

2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association records

Accession number 6104

Date 1939-2004

Author / Creator

2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association.

Abstract Records created by 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association between 1939 and 2004.

Scope and content Records include nominal and embarkation rolls; photographs of members of 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment; a war diary and reminiscences about World War, 1939-1945; accounts, correspondence and minute books; and Regiment Welfare Fund records.

System of arrangement Arranged into 1 series.

Description 2 boxes of papers

Administrative / Biographical history Reunions of the 2/2nd Anti Tank Regiment Association members were organised every year, and the members kept informed about events and functions through the newsletter organised by Mr. David Bolton. The Association was disbanded on 11 February 2004 due to lack of members.

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Series 1: Correspondence (1941-1998)

Series number 1

Series title Correspondence

Date 1941-1998

Scope and content

Letters, cards and reminiscences relating to the members of the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment, and the Association.

- Christmas cards, 1941
- Correspondence acknowledging receipt by the Australian War Memorial of the regimental bugle used by the 2/2nd Australian Anti-Tank Regiment's bugler in the Second World War
- Correspondence of the Association, including soldiers' reminiscences of their service during the Second World War. See also Series: Memoirs for further personal accounts of the war
- Correspondence regarding the death of Gordon Elmhirst Duckering, who was killed in action, July 1941

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Description

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Other

Notes

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Series 2: Diaries (1940-1974)

Series number 2

Series title Diaries

Date 1940-1974

Scope and content

Diaries kept by members of the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment, of their experiences during the Second World War.

- Diary of John McKimmon (QX760) served as a Sergeant in the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment in the Middle East and New Guinea. The diary, written after the war, contains much information about 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment, as well as an account of the author's posting in Vietnam.
- Diary kept by Angus Jamie during the Second World War. The diary begins with Jamie's training at Redbank, Brisbane, and ends with his discharge from the Army, in 1945. Appendices include: names of the 2/2nd Anti Tank Regiments personnel; embarkations and disembarkations rolls; photocopies of photographs taken during the war; a war diary and information about casualties suffered in Syria, as well as the wounded and missing in action.

Author / Creator

McKimmon, John Robert Walker, 1920-2001

Jamie, Angus McLeod, 1920-2001

Description

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Series 3: Memoirs (1996)

Series number 3

Series title Memoirs

Date 1996

Scope and content

Personal accounts of the war, written by the members of the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment.

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Series 4: Minutes (1950-1963)

Series number 4

Series title Minutes

Date 1950-1963

Scope and content

Minute books relating the the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association meetings.

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2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association

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Series 5: Nominal rolls (1940-1996)

Series number 5

Series title Nominal rolls

Date 1940-1996

Scope and content

Embarkation and Association nominal rolls as well as lists of personnel, relating to the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment.

- Embarkation nominal rolls for officers and other ranks. The rolls include army numbers, vaccination details and medical and dental fitness information
- Handwritten copies of embarkation rolls for the 2/2nd Australian Anti-Tank Regiment
- 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association nominal rolls containing names, addresses, regiment numbers and battalion details of the members
- List of personnel of 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment killed on active service overseas and in Australia
- List of soldiers who served with the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment, who received recommendations, honours and awards.

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Series 6: Papers (1941-1999)

Series number 6

Series title Papers

Date 1941-1999

Scope and content

Miscellaneous papers, reports, accounts and nominal rolls relating to the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association and Welfare Fund.

- Plan of attack at Saida-Jezzine, 26 June 1941, 2/25th Australian Infantry Battalion.
- Treasurer's report on distribution of money from 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Welfare Fund.
- Accounts, correspondence and nominal rolls containing names, addresses and regiment numbers of the members of the Association.
- Documents relating to the participation of the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association in the Unknown Soldier funeral procession and entombment at the Australian War Memorial, 11 November 1993.

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Series 7: Photographs (1940-1945)

Series number 7

Series title Photographs

Date 1940-1945

Scope and content

Black and white photographs of the members of the 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment. The photographs were taken at various locations, including Syria.

A number of photographs are reproduced in the publication by 2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment, "A pictorial record of the way we were 1940-1945", Chermside, Qld.: 2/2 Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association, 1997.

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Series 8: Published works (1942-1997)

Series number 8

Series title Published works

Date 1942-1997

Scope and content

- Issues of a journal published in Melbourne by the Australian Army Education Service. They contain articles on different aspects of army life, including news from Europe, The United States and the Pacific.
- A copy of "A pictorial record of the way we were 1940-1945" by 2/2 Australian Anti Tank

Regiment Association. The publication contains handwritten information about the photographs and albums the photographs were taken from.

Author / Creator

Australian Army Education Service

2/2nd Australian Anti Tank Regiment Association

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