

14th AIR SUPPORT OPERATIONS SQUADRON



MISSION

The 14 ASOS integrates air power into the US Army 82d Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, NC, scheme of ground maneuver. They maintain an alert commitment to deploy on extremely short notice for contingency operations. The squadron performs night/day parachute and helicopter assaults with division, brigade, and battalion commanders to provide on-scene air planning expertise. The squadron controls employment of combat aircraft flown by all services in support of over 15,000 troops.

LINEAGE

14th Air Support Communications Squadron constituted, 4 Feb 1943

Activated, 15 Feb 1943

Redesignated 14th Tactical Air Communications Squadron, 29 Feb 1944

Disbanded, 20 Apr 1944

Reconstituted and redesignated 14th Air Support Operations Squadron, 24 Jun 1994

Activated, 1 Jul 1994

STATIONS

Morris Field, NC, 15 Feb 1943

Lebanon, TN, 19 Nov 1943-20 Apr 1944

Ft Bragg, NC, 1 Jul 1994

ASSIGNMENTS

III Air Support Command, 15 Feb 1943

I Air Support Command (later, I Tactical Air Division; III Tactical Air Division), 3 Mar 1943

II Tactical Air Division, 18-20 Apr 1944
18th Air Support Operations Group, 1 Jul 1994

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

World War II American Theater

Campaign Streamers

None

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with V Device

1 Jun 2001-31 May 2002

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

[1 Jul 1994]-31 May 1995

1 Jun 1999-31 May 2001

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OPERATIONS

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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