

507 AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

507 Service Squadron constituted, 10 Mar 1043
Activated, 1 April 1943
Inactivated, 5 Feb 1944
Redesignated 507 Materiel Squadron, 23 Feb 1944
Activated, 1 Mar 1944
Redesignated 507 Air Materiel Squadron Nov 1944
Inactivated, 19 Dec 1945
Activated, 19 May 1947
Inactivated, 12 Aug 1948
Disbanded, 8 Oct 1948
Reconstituted and redesignated 507 Materiel Squadron, 20 Jun 1955
Activated, 18 Aug 1955
Discontinued and inactivated, 1 Feb 1961
Disbanded, 15 June 1983
Reconstituted and redesignated, 507 Aircraft Generation Squadron and activated in the Reserve, 1 Apr 1995
Redesignated 507 Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, 1 Oct 2002

STATIONS

Santa Maria AAB, CA, 1 Apr 1943
Fresno, CA, 12 Sep 1943-5 Feb 1944
Fresno, CA, 1 Mar 1944
Grand Island AAfld, NE, 5 Aug-24 Dec 1944
North Field, Guam, 27 Jan-18 Nov 1945
Camp Anza, CA 18-19 Dec 1045

Andrews AFB, MD, 19 May 1947-12 Aug 1948
Kinross (later, Kincheloe) AFB, MI, 18 Aug 1955-1 Feb 1961
Tinker AFB, OK, 1 Apr 1995

ASSIGNMENTS

65 Service Group, 1 Apr 1943-5 Feb 1944
89 Service Group, 1 Mar 1944
90 Service (later, 90 Air Service) Group, 17 May 1944-19 Dec 1945
69 Air Service Group, 19 May 1947-12 Aug 1948
507 Fighter Group, 18 Aug 1955-1 Feb 1961
507 Logistics Group, (later 507 Maintenance Group) 1 Apr 1955

COMMANDERS

Maj Sandra Brooks, 2005
Maj Dan Moore, 2008
Lt Col Eric Eggers, #2010
Maj Carl Jones

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

World War II Asiatic-Pacific
Western Pacific 1944-1945

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Meritorious Unit Award
11 Sept 2001-30 Jun 2004

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award
1 Jan 2009-1 Aug 2010

EMBLEM



On a disc per fess Azure and Celeste, between in chief seven mullets as the Big Dipper Argent and in base a demi-sun rising Or, a bald eagle Proper, grasping in dexter claw a wrench and in sinister claw a screwdriver all of the third, all within a narrow border Black. Attached above the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "FOREVER READY ALWAYS THERE" in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "507TH AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQ" in Black 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 divided background is significant of the day and night, twenty-four hour coverage provided by the Squadron. The Big Dipper portrays space and the efforts of the unit to be prepared for future arenas. The sun indicates the excellence required of Air Force maintainers. The bald eagle is the symbol of America's strength and represents the continual fight for freedom. The wrench and screwdriver symbolize the constant readiness of the maintainer. (Approved, 7 Apr 2009)

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OPERATIONS

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