

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON, AIR CORPS ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL

MISSION

LINEAGE

Air Park No. 13 constituted in the Regular Army, 30 Aug 1921

Organized, 5 Jul 1922

Redesignated 68 Service Squadron, 25 Jan 1923

Air Corps Advanced Flying School

68 Service Squadron and Air Corps Advanced Flying School consolidated, 1 Sep 1936.

Consolidated organization redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, Air Corps Advanced Flying School

STATIONS

Not organized 1921-1922

Kelly Field, TX, 1922-1936

ASSIGNMENTS

10 School Group

Air Corps Advanced Flying School, 15 Jul 1931

WEAPON SYSTEMS

DH-4

A-3

O-2

XA-1

COMMANDERS

Capt Vernon L. Burge, 5 Jul 1922

Capt Earl H. DeFord, 1 Sep 1922
Capt Vernon L. Burge, 1 Dec 1922
1st Lt John M. Clark, 3 Sep 1928
Capt Walter F. Kraus, 1 Apr 1923
Capt Morris Berman, 21 Jul 1923
1st Lt Ralph D. Walker, 29 Nov 1923
1st Lt Earle G. Harper, 21 Jun 1926
1st Lt Ralph D. Walker, 4 Oct 1926
Capt Thomas Bolend, 16 Mar 1927
1st Lt William M. Lanagan, 6 Sep 1927
1st Lt Ivan L. Procter, 25 Oct 1929
Capt Clifford C. Nutt, 25 Sep 1931
Capt William M. Lanagan, 30 May 1934
Capt Louis C. Mallory, 11 Feb 1935
Maj Roderick N. Ott, 1 Mar 1935

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Regular Army on 30 August 1921 as Air Park No. 13, assigned to the 10th School Group, and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Organized on 5 July 1922 at Kelly Field, TX. Redesignated as the 68th Service Squadron on 25 January 1923. Relieved from assignment to the 10th School Group on 15 July 1931 and assigned to the Air Corps Advanced Flying School. Consolidated with Headquarters, Air Corps Advanced Flying School 1 September 1936 and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, Air Corps Advanced Flying School.

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE UNIT HISTORIES

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Sources

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