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**DAILY DIARY**

OF No. 5 Initial Training School, Belleville, Ontario  
 (UNIT OR FORMATION)

PLACE	DATE	TIME	SUMMARY OF EVENTS	REF. TO APPENDICES
No. 5 ITS Belleville	16 Aug 1943		Work on the new addition to the Drill Hall which is to house the Airmens' Canteen and Recreation Room, library, Padre's Offices, and YMCA Office began this morning.	
	17 Aug 1943		C9214 T/F.O. Griffith, A.H. (SR)(ED) TOS from No. 2 AGGTS, Trenton, Ontario. W/C W.R.D. Turner (C1369) and F/L R.T. Greer (C7277) arrived on a staff visit from No. 1 TC. No. 5 ITS lost their second softball game to Reliance Aircraft in the final play-offs by 10 - 4. The score in games is now 2-all.	App."A"
	18 Aug 1943		A precision squad from this School put on an excellent exhibition at the Belleville "Kiwans Carnival".	App."
	19 Aug 1943		A very successful Field Day was held on the Station, with many of the personnel participating. (App. "D") Commanding Officer's Ensign Hoisting Parade was changed to Friday.	"B"
			Flight 17, No. 1 Squadron lost a very closely contested competition in drill to Flight 35, No. 2 Sqdn. Reliance Aircraft defeated ITS 9 - 2, to make it the third straight win. Reliance leads 3-2 in the best out of seven series.	"E"
	20 Aug 1943		Although the play-off will still be played to decide the championship for the Belleville City League, it was decided to have Reliance Aircraft represent Belleville in the OASA and No. 5 ITS would direct their attention to the No. 1 TC-Softball Tournament. F/L P.C. McGuire departed to AFHQ on Temporary Duty to take a course in Aircraft Recognition.	"F"
			At a parade of the Station personnel on the drill square at 1000 hours, Air Vice-Marshal F.S. McGill, presented to W/C A.J. Snetsinger, ED, and the personnel of the station the Efficiency Pennant for the second quarter of 1943, denoting the fact that No. 5 ITS was considered to be the most efficient ITS in Canada for that period.	"C"
			C6594 A/F.L. Kershaw, E.M.(SR)(ED); C9214 F/O Griffith, A.H.(SR)(ED); C14984 P/O Cozens, R.A (SR)(ED) SOS on posting to No. 1 CNS, Rivers, Man.	
	21 Aug 1943		NIL	
	22 Aug 1943		NIL	
23 Aug 1943		Mr. McClurkin, Chrysler Corporation of Canada, Ltd., reported to this Unit to conduct two MT clinics, of one week's duration, commencing 23 August and 30 August. Course 86 - TOS 133 airmen.		
24 Aug 1943		No. 5 ITS played a 7-7 tie with Trenton Main Station Softball team in the No. 1 TC playdowns. Replay Thursday. Assistant Section Officer M.Mitchell (Equip)(Messing) reported for duty to this Unit.		