

## 302 SECURITY FORCES SQUADRON



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

302 Air Police Squadron constituted, 26 May 1952  
Activated in the Reserve, 14 Jun 1952  
Ordered to Active Service, 28 Oct 1962  
Relieved from Active Duty, 28 Nov 1962  
Discontinued and inactivated, 11 Feb 1963  
Redesignated 302 Security Police Squadron, 12 Oct 1984  
Redesignated 302 Weapons System Security Flight, 8 Jan 1985  
Activated in the Reserve, 1 Apr 1985  
Redesignated 302 Security Police Flight, 15 Aug 1988  
Redesignated 302 Security Police Squadron, 1 Oct 1992  
Redesignated 302 Security Forces Squadron, 1 Jul 1997

### STATIONS

Clinton County AFB, OH, 14 Jun 1952-11 Feb 1963  
Peterson AFB (later, Peterson Space Force Base), CO, 1 Apr 1985

### ASSIGNMENTS

302 Air Base Group, 14 Jun 1952-11 Feb 1963  
302 Combat Support (Later, 302 Mission Support) Squadron, 1 Apr 1985  
302 Support (Later, 302 Mission Support) Group, 1 Aug 1992

### COMMANDERS

Capt Kent A. Valentine

## HONORS

### Service Streamers

### Campaign Streamers

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

### Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jan 1990-31 Dec 1991

1 Jan 1998-31 Aug 1999

1 Jan 2001-31 Aug 2002

1 Sep 2004-31 Aug 2006

1 Sep 2006-2 Sep 2008

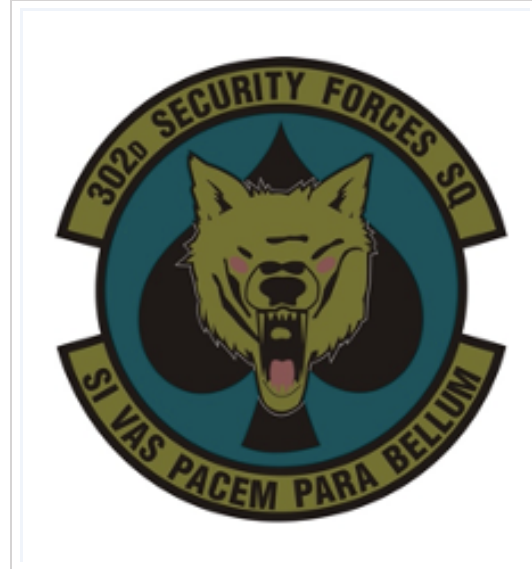
1 Sep 2009-31 Aug 2011

1 Jan 2016-31 Dec 2017

## EMBLEM



Argent, throughout a spade as a suit of playing cards Sable surmounted by a wolf's head in tran aspect of the First detailed Smoke Gray eye and langued Gules armed Or, all within a diminished bordure Azure. Attached above the disc a White scroll edged with a narrow Blue border inscribed "302D SECURITY FORCES SQ" in Blue letters. Attached below the disc a White scroll edged with a narrow Blue border and inscribed "SI VAS PACEM PARA BELLUM" in Blue letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Blue and 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 Northern Rocky Mountain wolf's head pertains to the fierce determination and survival instincts of the unit. The spade is the squadron's symbol for quick response and attack capabilities. (Approved, 14 Jul 2000)



On a disc Argent, a spade from a deck of playing cards point upwards Sable, surmounted by a wolf's head caboshed of the first, detailed Gris (Smoke Gray), eyed and langued Gules, teeth Or, all within a diminished bordure Ultramarine Blue. Attached above the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Blue border and inscribed "302D SECURITY FORCES SQ" in Blue letters. Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Blue border and inscribed "SI VAS PACEM PARA BELLUM" in Blue 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 wolf's head symbolizes the fierce determination and loyalty of the unit. The spade represents the Squadron's quick response and attack capabilities.

## MOTTO

## OPERATIONS

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USAF Unit Histories  
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