



# BUCKEYE GUARD

## LINEAGE LINKUP

### Featuring Battery C, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery Regiment McConnelsville, Ohio

#### PARENT UNIT

Company B, 7th Separate Infantry Battalion

#### DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH

19 April 1900, Marietta, Ohio

#### MISSION

To provide air defense for an Army Headquarters, and when assigned, the corps or division headquarters and brigade combat team (BCT) forces, areas or installations against cruise missiles, unmanned aerial vehicles (UAV)/unmanned combat aerial vehicles (UCAV), and rotary- and fixed-wing aircraft.

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

**World War I:** Lorraine 1918

**War on Terrorism:** Campaigns to be determined

#### DECORATIONS

- **Meritorious Unit Commendation(Army)**  
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- 1900** Organized 19 April 1900 in the Ohio National Guard at Marietta as Company B, 7th Separate Infantry Battalion<sup>1</sup>
- 1901** Redesignated 20 June 1901 as Company B, 7th Infantry Regiment<sup>2</sup>
- 1914** Redesignated 16 December 1914 as Company B, Unattached Infantry<sup>3</sup>
- 1915** Redesignated 18 June 1915 as Company B, 7th Infantry Regiment<sup>4</sup>
- 1917** Called into Federal service 15 July 1917;  
Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917<sup>5</sup>
- Converted, reorganized and redesignated 25 October 1917 as Company F, 112th Ammunition Train, an element of the 37th Division<sup>6</sup>
- 1919** Demobilized in April 1919 at Camp Sherman, Ohio<sup>7</sup>
- 1920** Reorganized and Federally recognized 4 August 1920 in the Ohio National Guard at Marietta as Company A, 4th Infantry Regiment<sup>8</sup>
- 1921** Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1921 as Company A, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Division<sup>9</sup>
- 1940** Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Marietta<sup>10</sup>
- 1942** Relieved 1 February 1942 from assignment to the 37th Division (37th Division concurrently redesignated as the 37th Infantry Division)<sup>11</sup>
- 1944** Inactivated 1 February 1944 at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma<sup>12</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> TAG Ohio Special Order 82, 1900.

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TAG Ohio Special Order 210, 1901.

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TAG Ohio Special Order 256, 1914.

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TAG Ohio Special Order 113, 1915.

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TAG Ohio General Order 20, 14 July 1917.

<sup>6</sup> 37th Division General Order 59, 1917.

<sup>7</sup> Returns.

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TAG Ohio Bulletin No.2, 30 June 1922.

<sup>9</sup> TAG Ohio General Order 15, 1 July 1921.

<sup>10</sup> Executive Order # 8551.

<sup>11</sup> 37th Division General Order 2, 31 January 1942.

<sup>12</sup> Unit Data Card, 166th Infantry.

- 1947** Reorganized and Federally recognized 7 August 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at Marietta as Company F, 166th Infantry<sup>13</sup>
- 1959** Converted and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Battery D, 2d Automatic Weapons Battalion, 174th Artillery<sup>14</sup>
- 1968** Reorganized and redesignated 15 February 1968 as Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Artillery<sup>15</sup>
- 1972** Redesignated 1 November 1972 as Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery<sup>16</sup>
- 1990** Consolidated 1 September 1990 with Detachment 1, Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery (see ANNEX); consolidated unit designated as Battery C, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery; location changed to Caldwell<sup>17</sup>
- 1992** Location changed 1 October 1992 to McConnelsville<sup>18</sup>
- 2003** Ordered into active Federal service 15 March 2003 at McConnelsville; released from active Federal service 21 May 2003 and reverted to state control<sup>19</sup>
- 2005** Redesignated 1 October 2005 as Battery C, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery Regiment<sup>20</sup>
- 2011** Ordered into active Federal service 15 September 2011 at McConnelsville; released from active Federal service 18 October 2012 and reverted to state control<sup>21</sup>
- 2017** Ordered into active Federal service 31 March 2017 at McConnelsville; released from active Federal service 30 March 2018 and reverted to state control<sup>22</sup>

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State Study; NGB Recognition Reports.

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<sup>14</sup> NGB Reorganization Authority 96-59, 30 June 1959.

NGB Reorganization Authority 12-68, 26 January 1968.

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<sup>16</sup> NGB Reorganization Authority 236-72, 11 October 1972.

NGB Organizational Authority 202-87, Corrected Copy 2, 17 October 1991.

<sup>18</sup> NGB Organizational Authority 73-07, 14 February 2007.

<sup>19</sup> DA Mobilization Order 331-03; DA Demobilization Order 055-03.

<sup>20</sup> DAMH-FPO (220-5a), 20 September 2005.

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<sup>21</sup> DA Mobilization Order 1752-11, 4 April 2011; DA Demobilization Order 391-13.

DA Mobilization Order 2195-16; DA Demobilization Order 655-18.

# ANNEX

- 1955** Organized and Federally recognized 28 November 1955 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Caldwell as Ambulance Company, 112th Medical Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Division<sup>23</sup>
- 1959** Converted and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Battery C, 2d Automatic Weapons Battalion, 174th Artillery and relieved from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division<sup>24</sup>
- 1968** Reorganized and redesignated 15 February 1968 as 2d Automatic Weapons Platoon, Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Artillery<sup>25</sup>
- 1972** Redesignated 1 February 1972 as Detachment 1, Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Artillery<sup>26</sup>
- Redesignated 1 November 1972 as Detachment 1, Battery D, 2d Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery<sup>27</sup>

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<sup>23</sup> NG-AROTO – Ohio, 14 December 1955.

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NGB Reorganization Authority 96-59, 30 June 1959.

<sup>25</sup>

NGB Reorganization Authority 12-68, 26 January 1968.

<sup>26</sup> NGB Reorganization Authority 1-72, 5 January 1972.

<sup>27</sup> NGB Reorganization Authority 236-72, 11 October 1972.



**APRIL 19, 1900**

**BATTERY C, 2D BATTALION, 174TH AIR DEFENSE ARTILLERY REGIMENT IS  
ORGANIZED IN MARIETTA AS COMPANY B, 7TH SEPARATE INFANTRY BATTALION**



Battery C, 2nd Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery Regiment is organized in Marietta, Ohio as Company B, 7th Separate Infantry Battalion. As an element of the 37th Division in World War I, the unit earned credit for participation in the Lorraine campaign as Company F, 112th Ammunition Train. The battery converted to air defense artillery in 1959 and moved from its armory in Marietta to its present station at McConnellsville in 1992. The battery also earned the Meritorious Unit Commendation during its 2017-2018 mobilization to Central and Southwest Asia. In this 1917 photo, Company B, 7th Infantry Regiment Soldiers pose for a photograph on the front steps of the Marietta Armory prior to leaving for World War I.



1917 ~ Company B, 7th Infantry Regiment on the steps of the Marietta Armory.



1994 ~ Sgt. 1st Class Donald McIntyre, Battery C, 2nd Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery, assists Belmont County snow emergency operations by coordinating Guard personnel and equipment to priority areas during a state active duty mission in January 1994.





2000 ~ Soldiers from Battery C, 2nd Battalion, 174th Air Defense Artillery pose for a photograph with the unit guidon.