

## 474<sup>th</sup> BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (MEDIUM)



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

474<sup>th</sup> Bombardment Squadron (Medium) constituted, 9 Jul 1942  
Activated, 17 Jul 1942  
Disbanded, 1 May 1944

### STATIONS

Barksdale Field, LA, 17 Jul 1942-1 May 1944

### ASSIGNMENTS

335<sup>th</sup> Bombardment Group, 17 Jul 1942-1 May 1944

### WEAPON SYSTEMS

B-26, 1942-1944  
B-26B  
B-26C  
B-26A

### COMMANDERS

Maj Hoyt A. Jolley, Jr.

### HONORS

**Service Streamers**  
American Theater

**Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

#### **EMBLEM**

On a light blue disc, within a border yellow, a caricatured black wolf, face and inside of ears blue, tongue red, wearing tan cap, gloves, and shoes, trimmed brown, ear phones on cap yellow, outlined black, shaded brown, and a light green fatigue uniform, grasping in each forepaw an aerial bomb yellow, nose and tail band red; figure standing on and in front of a large white cloud formation. (Approved, 5 May 1943)

#### **MOTTO**

#### **NICKNAME**

#### **OPERATIONS**

Replacement training, Sep 1942-Apr 1944

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Air Force Order of Battle

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