

This is an after action report on the RCACN Eastern Regional Battleday at Danville November 17-19, 2006

Summery:

The Battleday was sponsored and hosted by the following clubs;
East PAC, AGE, HEAT.

The event officially kicked off on Friday with some historical battles.

The battles continued Saturday with the arrival of some more tankers. Saturday had additional structured Battles along Axis vs Allied lines plus the competition, and night battles. Saturday morning an award ceremony was held.

Sunday had additional battles along Axis vs Allied lines plus additional competition battles in the morning and post W.W. II battles (NATO vs Russia) in the afternoon.

We had a total of 20 active tankers registered at the event.

The following clubs had members in attendance;

AGE
East PAC
HEAT
VAD

Competition battles detailed:

Saturdays Historical Platoon/Team Competition Battles;

Allied Platoons/teams: Red Devils & Bravo Platoon
Axis Platoons/teams: Das Reich & Totenkopf

Round 1.

Allied: Bravo Platoon versus Axis: Totenkopf victor: Totenkopf (Axis)
Allied: Red Devils versus Axis: Das Reich victor: Das Reich (Axis)

Round 2.

Axis: Totenkopf versus Axis: Das Reich victor: Das Reich (Axis)

Das Reich and the Axis forces were the winners of the Historical Platoon/Team Competition Battles.

Saturday 2 Grand Competition Battles were held.

1st Grand Battle:

Victor: Axis forces

2nd Grand Battle:

Victor: Allied forces

Sunday 2 Grand Competition Battles were held.

3rd Grand Battle:

Victor: Allied forces

4th Grand Battle:

Victor: Axis forces

Awards ceremony detailed:

Axis Awards:

After achieving sufficient victories; Mike Gregoris & Kevin Rimrodt were presented with the Knights Cross with Oak Leaves (4th level award), Dick Bernier was presented with the Knights Cross (3rd level award).

After participating in sufficient battles; Scott Hinshaw & Robert Held were presented with the German Tank Assault Badge (1st level award).

Allied Awards:

After achieving sufficient victories; Dana Lowell was presented with a second Bronze Star (2nd level award)

After participating in sufficient battles; Dana Lowell was presented with the American Tank Assault Badge [25] (2nd level award), Chuck Rayburn & Laura Sprouse were presented with the American Tank Assault Badge (1st level award).

Current kill status:

Mike Gregoris is the current top Axis ace with 56 kills

Dana Lowell is the current top Allied ace with 19 kills.

AFV roster detailed:

The following is a list of 1/16 scale R/C battle unit capable tanks/AFVs present;

W.W. II, Axis-

German: Qty ~ (17 total)

JadgTiger 1

Pz VI-B "King Tiger" 5

Pz VI-E "Tiger I" (Early) 7

Pz VI-E "Tiger I" (Mid) 1
Pz VI-E "Tiger I" (Late) 1
(Captured) T-34/85 2 (operated under German colors)

W.W. II, Allied-

American: Qty ~ (15 total)

M26 "Pershing" 9

Shermans

M4A3E2 "Jumbo" 1

M4A3E8 "Easy 8" 2

M4 (105) HVSS 3

British: Qty~ (0 total)

Russian: Qty~ (0 total)

Grand total of AFVs = 32

I would also like to thank all of those that volunteered to be Referees, Judges, Event Organizers, Monitors and the Battlefield Committee for all their hard work.

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