

55th Combat Camera Southbound Trooper IX

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EXERCISE SOUTHBOUND TROOPER IX

- Held February 13 – 22, 2009, Exercise Southbound Trooper is the largest annual military exercise for Soldiers from 36 Canadian Brigade Group (36 CBG)
- Over 430 Primary Reserve Soldiers from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island train side by side with U.S. Active Duty, National Guard, and Reserve counterparts at Fort Pickett,



A Canadian Army Soldier from The 1st Battalion, Nova Scotia Highlanders, searches a U.S. Army Soldier from Alpha Co., 3rd Battalion, 3rd Special Forces Group (Airborne) during a class on proper enemy prisoner of war search procedures at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. The class was a component of Exercise Southbound Trooper IX, a joint venture aimed at preparing today's warfighters for success in current military operations. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. David J. Marshall/Released) 090219-A-0759M-036

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A U.S. Air Force Tech. Sgt. signals an incoming helicopter using a mirror during a training mission at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. The mission is part of Exercise Southbound Trooper IX, an annual multi-national event to prepare Soldiers for future deployments. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Ernest E. Sivia III/ Released) 090219-A-9234S-034



Master Bombardier Mark Winters fires his C7 rifle during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Bao Huynh/Released) 090219-A-0852H-465

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Canadian Army Soldiers from The West Nova Scotia Regiment and U.S. Army Soldiers from Alpha Co., 3rd Battalion, 3rd Special Forces Group (Airborne) wait for the arrival of their helicopter during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. Kurt Lamel/Released) 090219-A-3583L-009

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Rounds await to be fired from a C3 105mm howitzer during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Bao Huynh/Released) 090219-A-0852H-319



Canadian Army Master Warrant Officer Adam Veyt from The Princess Louise Fusiliers oversees his troops while a U.S. Army Soldier from 55th Signal Co. (Combat Camera) documents a helicopter troop lift during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. Kurt Lamel/Released) 090219-A-3583L-019

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U.S. Army Soldiers from the New Hampshire National Guard, 237th Military Police, perform room clearing exercises and detain a suspected insurgent during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. Nicole K. Brown/Released) 090219-A-3139B-117

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Canadian Army Soldiers from The 2nd Battalion, Nova Scotia Highlanders (Cape Breton), stop momentarily before loading aboard a U.S. Navy MH-53E Sea Dragon during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Ali Hargis/Released) 090219-A-5617H-046

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A Canadian Army Soldier holds his weapon steady while traveling inside a U.S. Navy MH-53E Sea Dragon as part of an infiltration training mission during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Sgt. Teddy Wade/Released) 090219-A-6365W-031

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A Soldier from Alpha Co., 3rd Battalion, 3rd Special Forces Group (Airborne) conducts mock cache demolition training during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. Michael Carter/Released) 090219-A-8378C-013



U.S. Army Pfc. Walter Reeves from 55th Signal Co. (Combat Camera) documents Canadian Infantry Soldiers from The West Nova Scotia Regiment as they practice Military Operations on Urban Terrain training during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. (U.S. Army photo by Spc. Kurt Lamel/Released) 090219-A-3583L-011

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A Canadian Infantry Soldier from the Princess Louise Fusiliers prepares his 84mm Carl Gustav (Short Range Anti-Armour Weapon) while conducting a raid on the Military Operations in Urban Terrain site at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. The raid is part of Exercise Southbound Trooper IX, an annual multi-national event to prepare Soldiers for future deployments. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Ernest E. Sivia III/Released) 090219-A-9234S-032

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Canadian Infantry Soldiers from the Princess Louise Fusiliers conduct a road march to their objective for a training mission during Exercise Southbound Trooper IX at Fort Pickett, Va. Feb. 19, 2009. The mission is part of an annual multi-national event to prepare Soldiers for deployment to Iraq and Afghanistan. (U.S. Army photo by Pfc. Ernest E. Sivia III/Released) 090219-A-9234S-012

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