2113 COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

2113 Communications Squadron designated and activated, 1 Feb 1979 Redesignated 2113 Information Systems Squadron, 1 Oct 1984 Redesignated 2113 Communications Squadron, 1 Nov 1986

STATIONS

San Vito Dei Normanni AS, Italy

ASSIGNMENTS

European Communications Area (later, European Communications Division; European Information Systems Division; European Communications Division)
2187 Communications Group (later, 2187 Information Systems Group; 2187 Communications Group), 1 Apr 1980

COMMANDERS

Maj S. J. Geertz, 1 Feb 1979 Capt Dan M. Goad, 15 Jun 1983 Maj Edward D. Seward, 14 Jun 1985 Lt Col Patricia Harrington, 10 Dec 1986 Maj W. C. Story, 3 Nov 1988 Capt Peter V. Callamaras, 8 Jan 1989

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations Air Force Outstanding Unit Award 1 Jan 1986-31 Dec 1987

EMBLEM

The hand represents something of great value, and is spanning the world. The hand is used in typing messages, dialing a phone, transmitting radio signals, and in repairing communications equipment. The towers and satellite suggest the quick and modern communications systems being used around the world and in space. The lightning bolts identify the strength of the signal being sent. The three stars symbolize no limit to the squadron's capabilities. They also indicate the three major elements of the 2113th the parent squadron as San Vito Air Station, Italy; the Operating Location (OL-A) at Martina Franca, Italy; and Detachment 26, at Mount Nardello, Italy. The globe represents the squadron working to protect the planet.

ΜΟΤΤΟ

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

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