# **137 CIVIL ENGINEER SQUADRON**



## **MISSION**

Provide highly trained people for our wartime and peace time missions and quality service through teamwork, pride and commitment.

The unit's full-time engineering staff, in cooperation with the United States Property and Fiscal Officer (USP&FO), contracted for Real Property Maintenance and Military Construction Projects (MCP) to construct, maintain and repair facilities at Will Rogers ANG Base.

#### LINEAGE

137 Air Installation Squadron137 Civil Engineering Squadron137 Civil Engineer Squadron

# **STATIONS**

Oklahoma City, OK Chaumont AB, France Will Rogers ANGB, Oklahoma City, OK

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

137 Mission Support Group

# **COMMANDERS**

Maj Michael Spaulding

# HONORS

**Service Streamers** 

### **Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

#### **EMBLEM**

The curved blue vector symbolizes aircraft launching; the yellow vector symbolized aircraft returning. This continuous cycle is kept in motion by the gear which represents Civil Engineering. The checkered background represents a surveyor's bullseye equating to the accuracy with which Civil Engineering performs its mission. The state of Oklahoma shield represents the war fighting spirit of the squadron and the squadron's state of origin. The eight teeth of the gear represent the eight functional areas of the squadron: engineering, mechanical, electrical, structural, heavy equipment, fire protection, administration, and services. The symbols of peace on the shield represent the fact that Civil Engineering also has a peacetime mission. This patch created by Maj. Alan Gagnon.

#### **MOTTO**

#### **NICKNAME**

#### **OPERATIONS**

The 137th CES deployed to Cold Lake Air Base, Canada where they constructed an airfield damage repair training facility. This included placing 873 cubic yards of concrete in five days. Civil Engineer's host believed the project would take two weeks. The 137th CES also constructed a foundation for a 4,000 square foot modular building.

In July the 137th CES sent 33 personnel to the Rocky Mountains for two weeks remodeling two 5,000 square feet warehouses which were designated to become the home of the Air Force Band. Not only did the CE overcome supply delays, they also left the follow on Indian Guard CE Team well ahead of schedule. Due to the large scale of the task, our CE people were asked to return on 26 Aug to continue their effort.

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Sources

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