432nd AIRCRAFT COMMUNICATIONS MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



MISSION

The 432nd Aircraft Communications Maintenance Squadron maintains, modernizes, expands and deploys communications and networking components of remotely piloted aircraft and is the first of its kind in the U.S. Air Force. Expertise is provided by cyberspace operations, aircraft maintenance, cyber transport systems, radio frequency transmission systems and knowledge operations management personnel.

LINEAGE

432nd Aircraft Communications Maintenance Squadron constituted, 18 Feb 2011 Activated, 16 Mar 2011

STATIONS

Creech AFB, NV, 16 Mar 2011

ASSIGNMENTS

432nd Maintenance Group, 16 Mar 2011

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Meritorious Unit Award

1 Jun 2011-31 May 2012

EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, two chevrons opposed fesswise in chief emitting entwined contrails. A Sable chevron to dexter with a Gules contrail issuing from dexter base, and an Argent chevron to sinister emitting a contrail of the second issuing from sinister base all fimbriated Or. In chief a mullet of the fourth charged with a torteau and emitting three lightning flashes, one to dexter one to sinister and one pale wise of the fifth, all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached below the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "432 ACMS" in Yellow 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 star and lightning bolts represent critical communications essential to operate aircraft while illuminating the wartime theater and expressing the evolution of airpower by the entwined deltas below. (Approved, 31 Jan 2012)

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OPERATIONS

Air Force Order of Battle Created: 16 Feb 2012

Updated:

Sources

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