375th COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON

MISSION

The 375th Communications Squadron supports the 375th Airlift Wing in its global reach mission by providing communications capabilities and maintenance to USTRANSCOM, AMC, 18th AF, TACC, AFCA, three flying wings and 40 associate units on Scott. The communications squadron is comprised of three flights:

The Information Systems Flight directs and controls communications, computer and information management capabilities supporting the AMC mission on Scott. One of the most visible portions of SCB is the Consolidated Client Support Administrator Helpdesk. The Consolidated CSA Helpdesk provides level one technical support for Scott customers. When possible, the CSA Helpdesk remotely manages systems and does touch maintenance when required. The helpdesk is here to provide technical assistance ranging from account setup to hardware issues. The CSA helpdesk can be reached at 256-COMM, option 1, option 2.

The Transport Systems Flight maintains all air traffic control and landing systems, ground radio and base weather equipment, Military Strategic and Tactical Relay Satellite systems, secure communications systems, C2 circuits, base telephone switch and associated equipment, base telecommunications cable infrastructure and all NIPRnet and SIPRnet data networks. SCM provides base switchboard operations and land mobile radio and cellular telephone equipment management. The most familiar component of SCM is the Maintenance Operations Center. The MOC is the Scott POC for all telecommunications moves, adds and installs and provides assistance for voicemail, custom call routing and troubleshooting. To reach the telephone helpdesk, dial 256-COMM, option 4.

The TACC IT Operations Flight directs and controls communications and computer capabilities supporting the Tanker Airlift Control Center mission. SCT provides exclusive, 24-hour IT support for more than 1,000 customers in the TACC. Its Systems Support Helpdesk is the first look communications and computer support for TACC personnel and coordinates scheduled maintenance requests as it impacts the TACC mission. SCT Radio Operations provides 24-hour UHF SATCOM, Combat Tracker II and IG/Exercise support as well as basic telephone troubleshooting for TACC customers.

LINEAGE

375th Communications Squadron, Troop Carrier, Medium constituted, 10 May 1949
Activated in the Reserve, 27 Jun 1949
Redesignated 375th Communications Squadron, 10 Mar 1950
Ordered to Active Service, 15 Oct 1950
Inactivated, 14 Jul 1952
Activated in the Reserve, 14 Jul 1952
Inactivated, 16 Nov 1957
Activated, 1 Oct 1994

STATIONS

Greater Pittsburgh Airport, PA, 27 Jun 1949 Greenville (later, Donaldson) AFB, SC, 16 Oct 1950-14 Jul 1952 Pittsburgh, PA, 14 Jul 1952-16 Nov 1957 Scott AFB, IL, 1 Oct 1994

ASSIGNMENTS

375th Air Base Group, 27 Jun 1949-14 Jul 1952
375th Air Base Group, 14 Jul 1952-16 Nov 1957
375th Communications Group, 1 Oct 1994-22 Jul 2001
375th Support Group (later 375th Mission Support Group), 23 Jul 2001-15 May 2007
375th Communications Group, 15 May 2007
375th Support Group, 23 Jul 2001
375th Communications Group, 15 May 2007

COMMANDERS

LTC James A. Brown, Jr., 3 Oct 1994
Maj Shelley D. Christian, 28 May 1996
LTC Dona J. Hanley, 30 Jun 1998
Maj Allen Marshall, 26 Jul 2000
LTC Frank J. Rossi, 21 Jul 2001
LTC Bradford A. Provencal, 21 Feb 2003
LTC Robert A. Douglas, 23 May 2005
LTC Janet A. Girton, 28 Jun 2006
LTC Eric P. Oliver, 9 Apr 2008
LTC Donald W. Cloud, Jr., 9 May 2010
LTC Corey M. Ramsby, 31 May 2012
LTC Ivan M. Herwick, 11 Jun 2014
Maj Jason H. Parker, 27 Jun 2016
LTC Frank A. Theising, 3 Jul 2018

HONORS

Service Streamers

Global War on Terrorism

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards [1 Oct] 1994-30 Jun 1996 1 Jun 1998–31 May 2000 1 Jun 2003–31 May 2005 15 May 2007-31 May 2008 1 Sep 2009-31 Aug 2011 1 Sep 2011-31 Aug 2013 1 Sep 2014-31 Aug 2016

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OPERATIONS

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Sources

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