

52nd EXPEDITIONARY RESCUE SQUADRON



MISSION

52nd Expeditionary Rescue Squadron is tasked to conduct fixed-wing, rotary-wing and land-based personnel recovery missions in support of Operation Inherent Resolve.

LINEAGE

52nd Air Rescue Squadron

Inactivated, 1 Oct 1957

Redesignated 52nd Expeditionary Rescue Squadron

STATIONS

Harmon AFB, Newfoundland

Diyarbakir AB, Turkey

ASSIGNMENTS

6th Air Rescue Group

WEAPON SYSTEMS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM



MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

Boeing SB-29 Superfortress, 44-69982, search and rescue plane of the 52d Air Rescue Squadron was sent to assist in search efforts on 18 March 1953 of Convair RB-36H Peacemaker, 51-13721, (Brig Gen Richard E. Ellsworth, commander of the 28th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing, is killed in the B-36 crash.) The B-29 disappeared shortly before landing, crashing into St. Georges Bay, a few miles from the runway, killing 11. Wreckage never found.

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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