506 CONSOLIDATED AIRCRAFT MAINTENACE SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

506 Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron constituted, 30 Aug 1957 Activated, 25 Sep 1957 Inactivated, 1 Apr 1959 Activated in the Reserve, 8 Jul 1972

STATIONS

Tinker AFB, OK, 25 Sep 1957-1 Apr 1959 Carswell AFB, TX, 8 Jul 1972-1 Jul 1976

ASSIGNMENTS

506 Fighter-Day (later Fighter-Bomber, later Tactical Fighter) Wing, 25 Sep 1957-1 Apr 1959 506 Tactical Fighter Group, 8 Jul 1972

COMMANDERS

Maj Julian D McDonald, 25 Sep 1957 Lt Col Harold L Williams, 25 Apr 1958 Lt Col Walter J Mllowski, 25 Aug 1958-1 Apr 1959.

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

On a light turquoise blue disc, a light brown caricatured, grinning, woodchuck, affronte, dressed in blue fatigues and cap, his left eye closed in a wink, only his head, arms, and chest visible from behind a range of gray mountains and between two white snow-capped peaks; his arms extended over the range to manipulate four (4) aircraft suspended from his fingers by black strings like marionettes; the woodchuck's teeth, eyeball and highlights on nose and pupil of eye white; outlines and details black throughout. Significance: Our emblem is symbolic of the squadron's primary mission. The woodchuck, supporting the aircraft, represents the maintenance activity in its support role for the wing assigned aircraft. The woodchuck's wink is symbolic of the confidence with which this squadron accepts its responsibilities. The fatigue clothes reflect the typical dress of squadron personnel. (Approved, 11 Dec 1958)

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OPERATIONS

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Sources

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