

832 CIVIL ENGINEERING SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

832 Installations Squadron constituted and activated, 26 Sep 1957
Organized, 8 Oct 1957
Redesignated 832 Civil Engineering Squadron, 1 Jul 1960
Inactivated, 8 Jun 1969
Activated, 1 Oct 1981
Inactivated, 1 Oct 1991

STATIONS

Cannon AFB, NM, 8 Oct 1957-8 Jun 1969
Luke AFB, AZ, 1 Oct 1981-1 Oct 1991

ASSIGNMENTS

832 Air Base (later, 832 Combat Support) Group, 8 Oct 1957-8 Jun 1969
832 Combat Support Group, 1 Oct 1981-1 Oct 1991

COMMANDERS

Maj Robert B. Britton, #1959
Lt Col W. R. Peek, #1963
Lt Col James E. McCarthy, 1 Oct 1981
Lt Col Richard Coullahan, 28 Jun 1982
Lt Col Harold Q. Adams, 7 June 1985

Lt Col Paul W. Hains III, 25 Jul 1986
Lt Col Ronald Descheneaux, 26 Jan 1989-1 Oct 1991

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Aug 1982-31 May 1984

1 May 1989-30 Apr 1991

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The patch is an idealistic representation of the mission of the 832 Civil Engineering Squadron. The patch depicts a bulldozer and a stylized aircraft separated by a runway. The bulldozer symbolizes the maintenance and construction activities which are charged to the squadron both in times of war and in times of peace. The bulldozer appears under the aircraft to graphically represent the support posture of the Civil Engineering Squadron. It is also separated from the aircraft by a runway to indicate the interface between the Air force mission and the daily activities of the 832 Civil Engineering Squadron. (Approved, 12 Dec 1984)

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

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