

# **472<sup>nd</sup> ATTACK SQUADRON**

## **MISSION**

### **LINEAGE**

472<sup>nd</sup> Squadron (Attack) constituted, 15 Oct 1921  
Redesignated 472<sup>nd</sup> Attack Squadron, 25 Jan 1923  
Inactivated, 31 Oct 1936  
Disbanded, 31 May 1942

### **STATIONS**

Not initiated 1921-1923  
Tulsa, OK, 1923-1925  
Houston, TX, 1925-1936  
Inactive 1936-1941

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

321<sup>st</sup> Attack Group

### **COMMANDERS**

Unknown, 12 May 1923  
Maj Nicholas Berglund, Sep 1932  
Maj Alva W. Snyder, 9 Oct 1932  
Inactive, 5 Jun 1936-7 Dec 1941

### **HONORS**

#### **Service Streamers**

#### **Campaign Streamers**

#### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 15 October 1921 as the 472nd Squadron (Attack), assigned to the 321st Attack Group (Third Army), and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Redesignated as the 472nd Attack Squadron on 25 January 1923. Enid, OK, initially designated as headquarters on organization, but the unit was never organized at that location. Initiated on 12 May 1923 at Tulsa, OK. Designated mobilization station was Ellington Field, TX. Relocated on 15 April 1925 to Houston, TX. Withdrawn from the Eighth Corps Area on 5 June 1936 and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Inactivated on 31 October 1936 at Houston by relief of personnel. Mitchel Field, NY, designated as headquarters on reorganization, but the unit was never organized at that location. Conducted summer training at various locations to include Post Field, OK; Kelly Field, TX; Fort Crockett U.S. Army Airdrome, TX; and Hensley Field, TX.

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Air Force Order of Battle

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### Sources

*US Army Order of Battle 1919-1941*. Steven E. Clay. Combat Studies Institute Press. US Army Combined Arms Center. Fort Leavenworth, KS. Nd.