

Today in Math History...

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David Cameron Born. Colonel Cameron served as the 17th Head of the Mathematics Department at the Military Academy.



*In 1977, Colonel Cameron was selected as Deputy Head of the Mathematics Department at the Military Academy. He served in this position until 1985 when he was elevated to the position of **Head of the Mathematics Department** a position that he held until 1988. During this eleven year period, the continued growth of the **USMA mathematics program** was made possible largely due to Colonel Cameron's wisdom as an educator and sincere devotion to cadet development. His demand for relevance in all mathematical courses coupled with his belief that students “**learn mathematics best by doing mathematics**” ensured a sound core mathematics program.*