



Opposite page, above: Captain Rich with the first shipment of replenishment goodies - Mars bars. Below: USS MARS sends RUSH its milk via Sikorsky helicopter. Clockwise from lower left: RUSH crew unwrapping a rather large cow, 1152 gallons of milk; Captain Rich returning after a brief on the USS ENTERPRISE; Navy S-3 refueling while fire party watches; RADM McCarthy visits for a day.

was sent back. Not all the exercises were quite that confused and the receipt of spare parts went well for the most part.

Other exercises included Helo In-Flight Refueling (HIFR) with a LAMPS helicopter. Not only was it the first time RUSH

fueled a Navy helo, but it was also the first time RUSH conducted a HIFR exercise. Operations also included a visit from RADM McCarthy, who flew over for a tour of RUSH. Overall crewmembers gained valuable knowledge from the exercises.

