

47 AIR RESCUE SQUADRON

MISSION

The 47 Air Rescue Squadron is charged with air rescue operations over a four-state area. This unit utilizes SA-16 amphibian aircraft and H-19 helicopters in the conduct of search and rescue missions. Its mission is to assist both military and civilian personnel in distress in this area.

LINEAGE

47 Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron
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STATIONS

Ellington AFB, TX

ASSIGNMENTS

WEAPON SYSTEMS

SA-16
H-19
HH-43

COMMANDERS

Maj Kenton L. Ashworth, #1956

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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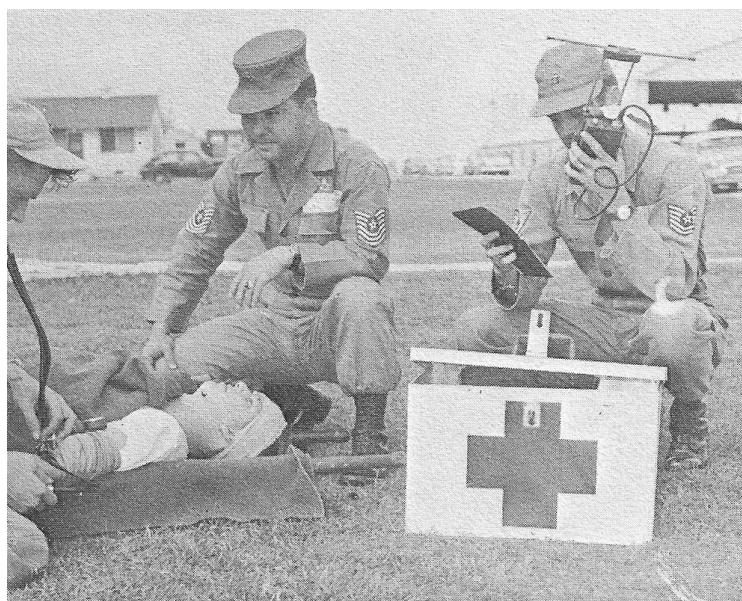
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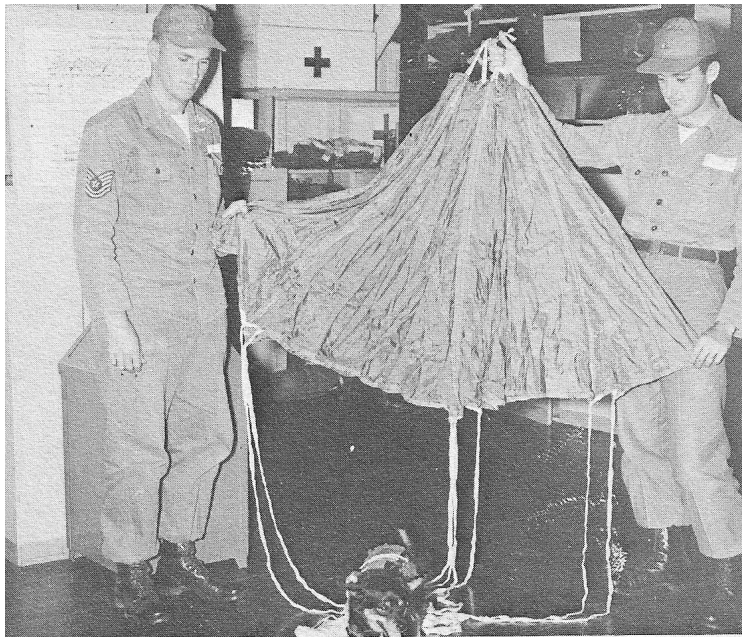
OPERATIONS

47th ARRSq, Fuchu AS, Japan

Det. 9 Osan AB, Korea

Det. 6 Kadena AB, Okinawa





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