

## **REGIMENTAL SUCCESSION**

### **COMMANDING OFFICERS, COMPANY COMMANDERS AND CSMs OF THE GREEN JACKET ADULT TRAINING ORGANISATION FROM THE END OF WORLD WAR II TO 1985 ON LEAVING PENINSULA BARRACKS FOR SIR JOHN MOORE BARRACKS**

(Sources: KRRC and RB Chronicles 1946-1965 and RGJ Chronicles 1966-1984)

Year	Unit	Locations	Commanding Officers	Training Company Commanders	Training Coy CSM	Remarks
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1945	27 Inf Trg Centre (27 ITC)	Bushfield Camp	Lt Col W Heathcoat-Amery DSO KRRC	Maj G de Pre KRRC Maj CM Archer KRRC Maj RLJ Bailey KRRC Maj CH Liddell MC RB	NK	
	27 Green Jacket Holding Bn	Chisledon Nr Marlborough	Lt Col VB Turner VC RB Lt Col NR Blockley OBE RB (1946)	Maj J Dickinson KRRC Maj RA Flower MC RB	NK	Merged with 27 ITC 10/46
	The Rifle Officer Cadet Training Unit (Rifle OCTU)	Perham Down (1942) York (1943) Bushfield (1945)	Maj AC Gore RB Lt Col ARC Southby RB Lt Col E Northey KRRC Maj T Trotter KRRC	NA	NK	Disbanded 12/45
1946	27 ITC/Green Jacket Primary Training Centre	Barton Stacey/ Bushfield Camp	Lt Col W Heathcoat-Amery DSO KRRC	Maj CH Liddell MC RB Maj CR Scott KRRC	NK	Training Coy Holding, Cont. & Drafting Coy
1947	The Green Jacket Infantry Training Centre	Barton Stacey/ Bushfield Camp	Lt Col W Heathcoat-Amery DSO KRRC	Maj CH Liddell MC RB Maj CR Scott KRRC	NK	Training Coy Holding, Cont. & Drafting Coy
1948	Green Jacket Bde Trg Cen 1 <sup>st</sup> Bn KRRC Green Jacket Bde Trg Bn	Barton Stacey/ Winchester	Lt Col CT Mitford-Slade KRRC	A Coy Maj JA Powell MC KRRC B Coy Maj CR Scott KRRC C Coy Maj RFL Chance MC KRRC	NK	
1949	1 <sup>st</sup> Bn KRRC Green Jacket Bde Trg Bn	Bushfield/ Winchester	Lt Col CT Mitford-Slade KRRC	A Coy Maj JFC Mellor DSO KRRC B Coy Maj JM White OBE KRRC C Coy Maj The Hon MCC Charteris OBE KRRC	NK	
1950	1 <sup>st</sup> Bn KRRC Green Jacket Bde Trg Bn/	Bushfield Camp/	Lt Col CT Mitford-Slade KRRC	A Coy Maj JFC Mellor DSO KRRC B Coy Maj JM White OBE KRRC	NK	1 KRRC resumes active

	The Green Jacket Bde Trg Bn	Winchester		C Coy Maj JA Hunter DSO MBE MC KRRC		duty
1951	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Lt Col CT Mitford-Slade KRRC Col DRC Boileau DSO RB (Bde Col & CO Green Jacket Depot)	Maj RHWS Hastings DSO, OBE, MC RB	WO2 W Phillips KRRC	
1952	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col DRC Boileau DSO RB	Maj RHWS Hastings DSO, OBE, MC RB Maj CH Liddell MC RB (11/52)	WO2 K French KRRC	
1953	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col DRC Boileau DSO RB	Maj CH Liddell MC RB	WO2 Croft RB	
1954	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col DRC Boileau DSO RB Col The Hon MF Douglas-Pennant DSO, MBE KRRC (7/54)	Maj CH Liddell MC RB	WO2 T Thomas KRRC	
1955	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col The Hon MF Douglas-Pennant DSO, MBE KRRC	Maj ENW Bramall MC KRRC (1/55)	WO2 R Hinnett KRRC	
1956	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col The Hon MF Douglas-Pennant DSO, MBE KRRC	Maj ENW Bramall MC KRRC Capt PM Welsh KRRC (9/56) Maj GH Mills KRRC (11/56)	WO2 RW Garner KRRC	
1957	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col The Hon MF Douglas-Pennant DSO, MBE KRRC	Maj GH Mills KRRC Maj EHC Garnier MC RB (8/57)	WO2 RW Garner KRRC	
1958	The Green Jackets Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col The Hon MF Douglas-Pennant DSO, MBE KRRC Col JFC Mellor DSO KRRC (7/58)	Maj JH Hanscombe RB (1/58)	WO2 RW Garner KRRC	
1959	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col JFC Mellor DSO KRRC Col RA St C Martin OBE 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup> (7/59) Dep Comd Lt Col RA Flower MC RB	Maj JH Hanscombe RB	WO2 TB Fowley KRRC	
1960	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Upper Barracks Winchester	Col RA St C Martin OBE 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup> Dep Comd Lt Col RA Flower MC RB	Maj JH Hanscombe RB	WO2 TB Fowley KRRC	
1961	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Bushfield Camp	Lt Col RA Flower MC RB Lt Col P Pardoe KRRC (7/61)	Maj JH Hanscombe RB	WO2 TB Fowley KRRC WO2 Young 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	
1962	The Green Jackets	Bushfield Camp	Lt Col P Pardoe KRRC	Maj JH Hanscombe RB	WO2 F Clarke	

	Brigade Depot			Maj CG Wemyss RB (12/62)	43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	
1963	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Bushfield Camp	Lt Col P Pardoe KRRC Lt Col RRW Workman 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup> (8/63)	Maj CG Wemyss RB	WO2 F Clarke 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	
1964	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Bushfield Camp	Lt Col RRW Workman 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	Maj CG Wemyss RB	WO2 F Clarke 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	
1965	The Green Jackets Brigade Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col RRW Workman 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup> Lt Col DM Stileman RB (10/65)	Maj CG Wemyss RB Maj J St C Simmons 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup> (2/65)	WO2 E Towns 43 <sup>rd</sup> /52 <sup>nd</sup>	
<b>Formation of The Royal Green Jackets 1 January 1966</b>						
1966	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col DM Stileman 3RGJ	Maj J St C Simmons 1RGJ	WO2 E Towns 1RGJ	
1967	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col DM Stileman 3RGJ Lt Col TGH Jackson 3RGJ (11/67)	Maj J St C Simmons 1RGJ Maj JW Mason 2RGJ (4/67)	WO2 B Taylor 3RGJ	
1968	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col TGH Jackson 3RGJ	Maj JW Mason 2RGJ	WO2 B Taylor 3RGJ	
1969	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col TGH Jackson 3RGJ	Maj JW Mason 2RGJ Maj DJ Ramsbotham 3RGJ (4/69) Maj JWB Mogg 1RGJ (12/69)	WO2 B Taylor 3RGJ	
1970	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col TGH Jackson 3RGJ Lt Col ME Carlton-Smith MBE 3RGJ (4/70)	Maj JWB Mogg 1RGJ Maj RM Gamble 3RGJ (12/70)	WO2 K Granby 2RGJ	
1971	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col ME Carlton-Smith MBE 3RGJ	Maj RM Gamble 3RGJ	WO2 K Granby 2RGJ	
1972	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col ME Carlton-Smith MBE 3RGJ Lt Col J St C Simmons 1RGJ (8/72)	Maj RM Gamble 3RGJ Maj TM Hartley MBE 1RGJ (6/72)	WO2 K Granby 2RGJ	
1973	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col J St C Simmons 1RGJ	Maj TM Hartley MBE 1RGJ Maj ASG Drew 2RGJ (2/73)	WO2 D Hunt 2RGJ	
1974	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col J St C Simmons 1RGJ	Maj ASG Drew 2RGJ Maj SMC Marriott 3RGJ (2/74)	WO2 D Hunt 2RGJ WO2 B Brooks 2RGJ	
1975	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col <b>J St C</b> Simmons 1RGJ Lt Col <b>CSt C</b> Simmons 1RGJ (2/75)	Maj SMC Marriott 3RGJ	WO2 B Brooks 2RGJ	
1976	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col CSt C Simmons 1RGJ	Maj SMC Marriott 3RGJ Maj NM Prideaux 1RGJ (12/76)	WO2 B Brooks 2RGJ	
1977	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col CSt C Simmons 1RGJ Lt Col CLGG Henshaw 2RGJ (8/77)	Maj NM Prideaux 1RGJ	WO2 Tuesy 2RGJ	

1978	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col CLGG Henshaw 2RGJ	Maj NM Prideaux 1RGJ Maj MKO'M Dewar 3RGJ (2/78)	WO2 Tuesy 2RGJ WO2 Hunter 1RGJ	
1979	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col CLGG Henshaw 2RGJ	Maj MKO'M Dewar 3RGJ Maj AMD Palmer 2RGJ (9/79)	WO2 Hunter 1RGJ	
1980	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col CLGG Henshaw 2RGJ Lt Col NM Prideaux 1RGJ (4/80)	Maj AMD Palmer 2RGJ Maj AD McGrigor 2RGJ (11/80)	WO2 Hunter 1RGJ WO2 J Burton 1RGJ	
1981	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col NM Prideaux 1RGJ	Maj AD McGrigor 2RGJ	WO2 J Burton 1RGJ WO2 MJ McGarragal 1RGJ	
1982	The Royal Green Jacket Depot	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col NM Prideaux 1RGJ Lt Col PG Chamberlin 1RGJ (7/82)	Maj AD McGrigor 2RGJ Maj GF Smythe MBE 3RGJ (9/82)	WO2 MJ McGarragal 1RGJ WO2 DJ Duncan 2RGJ	
<b>Formation of The Light Division Depot (Winchester) 1 January 1983</b>						
1983	The Light Division Depot (W)	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col PG Chamberlin 1RGJ	Maj GF Smythe MBE 3RGJ	WO2 DJ Duncan 2RGJ WO2 C Gates 2RGJ	
1984	The Light Division Depot (W)	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col PG Chamberlin 1RGJ	Maj GF Smythe MBE 3RGJ Maj J-D von Merveldt 2RGJ (1/84)	WO2 C Gates 2RGJ WO2 M Fitzgerald QGM 2LI	
1985	The Light Division Depot (W)	Peninsula Barracks	Lt Col PG Chamberlin 1RGJ Lt Col MKO'M Dewar 3RGJ (1/85)	Maj J-D von Merveldt 2RGJ	WO2 M Fitzgerald QGM 2LI WO2 K Jones 2RGJ WO2 H Kennedy 3LI	
<p>In December 1985 Peninsula Barracks closed down and the Depot and Training function moved to the newly and purpose built Sir John Moore Barracks, Andover Road North, Winchester (formerly a Naval Signal Station known as Flowerdown), thus ending over 200 years of Green Jacket association with Peninsula Barracks in Winchester. Training Company moved 40 years and 10 days to the day after the post World War II Green Jacket Adult training commenced with 27 ITC.</p>						

List compiled by Lt Col J-D von Merveldt in Dec 1985; reviewed, corrected and saved electronically Oct 2005