographies and Photos  
(2) Squadron Statistical Data/Precedence List  
(3) Narrative of events  
(4) Squadron Patches

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1) through (4) are submitted.
2. The immediate Senior Commander of VF-102, Carrier Air Wing ONE; CAPT J. J. Johnson. The Commanding Officer, VF-102; CDR William G. Fischer until relieved by CDR Charles E. Milsted, jr. in August 1988. CDR Robert L. McLane arrived in August 1988 as the Executive Officer. Homeport VF-102; Naval Air Station Oceana, Virginia Beach, Virginia, work-ups on USS AMERICA (CV-66). Thirteen F-14A aircraft assigned to the squadron. Tail Code; AB.

  
R. L. MCLANE



## NARRATIVE OF EVENTS

1. January-February:
  - The squadron flew numerous low-level missions and TARPS sorties concluding at Dare County target range for air-to-ground strafe.
2. March:
  - Extensive field carrier landing practice at NALF Fentress, 13-21 March 1988.
  - CV-66 carrier qualifications, 23-30 March 1988.
3. April:
  - CV-66 Shakedown cruise training included strafing, aerial refueling, supersonic intercepts, and emission control (EMCON) operations, 4-30 April 1988.
  - Participated in Fleet Week '88 in New York city, 20-25 April 1988.
4. May:
  - AIC missions flown in support of Fleet Combat Systems Center, New Jersey, to test upgrades to the AEGIS Spy-1 radar, 3-11 May 1988.
  - Missile exercise in Puerto Rican operations area. Ten of the ten missiles fired guided to lethal kills, 15-22 May 1988.
5. June:
  - Air wing weapons detachment at NAS Fallon, Nevada. Training consisted of overland air superiority training (OAST), Fleet Integrated Suppression Training (FIST), and coordinated air wing strikes against heavily defended targets, 1-18 June 1988.
6. July:
  - Unit NATOPS review by Fighter Wing ONE 18-22 July. CV-66 Dependent's Day cruise, 23 July 1988.
  - Fleet Air Superiority Training (FAST) by Top Gun staff, 25-29 July 1988.
7. August:
  - Change of Command, CDR Charles E. Milsted, Jr. relieved CDR William G. Fischer, 10 August 1988.
  - AIRLANT representative to USAF world-wide Reconnaissance Air Meet '88, Austin, Texas, 15-26 August 1988.
8. September:
  - Refresher training on board CV-66, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba operating area. Training included long range strikes, chainsaw outer air battle tactics in heavy electronic and communications jamming, 7-27 September 1988.

9. October:

- Strike/fighter ACM readiness program with VFA-86 and VF-45 NAS Key West, Florida, 5-12 October 1988. Squadron flew over 60 sorties as attached and unattached TARCAP on mini-raids with VFA-86. F-16's and A-4's from VF-45 provided adversary support, 5-12 October 1988.

10. November:

- Detachment to Red Flag, Indian Springs AAF, Nevada. Squadron flew mixed F-14A/F-18 MiG sweep and TARCAP missions, 5-19 November 1988.
- Field carrier landing practice NALF Fentress, 21-28 November 1988.

11. December:

- Advanced Training Phase aboard CV-66, training included chainsaw operations and 6 successful missile firings 29 November-19 December 1988.
- For year, no class A mishaps.

**SQUADRON STATISTICAL DATA/PRECEDENCE LIST**

I. Ordnance Expenditures:

1988 Calendar year:	AIM-54	0/100*
	AIM-7	5/100*
	AIM-9	2/100*
	RR-129 CHAFF	3382/100*
	MJU-8B FLARES	605/100*
	20 MM TP	42,764/100*

II. Officer Compliment:

COMMANDERS

FISCHER, William G.	
MILSTED, Charles E., Jr.	MCLANE, Robert L.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS

STUFFLEBEEM, John D.	BOLYARD, John W.
WAITE, Michael A.	VAUGHN, Stephen R., Jr.
BUCK, Robert B.	GUNDY, John E.

LIEUTENANTS

SPARKS, Thomas L.	COLLINS, Dennis M.
FISCHER, Harold A.	REHBAUM, Karl E.
RUDY, Jack R.	JACKSON, Mark C.
WETTERHOLT, Robert W.	FENNELL, Bryan D.
ANDERSON, Kenneth B.	WHITSON, Andrew S.
MAZANOWSKI, Jerry C.	BELL, William L.
GAIANI, Anthony E.	DOBBS, Dane L.
MATHESON, Jon G.	PRISTOU, Walter L.
MYERS, Bruce A.	EHRBAR, Jeffrey G.

LIEUTENANTS (JUNIOR GRADE)

FIVES, Joseph R.	AUSLEY, Paul D.
KELLEY, Roy J.	ANDENORO, John D.
MOOR, Timothy G.	ROBUSTO, John A.
DUMPHY, James T.	

ENSIGNS

KRANICK, Paul D.	HOLBROOK, Stewart W.
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WARRANT OFFICERS (CWO2)

ROGERS, Michael R.	BROUKER, Steven J.
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