

63 SERVICE SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

Air Park No. 8 constituted, 30 Aug 1921

Organized, 1 Oct 1921

Inactivated, 14 Oct 1921

Activated, 1 Dec 1921

Redesignated 63 Service Squadron, 25 Jan 1923

Inactivated, 1 May 1934

Demobilized, 1 Sep 1936

STATIONS

Mitchel Field, NY, 1921

France Field, CZ, 1921-1934

Inactive 1934-1936

ASSIGNMENTS

6 Composite Group

3 Group Headquarters (Observation), 1 Dec 1921

6 Composite Group

WEAPON SYSTEMS

L-4A

DH-4B

COMMANDERS

1st Lt Frank P. Albrook, 1 Dec 1921

Capt Harry M. Smith, 6 Mar 1922

1st Lt Frank P. Albrook, 26 Jun 1922

Capt Harrison W. Flickenger, 29 Jul 1923

Capt William M. Randolph, 20 May 1924

1st Lt Robin A. Day, 12 Dec 1924
Capt Carl W. Connell, 18 Jul 1925
Maj Paul T. Bock, 14 Mar 1927
Capt Armin F. Harold, 15 Sep 1927
Capt Edwin F. Carey, 13 Mar 1929
Capt Franklin O. Carroll, 22 Jul 1931
1st Lt George E. Rice, 30 Mar 1932
Capt Karl S. Axtater, 15 Nov 1932
Capt Carl W. Connell, 18 Jul 1925
Inactive, 1 May 1934-1 Sep 1936

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Regular Army on 30 August 1921 as Air Park No. 8 and assigned to the 6th Composite Group. Organized on 1 October 1921 at Mitchel Field, NY. Inactivated on 14 October 1921 at Mitchel Field in accordance with a War Department directive that ordered the air park to be allotted to and organized in the Panama Canal Department. Activated on 1 December 1921 at France Field, CZ, and assigned to the 3rd Group Headquarters (Observation) (later redesignated as the 6th Composite Group). Redesignated as the 63rd Service Squadron on 25 January 1923. Inactivated on 1 May 1934 at France Field, CZ. Demobilized on 1 September 1936.

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE UNIT HISTORIES

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Sources

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