

169th CONSOLIDATED AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



LINEAGE

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

LTC Homer L. Keisler
LTC Charles Blount
LTC Frank C. Khare
LTC Irwin B. Kyzer
LTC Edwin Fisher

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

The squadron was organized on April 10, 1958 from the redesignation of the 169th Materiel Squadron. The unit performs all maintenance on the Air Guard's aircraft and its highly sophisticated avionics systems.

Since 1975, the men and women of the maintenance squadron have made two very difficult transitions to new systems with the A-7D and then the F-16 and have performed with flying colors.

The maintenance crews showed just how tough they were in 1985 during Coronet Vampire at Rygge, Norway and 5,000 miles away at Nellis AFB, Nevada, where they turned sortie after sortie and kept the F-16s humming.

Air Force Order of Battle

Created: 7 Sep 2010

Updated:

Sources

Air Force Historical Research Agency. U.S. Air Force. Maxwell AFB, AL.

The Institute of Heraldry. U.S. Army. Fort Belvoir, VA.

Air Force News. Air Force Public Affairs Agency.

Unit History. SC ANG. *169 Tactical Fighter Group, South Carolina Air National Guard, 40 Years of Service to the State and Nation, 1946-1986.*