

## 37<sup>th</sup> ARMY AIR FORCE BASE UNIT

AAF BASE UNITS BY COMMAND ON 1 May 1945

241st (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Fairmont Army Air Field, Geneva, Nebr.

242nd (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Grand Island Army Air Field, Nebr.

243rd (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Great Bend Army Air Field, Kans.

244th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Harvard Army Air Field, Nebr.

245th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) McCook Army Air Field, Nebr.

246th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Pratt Army Air Field, Kans.

247th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Smoky Hill Army Air Field, Salina, Kans.

248th (Operational Training Unit, Very Heavy) (17th BOTW) Walker Army Air Field, Victoria, Kans.

249th (Special) Alliance Army Air Field, Nebr.

260th (Fighter Wing) (72nd Ftr Wg) Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colo.

460710	C-45F	44-87211	247AAFBU	Smoky Hill AAB, KS	SAC	MACB	Shaw, John B	Bolling Fld/ 30mi W
460710	B-17G	44-83792	247AAFBU	Smoky Hill AAB, KS	SAC	CBL	Hartsock, Kenneth J	Lockbourne AAB
460710	C-46J	44-78553	247AAFBU	Smoky Hill AAB, KS	SAC	TOA	Fager, Howard L	Hill Fld
431022	UC-64A	43-5112	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	TAC	Keene, John H	Smoky Hill AAF
431022	B-24J*	42-73046	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	GAC	[parked aircraft]	Smoky Hill AAF
431015	C-54	42-32944	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	GAC	Barry, Edward F	Orlando AAF
431023	C-46A	41-12325	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	TAC	Scott, Thomas H	Orlando AAF
431024	Tiger Moth	DE932	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	GACNU	McLott, Donald W	Smoky Hill AAF
431026	L-2B	43-61	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	GMAC	Eunsen, Robert A	Smoky Hill AAF

460701	PT-13D	42-17523	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAB, KS	TAC	Aspegren, Cleo I	Smoky Hill AAF
460904	C-45F	44-87111	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAB, KS	LAC	Christensen, Robert N	Smoky Hill AAF
470618	TB-25J	44-86715	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAB, KS	CRL	Felices, Salvador E	Smoky Hill AAF
450716	P-63A	42-69496	247AAFBU		Smokey Hill AAF	LACMF	Swartz, Donald W	McCook AAF
450825	L-5	42-98126	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAF	GL	Chiachiarotto, Anthony V	Smoky Hill AAF
461115	P-80A	44-85061	247AAFBU		Smoky Hill AAB, KS	LAC	Trueblood, Roger W	Puxico/ 1mi S
431026	C-47A	42-24393	247BU		Salina AAF, KS	KCR	Giffen, Morgan A	3M NE McCook, NE
431027	Hurricane		247BU		Salina AAF, KS	GMAC	Parked Aircraft	Fairfax Field, KS
431027	P-40F	41-14218	247BU		Smoky Hill AAF, KS	KCRMF	Gorham, Charles Jr	Tinker Field, 7M SSE Oklahoma City
431027	C-46A	41-12427	247BU		Smoky Hill AAF, KS	TOA	Thane, Woodrow	Smoky Hill AAF, KS
440518	B-29A	42-93827	247BU		Smoky Hill AAF, Salina, KS	MF	Zimmermann, Paul D	Smoky Hill AAF, Salina, KS
440705	B-17F	42-5089	247BU		Smoky Hill AAF, Salina, KS	TAC	Cross, Walter W	N end of N-S Twy, Smoky Hill AAF, KS

## LINEAGE

## STATIONS

## ASSIGNMENTS

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### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

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### Sources

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