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After this reorganization, few changes took place before World War II. On September 1, 1936, the 64th and 76th Service Squadrons were inactivated and surplus personnel consolidated into the newly-formed 4th Air Base Squadron. On the same day, the 38th Reconnaissance Squadron was reactivated. Activation of the 1st Weather Squadron on July 1, 1937, completed the pre-war buildup. The 23rd Photo Squadron was inactivated on October 15, 1937, but the functions and personnel were merely transferred to the 4th Air Base Squadron. In 1938, the Muroc Bombing Range in the Mojave Desert was expanded. This established March as the central base for West Coast bombing and gunnery training. The 17th Attack Group was re-designated as a bombardment unit in 1939 in recognition of the increasing importance of bombing as a combat contribution rather than support of ground troops.

## **LINEAGE**

## **STATIONS**

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

## **Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE**

**MOTTO**

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**OPERATIONS**