

## 436 LOGISTICS READINESS SQUADRON



### MISSION

The 436 Logistics Readiness Squadron provides logistics support to the 436 and 512th Airlift Wings. The squadron directly contributes to the wings' operational capabilities and worldwide mobility execution. It executes air and space expeditionary force readiness and expeditionary combat support planning through war reserve materiel management, deployment and reception planning, training and execution. The LRS plans for emergency response deployments, combat support capability, and base and expeditionary support. The squadron maintains chemical warfare defense equipment and is responsible for an arms storage and issue facility. In addition, they provide quality, environmentally safe fuel and cryogenic support to the global airlift mission, ensuring timely service for all assigned C-5s, as well as a variety of transient aircraft and ground support vehicles and equipment.

Another responsibility of the squadron is to oversee the operation and maintenance of government owned and leased vehicles for safe, efficient and environmentally sound movement of personnel and equipment to meet mission requirements. The squadron manages a \$42 million supply account consisting of 24,000 line items, plus support for the 436 Airlift Wing and all tenant units.

### LINEAGE

436 Supply Squadron, Troop Carrier, Medium constituted, 10 May 1949  
Activated in the reserve, 27 Jun 1949  
Redesignated 436 Supply Squadron, 10 Mar 1950  
Ordered to active duty, 1 Apr 1951  
Inactivated, 16 Apr 1951  
Activated in the reserve, 18 May 1955

Inactivated, 15 May 1958  
Activated, 27 Dec 1965  
Organized, 8 Jan 1966  
Redesignated 436 Logistics Readiness Squadron, 1 Oct 2002

### **STATIONS**

Godman Air Force Base, Kentucky, 27 Jun 1949 – 20 Oct 1950  
Sandiford Field, Kentucky, 20 Oct 1950 – 16 Apr 1951  
U. S. Naval Air Station New York, New York, 18 May 1955 – 15 May 1958  
Dover Air Force Base, Delaware, 27 Dec 1965

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

436 Maintenance and Supply Group, 27 Jun 1949 – 16 Apr 1951; 18 May 1955 – 15 May 1958  
Military Air Transportation Command, 17 Dec 1965  
436 Military Airlift Wing, 8 Jan 1966  
436 Logistics Group, 1 Dec 1991  
436 Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002

### **COMMANDERS**

Maj Harold P. Moody, 8 Jan 1966  
Col Edwin W. Langley, 31 Jan 1966  
Maj Karl A. Schick, 1966  
Capt Raymond W. Andrews  
Lt Col Marvin Radesky, 19 Jun 1968  
Lt Col Donald E. Knebusch, 20 Aug 1969  
Col Martin H. Fox, 24 Sep 1971  
Col Harold H. Hester, 30 Jun 1974  
Col Hancock  
Maj Callens  
Col Thompson  
Col Baltzell  
Col Charles W. Hardie, 30 Jul 1980  
Col Leonard T. Galante, 10 Jun 1983  
Col Philip L. Huntwork, 14 Apr 1987  
Col Anthony F. Deascenti, 31 Aug 1989  
Col Rocky Bernard, 1 Dec 1991  
Lt Col August Mays, Jr., 17 Jun 1992  
Lt Col Michael P. Vitolo, 6 Jun 1996  
Capt Douglas H. Engberson, 11 Apr 1997  
Lt Col Edward Skibinski, 29 May 1997  
Maj James A. Sweeney III, 18 Jun 1999  
Maj Anthony J. Marchesano 20 Jun 2001  
Maj Steven Pearson  
Lt Col Richard J. Jones

Lt Col Carlos E. Camarillo, 13 Jul 2007  
Lt Col Sean K. Tyler, 10 Jul 2009  
Maj James A. Kodat, 25 Jul 2011  
Maj Rayna W. Lowery, 18 Jul 2013  
Maj Todd A. Walker  
Maj Kevin M. Etherton, 7 Jul 2015  
Maj George A. Okurodudu, 29 Jun 2020

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

Global War on Terrorism Service

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

Meritorious Unit Award  
1 Jan 2012 – 31 Dec 2012

### **Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards**

13 Nov – 18 Dec 1967  
1 Jan 1968 – 31 Dec 1969  
1 Sep 1971 – 30 Jun 1972  
13 Oct – 14 Nov 1973  
1 Jan 1974 – 30 Apr 1975  
1 May 1975 – 31 May 1976  
1 Jun 1976 – 31 May 1978  
1 Jun 1978 – 31 May 1979  
1 Jun 1981 – 31 May 1982  
1 Jun 1982 – 31 May 1984  
1 Aug 1992 – 31 Jul 1994  
1 Jul 1997 – 30 Jun 1999  
1 Jul 2000 – 30 Jun 2001  
1 Jul 2001 – 30 Jun 2002  
1 Jul 2002 – 30 Jun 2003  
1 Jul 2003 – 30 Jun 2004  
1 Jul 2004 – 30 Jun 2005  
1 Sep 2007 – 31 Aug 2009  
1 Jan 2010 – 31 Dec 2010  
1 Jan 2011 – 31 Dec 2011  
1 Jan 2013 – 30 Sep 2014  
1 Oct 2015 – 30 Sep 2017  
1 Oct 2017 – 30 Sep 2019

1 Oct 2019 – 30 Sep 2020

## EMBLEM



436 Supply Squadron emblems

436 Supply Squadron emblem Blue=sun primary theater of operations, yellow=sun and excellence of personnel Globe=worldwide logistics reach and capability of DAB mission, road and delta wing= all methods & means that provide critical ground & air logistics support.

436 Logistics Readiness Squadron emblem: On a disc as a globe Azure, edged and gridlined Argent, axis bendwise, a road in perspective throughout arcing from sinister base to dexter chief Sable, lined Or, issuing from behind the road three contrails arcing to chief terminating in a delta wing ascending bendwise Vert, garnished Sinople, all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached above the disc, a Black scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "DEPLOY SURVIVE SUSTAIN" in Yellow letters. Attached below the disc, a Black scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "436 LOGISTICS READINESS SQ" in Yellow letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The globe represents the worldwide logistics reach and capability of the Dover AFB mission. The road and delta wing represent all methods and means that provide critical ground and air logistics support. (Approved, 3 Jun 2004)

## MOTTO

DEPLOY SURVIVE SUSTAIN

## NICKNAME

## OPERATIONS

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Sources

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