



AVDET 115

AVDET 115 reporter aboard the POLAR SEA on the 12th of Nov. led by LCDR "Zeke" Zimmer, the AVDET consisted of the following personnel: LT Doug "Ragman" Daeffler, LT Ken "Interfacer" Thysell, LT Kevin "Rodney" Robb, ADC "Professor" Richardson, AE1 "Chinskinner" Vanecek, AT1 "Count the days" Metza, AD2 "Fixit" Mayer, AE2 "Appendicitis" Schmidt, AM2 "Philosopher" Crook, ASM2 "Todd be free" French, AT2 "Smooth talkn'" Burris, AD3 "Lady killer" Pettus and AM3 "Beerslayer" Miller. The AVDET showed their stuff during many major maintenance evolutions, and while at McMurdo flew missions on 28 out of 35 days. The phrases "purple haze" and "there goes the neighborhood" took on a new meaning with AVDET 115. With the close of DEEP FREEZE '87 the AVDET could look back with pride on the 100+ missions and 200+ flight hours it completed.



Standing, L-R AD2 Mayer, ASM2 French, AM3 Miller, AT2 Burris, ADC Richardson, LCDR Zimmer. Confused Positions, L-R: LT Thysell, LT Robb, LT Daeffler, AD3 Pettus, AE1 Vanecek, AT1 Metza.