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OF THE
NORTH CAROLINA WING
CIVIL AIR PATROL
1 January – 31 December 2014

Assigned to
Middle East Region, Civil Air Patrol

Headquartered at
Burlington, North Carolina

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Assigned to Middle East Region Civil Air Patrol

The North Carolina Wing Headquarters was established in December 1941, at the CAA building in Charlotte NC, under the command of Junius M. Horner. During the next 74 years Wing Headquarters has moved several times and now is at the current location at the Burlington – Alamance Regional Airport.

Awards:

Senior Member Awards -

Gill Rob Wilson 6

Paul E. Garber 11

Grover C. Loening 10

Cadet Awards -

Gen. Carl A. Spaatz 3 (#s 1935, 1953, 1954)

Gen. Ira C. Eaker 7

Amelia Earhart 11

Gen. Billy Mitchell 42

Wing Commander:

Col. David Crawford July 2012 to Present.

Wing Vice Commander:

Lt Col Jonathan Wiggs October 2013 to Present

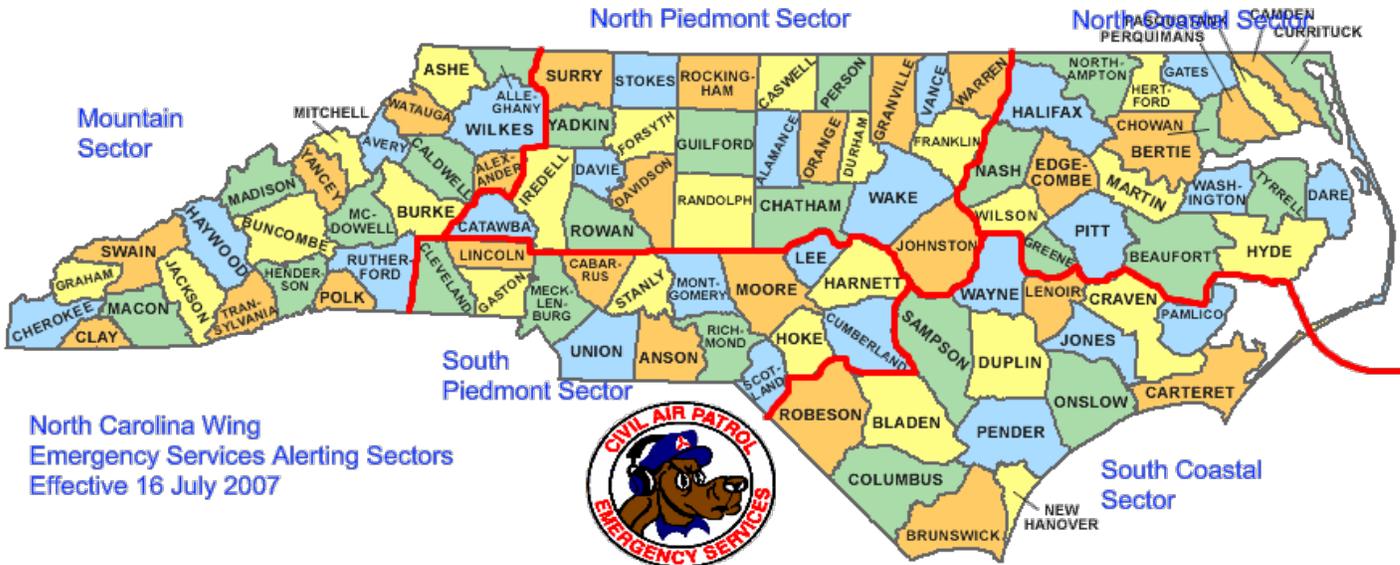
Chief of Staff:

Maj. Jason Bailey October 2013 to Present

Squadron Changes:

North Carolina Leadership Academy Cadet Squadron (NC 825)

North Carolina Wing Alerting Sectors



North Carolina Wing
Emergency Services Alerting Sectors
Effective 16 July 2007

North Carolina Wing Squadron Locations, with Unit charter numbers.

Headquarters, North Carolina Wing	Burlington, NC	NC 001
North Carolina State Legislative Squadron	Burlington, NC	NC 999
Headquarters, Group 1	Fletcher, NC	NC 011
Asheville Composite Squadron	Fletcher, NC	NC 019
Gastonia Composite Squadron	Gastonia, NC	NC 024
Shelby Composite Squadron	Shelby, NC	NC 050
Hickory Composite Squadron	Hickory, NC	NC 124
Boone Composite Squadron	Boone, NC	NC 135
Headquarters, Group 2	Burlington, NC	NC 002
Burlington Composite Squadron	Burlington, NC	NC 022
Randolph Composite Squadron	Asheboro, NC	NC 017
Franklin County Composite Squadron	Louisburg, NC	NC 145
Orange County Composite Squadron	Hillsborough, NC	NC 150
Apex Cadet Squadron	Apex, NC	NC 301
North Carolina Leadership Academy Cadet Squadron	Kernersville, NC	NC 825
Headquarters Group 3	Roanoke Rapids	NC 003
Raleigh-Wake Composite Squadron	Raleigh, NC	NC 048
Tar River Composite Squadron	Elm City, NC	NC 057
Pitt- Greenville Composite Squadron	Greenville, NC	NC 079
Cunningham Field Composite Squadron	MCAS Cherry Point, NC	NC 160
Halifax Composite Squadron	Roanoke Rapids, NC	NC 169
Elizabeth City Composite Squadron	Elizabeth City, NC	NC 305
Headquarters, Group 4	Burlington, NC	NC 004
Sugar Valley Composite Squadron	Mocksville, NC	NC 052
Winston Salem Composite Squadron	Winston Salem, NC	NC 082
111 th Search & Rescue Cadet Squadron	Charlotte, NC	NC 111
Charlotte Senior Squadron	Charlotte, NC	NC 121
South Piedmont Senior Squadron	Indian Trail, NC	NC 137
Iredell Composite Squadron	Statesville, NC	NC 162
South Charlotte Cadet Squadron	Waxhaw, NC	NC 300
Headquarters Group 5	<i>No Specific Location Given</i>	NC 005
Fayetteville Composite Squadron	Pope Army Airfield, NC	NC 007
Cape Fear Composite Squadron	Wilmington, NC	NC 023
Moore County Composite Squadron	Carthage, NC	NC 031
Goldsboro Composite Squadron	Seymour Johnson AFB, NC	NC 126
Johnston County Cadet Squadron	Smithfield, NC	NC 143

Brunswick County Composite Squadron
Sandhills Senior Squadron
Clinton-Sampson Flight

Oak Island, NC
Fayetteville, NC
Clinton, NC

NC 170
NC 171
NC 173

Aerospace Education

No aerospace education reports were submitted to the Wing Historian for 2014.

Cadet Programs

The North Carolina Wing Cadets have been very active during 2014. The cadets participated in the Middle East Region Cadet Competition representing the North Carolina Wing. During 2014 they cadets also attended a Wing Encampment at North. During 2014 Cadets from various Squadrons participated in Aerospace Education Days, with model rocketry and orientation flights being some of the events taking place. NC Wing cadets also benefited from the glider program of 52 glider flights during 2013.

Cadet Program Statistics:

Total Number of Cadets 681

Orientation Flights 879

Awards

Gen. Carl A. Spaatz 3 (#s 1935, 1953, 1954)

Gen. Ira C. Eaker 7

Amelia Earhart 11

Gen. Billy Mitchell 42

No data submitted NCWG CP staff - information drawn from the Spaatz Association website, CAPNHQ website, and the NCWG website*

Emergency Services/ Operations

During 2014 the Wing was very active with training and actual missions. North Carolina Wing responded to calls for assistance from the U.S. Air Force and other state support missions as well. During 2013 the North Carolina Wing Completed 18 missions; 11 Search and Rescue missions resulting in credit for 5 finds, 1 save and 7 other State Support missions.

North Carolina Wing Statistics:

12 Single Engine Aircraft.	Total Hours Flown:	2569.9
1 Glider	Cadet Orientation Flights	988
19 Ground Vehicles		

13 VHF/FM Fixed Repeaters
 2 VHF/FM Airborne Tactical Repeaters
 242 VHF/FM Stations
 39 HF Stations

Emergency Services Qualified Personnel 934
 Aircrew Qualified Personnel 299

Total Number of Wing Personnel 1536
Senior Members 818
Cadets 771

NCWG Missions for 2014

NC Wing Statistics for 2013:		
11 Single Engine Aircraft	Total Hours Flown	2738
1 Glider	Cadet Orientation Flights	879
18 Ground Vehicles		
13 VHF/FM Fixed Repeaters	15 SAR Missions	
2 VHF/FM Airborne Repeaters	11 Finds	
242 VHF/FM Stations	7 State Support Missions	
39 HF Stations		
Emergency Services Qualified Personnel	974	
Aircrew Qualified Personnel	276	
Total Number of Wing Personnel	1536	
<i>Senior Members</i>	855	
<i>Cadets</i>	681	

Mission #	Location/Description	Type	Date
15-T-3983	Statewide/Statewide SAREX	Search and Rescue	16-Jan-15
14-M-0582A	Cashiers, NC/Missing Person Search	Search and Rescue	15-Nov-14
14-M-0580	Charlotte Area/ELT (121.5)	Search and Rescue	14-Nov-14
15-T-3086	Hanging Rock State Park/2014 Ranger Training Weekend	Search and Rescue	31-Oct-14
14M0532	Moore County/406 ELT - Moore Co	Search and Rescue	17-Oct-14
15-T-3110	Statewide/October Monthly ES training	Search and Rescue	3-Oct-14
14-T-7601	Statewide/September Funded training	Search and Rescue	1-Sep-14
14-M-0431	Virginia/Missing F-15C	Search and Rescue	27-Aug-14
14-T-7160	Group 5/Group 5 SAREX	Search and Rescue	16-Aug-14
14-T-7161	Asheville NC/Mountain Flying Clinic (AVL)	Search and Rescue	15-Aug-14
14-T-7159	Statewide/August 2014 ES Training	Search and Rescue	2-Aug-14
14-T-6693	Burlington/Group 2 Sarex	Search and Rescue	2-Aug-14
14-M-0369	Louisburg, NC/ELT (406/121.5)	Search and Rescue	1-Aug-14
14-T-6955	Statewide in NC/SC/SC EVALUATED SAR	Search and Rescue	24-Jul-14

14-1-6755	Statewide/Hurricane Arthur	Disaster Relief	4-Jul-14
14-C-6714	Statewide/State support for TS Arthur	Disaster Relief	2-Jul-14
14-T-6726	statewide/TS Arthur asset relocation	Disaster Relief	2-Jul-14
14-T-6691	Statewide/July 2014 ES Training	Search and Rescue	2-Jul-14
14-T-6267	Rowan County Airport, Salisbury/Group 4 Sarex	Search and Rescue	21-Jun-14
14-T-5238	Statewide in Support of SE Region/SE 2014 Sarex	Disaster Relief	15-Jun-14
14-T-5945	SC Department of Public Safety/State of SC Hurricane Exercise	Disaster Relief	3-Jun-14
14-T-6204	statewide/June 2014 ES training	Search and Rescue	1-Jun-14
14-M-0232	Falcon, NC/406/EPIRB	Search and Rescue	25-May-14
14-T-5277	Fort Pickett, VA/MER SAR College	Search and Rescue	2-May-14
14-T-5473	Statewide/May 2014 funded training	Search and Rescue	29-Apr-14
14-C-5616	Winfall, NC/DR transport bottled water to tornado area	Disaster Relief	26-Apr-14
14-T-5477	WNC/NCWG/Group 1 SAREX	Search and Rescue	18-Apr-14
14-T-5069	Statewide/Monthly funded ES training	Search and Rescue	1-Apr-14
14-M-0123A	Wake County/Missing Person Search	Search and Rescue	23-Mar-14
14-T-5068	Chocowinity, NC/NCEM Eastern SAREX	Search and Rescue	27-Mar-14
14-M-0095	Fayetteville, NC/ELT at FAY	Search and Rescue	9-Mar-14
14-T-4684	Statewide/March 2014 ES training	Search and Rescue	1-Mar-14
14-T-4347	Statewide/February 2014 ES training	Search and Rescue	1-Feb-14
14-T-4148	Statewide/January 2014 ES training	Search and Rescue	2-Jan-14
14-T-3891NC	Multiple/Constant Watch	Communications Exercise	

- T- Training
- M- real missions
- C- state missions
- 1- Federal missions (hurricane)

*List of NC Wing Actual Missions**

*** No information submitted by the NCWG Operations Staff data drawn from the NCWG Legislative Day Newsletter.*

Appendix 1

Bibliography

Spaatz Association website

CAPNHQ National website list of awards for 2014

2014 NCWG News Releases NC Wing website

2014 NCWG Legislative Day Newsletter

NC Wing website-
Alerting Sectors
List of Squadrons
Wing Staff Directory

NC Wing Civil Air Patrol wiki

Squadron Histories reported to NC Wing
NC 019 - Asheville Composite Squadron
NC 052 - Sugar Valley Composite Squadron
NC 057 - Tar River Composite Squadron
NC 137 - South Piedmont Senior Squadron
NC 150 - Orange County Composite Squadron
NC 301 - Apex Cadet Squadron
NC 825 - NCLA Cadet Squadron

Appendix 2

Glossary

AFB - Air Force Base

Eaker - Cadet Award awarded for completion of phase 4 of the cadet program.
This award is named for General Ira C. Eaker.

Earhart - Cadet Award awarded for completion of phase 3 of the cadet program.
This award is named for Amelia Earhart

ELT - Emergency Location Transmitter

DDR - Drug Demand Reduction

DDRO - Drug Demand Reduction Officer

IACE - International Air Cadet Exchange

MER - Middle East Region Civil Air Patrol

NCWG - North Carolina Wing Civil Air Patrol

Spaatz - Cadet Award. Highest cadet program award.

USAF - United States Air Force

Appendix 3

NC Wing Aircraft

Aircraft Type	N-number	CAP call sign	Regular Basing
Cessna C172S	N916CP	CAP3202	Southport(SUT/Morehead City(MRH)
Cessna C172P	N9841L	CAP3203	Halifax(IXA)/Pitt-Greenville(PGV)
Cessna C172P	N99162	CAP3204	Raleigh-Durham(RDU)
Cessna C172P	N99832	CAP3205	Monroe(JQF)
Cessna C172P	N99885	CAP3207	Concord(JQF)
Cessna C182T (G1000)	N716CP	CAP3208	Burlington(BUY)
Cessna C182T (G1000)	N963CP	CAP3209	Raleigh-Durham(RDU)
Cessna C172R	N991CP	CAP3210	Asheville(AVL)
Cessna C182R	N9930E	CAP3211	Winston-Salem(INT)
Cessna C182T (G1000)	N727CP	CAP3212	Asheville(AVL)
Blanik L-23B/TG-10B (Glider)			Louisburg NC

NC Wing Ground Vehicles

32021	2009 Ford E - 350	Cape Fear Composite Squadron
32022	2010 Dodge Caravan	North Carolina Wing HQ
32018	2011 Ford E - 350	Winston Salem Composite Squadron
32023	2011 Ford E - 350	Raleigh Wake Composite Squadron
32027	2012 Ford E - 350	Halifax Composite Squadron
32029	2012 Ford E - 350	Pitt-Greenville Composite
32028	2012 Ford Expedition	North Carolina Wing HQ
32008	2013 Ford E - 350	North Carolina Wing HQ
32025	1998 Trailer	Pitt-Greenville Composite Squadron
32020	2000 Chevy Astro van	Randolph County Composite Sqdrn
32002	1999 Ford E - 350	Shelby Composite Squadron
32019	1999 Ford E - 350	Group 5 HQ
32006	2006 Ford E - 350	Asheville Composite Squadron
32013	1994 Dodge B-350	Tar River Composite Squadron
32005	2006 Ford E - 350	Iredell Composite Squadron
32007	1998 Trailer	Goldsboro Composite Squadron
32011	2007 Ford E -350	Fayetteville Composite Squadron
32015	2007 Ford E - 350	Boone Composite Squadron
32001	2013 Ford Expedition	North Carolina Wing HQ

Appendix 4
Squadron Histories
North Carolina Wing



Annual Unit Histories
2014

**RCS NCWG HO
MER NC 001**

**Apex Cadet Squadron
NC 301
Annual Unit History for 2014**



North Carolina	Apex Cadet	NC-301	Middle East	3 February 2015
WING	SQUADRON		CHARTER	REGIONDATE

SQUADRON LINAGE AND AWARDS

COMMANDERS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>DATES OF SERVICE</u>
Edward Cook	Maj	2011-2013
Brendan Kearns	Maj	2013-2015

SPAATZ AWARDS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>AWARD NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Philip Barrow	C/Col	1595	9 Mar 2006
Ryan Strug	C/Col	1606	29 Jun 2006
Cassie Fletcher	C/Col	1685	19 Mar 2008
Olivia Barrow	C/Col	1686	19 Mar 2008
Kali Fletcher	C/Col	1696	28 May 2008
Joshua Cuany	C/Col	1795	3 Jun 2011
Peter Barrow	C/Col	1823	4 Jan 2012
Joshua Waters	C/Col	1954	14 Jun 2014

CAP ACHEIVEMENT AWARD

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Joshua Waters	C/Col	28 Jun 2014
Kyra Willis	C/2 nd Lt	28 Jun 2014

CAP COMMANDER'S COMMENDATION AWARD

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Brendan Kearns	Capt	28 Jun 2014
Brendan Kearns	Maj	31 Dec 2014

COPY OF SQUADRON PATCH



NARRATIVE

AEROSPACE EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

- 20 cadets completed the Redstone Stage 1 and Titan Stage 2 sections of the CAP Model Rocketry Program
- 35 cadets participated in the flight simulator STEM activity

CADET PROGRAMS

- One Spaatz Award
- Two Earhart Awards
- Two Mitchell Awards
- Nine Wright Brothers Awards
- Five cadets and two Senior Members attended NC Wing Drill & Ceremonies Academy
 - One cadet and One Senior Member served on staff
 - C/SSgt Tyler Bogart was named Honor Cadet
- Cadets participated on 40 powered and glider orientation flights
- Eight cadets and one Senior Member attended NC Wing Encampment
 - Two cadets and One Senior Member served on staff
 - Four cadets attended their first encampment
- Two cadets and one Senior Member attended Middle East Region Honor Guard Academy
 - One Senior Member served on staff
- Cadets volunteered over 200 hours to various charities
- Performed Color Guard duties for three local events
- Fielded two CyberPatriot teams
 - One team finished third in the state
- Conducted Great Start program attended by five new cadets
- Two cadets served as members of the CAP Honor Guard for Wreaths Across America at Arlington National Cemetery
 - One Senior Member served as escort and instructor

EMERGENCY SERVICES

- Three cadets and three Senior Members achieved Ground Team Member 3 certification
 - These are the first ES qualified people in the history of the squadron
- Eight cadets and four Senior Members completed ICUT
- Eight cadets and one Senior Member completed GES
- Six cadets and three Senior Members attended NC Wing Ranger Training
 - All earned Ranger 3rd Class

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- One Senior Member completed CLS
- One Senior Member completed SLS

- One Senior Member completed Level IV
- One Senior Member completed Level II

MEMBERSHIP

- Eleven new cadets joined in 2014
- Net loss of five squadron member from 2013
 - Five transferred to other CAP squadrons
 - Two transferred to Apex Cadet Squadron

NC 137
Annual Unit History for 2014



**South Piedmont Senior Squadron
NC 137**

CHRONOLOGY

2014

June

21 Squadron participation in Group IV SAREX, Concord, NC

October

8 Squadron AE event: tour of US Airways Training Facility, Charlotte, NC

November

17 EAA presentation by Lt Col Tom Schick (and other members to assist) to local EAA chapter, Charlotte, NC

We are beginning to reinvigorate our squadron history program and will be having more documentation and input for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

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NC137 Unit Commander

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**Tar River Composite Squadron
NC 057
Annual Unit History Report for 2014**



2014 Activity Report
Tar River Composite Squadron
MER-NC-057

CHRONOLOGY

February

- 8 NC Wing CAC and Commander's Call
- 21 CyberPatriot VI Round 3
- 23 Virginia Air & Space Center Trip

March

- 1 Introductory Communications User Training
- 13 Annual Safety Day

April

- 26 NCEM Tornado Relief Supply Mission (14-C-5616)

May

- 10 NC Wing CAC and Commander's Call
- 18 MCAS Cherry Point Air Show

June

- 14 Airborne & Special Operations Museum Trip

July

- 8 Seymour Johnson AFB Flight Line Tour
- 12 Mission Staff Assistant Training

August

- 5 Seymour Johnson AFB Tower Tour
- 9 NC Wing CAC and Commander's Call
- 15 Seymour Johnson AFB End of Summer Celebration
- 30 Cadet Orientation Flights

October

- 24 CyberPatriot VII Round 1
- 25 RWI Airport Fun Day

November

- 8 NC Wing CAC and Commander's Call
- 14 CyberPatriot VII Round 2

December

- 5 CyberPatriot VII Round 3

**Orange County Composite Squadron
(MER-NC-150)
Squadron History Report - 2014**



**Orange County Composite Squadron
(MER-NC-150)
Squadron History Report - 2014**

CHRONOLOGY - 2014

January

February

4 – C/2nd Lt D. Ernandes receives Billy Mitchell Award

4 - C/SSgt A. Ham receives Wright Brothers Award

March

4 – Cadet E. Colquhoun receives Billy Mitchell Award

April

8 – Unit holds Cyber Patriot meeting

May

June

21-28 – Squadron cadets attend NC Wing Summer Encampment

July

August

September

2 – Lt's Greg and Ingrid Ernandes awarded Certificate of Appreciation for outstanding service to Squadron

October

10 - Squadron Wins Quality Cadet Unit Award

19 – Cadets do glider flights at Triangle North Ex. Airport in Louisburg, NC

November

7-9 – Cadets attend Airman School

11 – Cadets serve as Color Guard at Veteran's Day event

18 – Unit recruits at Cedar Ridge High

18 – Unit participates in CERT disaster exercise at Emergency Services Center

December

4 – Cadet D. Ham receives Billy Mitchell Award

13 – Unit participates in Wreaths Across America at Salisbury National Cemetery

29 – Squadron visits Army Air National Guard Base at RDU airport

North Carolina Leadership Academy Cadet Squadron
NC 825
Annual Unit History for 2014



**North Carolina Leadership Academy Cadet Squadron
NC 825
Annual Unit History for 2014**

Our squadron will be one year old next month, so we have a relative short history, but I've included what we've done below.

February 2014
Squadron formed

May, 2014
Change of Command - Outgoing Commander - Lt Col William Hawke
Incoming Commander - Lt Col S.J.Gonzales

August, 2014
School flagpole dedication. Installation of first cadet commander - C/A1C Katlin Lanier.

September, 2014
New cadets assimilated into the squadron. Total cadets and seniors 170

December, 2014
Wreaths Across America - The Field of Honor, Kernersville, NC

January, 2015
Hosted Congressional Gold Medal Ceremony for 4 WWII CAP recipients
Change of Command Ceremony - Installation of new cadet commander - C/SSgt Hunter Bowman

These are the highlights of the past year. I can get more detailed if you need, but wanted to send you something on before I forgot!

Hope you are doing well.

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