

426 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON, MEDIUM



MISSION

LINEAGE

37 Reconnaissance Squadron (Medium) constituted, 28 Jan 1942
Activated, 15 Mar 1942
Redesignated 426 Bombardment Squadron, Medium, 22 Apr 1942
Disbanded, 1 May 1944

STATIONS

Davis-Monthan Field, AZ, 15 Mar 1942
Jackson AAB, MS, 15 Mar 1942
Key Field, Miss, 22 Apr 1942
Columbia AAB, SC, 15 May 1942-1 May 1944

ASSIGNMENTS

309 Bombardment Group, 15 Mar 1942-1 May 1944

WEAPON SYSTEMS

B-25, 1942-1944

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers
American Theater

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

Over and through a white disc, border green, the head and face of a devil light red, shaded dark red, having green eyes, black hair and goatee, white teeth, and yellow horns, face expressing craftiness and wicked cunning. (Approved, 20 Dec 1943)

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OPERATIONS

Operational training unit, 1 Jun 1942-10 Jan 1943; replacement training unit, 11 Jan 1943-1 May 1944.

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