70th MISSION SUPPORT SQUADRON



MISSION

70th Mission Support Squadron developed and implemented personnel and facilities programs to enhance operations. Provided administrative support to assigned group.

LINEAGE

70th Air Base Squadron (Special) constituted and activated, 1 Mar 1941
Redesignated 70th Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron, 13 Jun 1942
Disbanded, 30 Apr 1944
Reconstituted and redesignated 70th Mission Support Squadron and activated, 1 August 1996
Inactivated, 1 Oct 1998
Activated, 1 May 2005
Inactivated, 7 Oct 2009

STATIONS

Brooks Fld, TX, 1 Mar 1941 McCarran Fld, NV, 21 Jun 1941-30 Apr 1944 Brooks AFB, TX, 1 Aug 1996-1 Oct 1998 Ft George G. Meade, 1 May 2005

ASSIGNMENTS

70th Mission Support Group, 1 May 2005-7 Oct 2009

COMMANDERS

Cpt Harry Phillips LTC Allan J. Smith, 1 May 2005 LTC William J. Conley, 12 Apr 2007 LTC Ludwig K. Paulsen, 21 Jan 2009

HONORS

Service Streamers

World War II American Theater

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award (May 2005)-31 May 2005 1 Jun 2006-31 Dec 2007 1 Jun 2008-1 Jun 2009

EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, in Chief a Pegasus astride and in flight Proper, in base fesswise a key Or, between a terrestrial globe Proper gridlined Argent, all within a narrow border Black. Attached above the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "WE DO IT ALL" in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "70TH MISSION SUPPORT SQ" in Black letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The Pegasus represents the strength and service of all unit members, military and civilian. The globe signifies the unit's role in supporting the Air Force's worldwide mission and protecting freedom. The key reminds unit personnel of the intelligence career field and symbolizes the support mission. (Approved, 19 Sep 2005)

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OPERATIONS

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