

7546 SUPPORT SQUADRON



MISSION

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STATIONS

RAF Woodbridge, UK, 26 Jun 1956-8 Jul 1960

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS



Maj Sherwood Lapping

Maj Sherwood F. Lapping, #1959

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

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OPERATIONS

HOUSEKEEPERS for the 78 and 79 Tactical Fighter Squadrons at Woodbridge is the 7546 Support Squadron commanded by Major Sherwood F. Lapping, former Woodbridge Base Commander. Mission of the squadron, which became part of the 81 Tactical Fighter Wing in July, 1958, is to provide a fully operational airfield in support of the 78 and 79 Tactical Fighter Squadrons.

A multitude of talents goes into the accomplishment of this mission, and the Support Squadron provides everything from fire-fighters to food. Base Operations is one of the Support Squadrons' functions, security, crash rescue and fire-fighting service — all these come under the mission of Major Lapping's men. Food service is an important part of the mission of the 7546, as is on and off-base housing. The squadron also operates Personnel Services, maintaining a vigorous recreational program on the base, and operates the various clubs. In addition to these duties, the 7546 Support Squadron is also responsible for the refueling of all aircraft at Woodbridge, and for airfield lighting which has to be kept in top shape at all times.

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