

HISTORY OF
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MEMORANDUM

FROM: VAWG/CC

SUBJECT: Virginia Wing Historian Report CY2019

Having reviewed the attached Virginia Wing Historical Report for Calendar Year 2019 that was drafted and submitted by Virginia Wing's Historian Officer (Richard W. Baldwin, Maj.), I approve with my endorsement for submission to CAP's National Historical Archives.


DEAN E. GOULD, Colonel, CAP
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**INTRODUCTION:
VIRGINIA WING
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Chapter 1: OPERATIONS

Search & Rescue

September 27–29 & October 18–20, 2019: Civil Air Patrol members from Virginia and North Carolina Wings participated in the 2019 Virginia Wing Ground Search & Rescue (GSAR) College held at Ft. Pickett Maneuver Training Center outside of Blackstone, VA. GSAR staff checked-in 41 ground team member (GTM) trainees and five ground team leader (GTL) trainees Friday evening, September 27. Saturday's training schedule entailed both classroom and hands-on field instruction where GTM and GTL trainees engaged their distinctive roles carrying out specific tasks through team exercises. Course instructors are comprised of volunteers from Virginia Department Emergency Management and Piedmont Search & Rescue organizations. Col. Dave Carter, GSAR Director, is celebrating his 42nd year as course coordinator, instructor, and mentor. He was one of three founding members of the college and still retains copies of the original lesson plans. GSAR curriculum will continue to progress to accommodate and supplement advancing search and rescue technology and innovation such as cell phone forensics and drone aerial searches. Course training took place over two weekends, September 27-29 and October 18-20 concluding with a 100-question written test and field practical. Members who passed their exams and practicals earned their CAP ground team ratings of GTM and GTL, respectively.

Disaster Response

Nothing significant to report in Disaster Response for 2019.

Homeland Security

Nothing significant to report in Disaster Response for 2019.

Counterdrug Operations

Nothing significant to report in Disaster Response for 2019.

Chapter 2: AEROSPACE EDUCATION

Internal Aerospace Education

VAWG National STEM Day (Science Technology Engineering Mathematics)

November 16, 2019: Nearly 30 cadets gathered at Virginia Wing Headquarters on 16 Nov to celebrate STEM day. They participated in a full day of hands-on aeronautics science, technology, engineering, and mathematic challenges, activities, and fun. C/Lt Col McGee of Leesburg Composite Squadron Civil Air Patrol, VA117 and SMSgt Soave organized the event.

External Aerospace Education

C-17 ORIENTATION FLIGHT: *Fredericksburg Composite Squadron (VAWG), Martinsburg Composite Squadron (VAWG), & Potomac Highlands Composite Squadron (WVWG)*

April 17, 2019: Fredericksburg Composite Squadron joined WV Wing, Civil Air Patrol's Martinsburg Composite Squadron Civil Air Patrol & Potomac Highlands Composite Squadron for a C-17 Flight provided by West Virginia National Guard's 167th Airlift Wing - West Virginia Air National Guard.

GLIDER ORIENTATION FLIGHTS: *Southside Composite Squadron*

May 25, 2019: Cadets from Southside Composite Squadron enjoyed their first Orientation Glider Flights on Sunday, May 25, at the Merlin Aerodrome, Amelia Courthouse, VA. Cadets experienced soaring above in an LET L-23 Super Blanik. Each cadet is received two orientation flights with Captain Dave Reilley. Tow plane was piloted by Mark Tinsky.

GLIDER ORIENTATION FLIGHTS: *Tidewater Composite Squadron*

September 22, 2019: Cadets from Tidewater Composite Squadron enjoyed their first Orientation Glider Flights on Sunday, September 22 at the Merlin Aerodrome, Amelia Courthouse, VA.

GLIDER ORIENTATION FLIGHTS: *Newport News Composite Squadron*

November 10, 2019: Six cadets from Newport News Composite Squadron thoroughly enjoyed their first Orientation Glider Flights this on Sunday, November 10 at the Merlin Aerodrome, Amelia Courthouse, VA. Not only did they take to the skies but they also actively participated as wing runners helping to ensure safe launches. One of the requirements before the first glider orientation flight is to pass an online wing runner course.

Chapter 3: CADET PROGRAMS

Cadet Programs

VAWG AWARDS CADET SCHOLARSHIPS FOR FUTURE YOUNG PILOTS

January 2, 2019: The Virginia Wing of the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) announced \$10,500 in scholarships to support the advancement of pilot training and career exploration for 17 cadets from 10 different units throughout the state. The funding for the scholarships was provided by the Commonwealth of Virginia and a private donor.

Three cadets were selected to receive flight scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each towards pursuit of a solo endorsement or private pilot's license. **C/Lt Col Julie Demyanovich**, of Prince William Composite Squadron, in Manassas, will use the funds to continue training with American Aviation in pursuit of her private pilot's license. Once achieved, she also plans to get her instrument rating and work on getting enough hours to be an orientation flight pilot (flights in single engine aircraft available to all CAP cadets). **C/2d Lt Joan Gibson**, of Burke Composite Squadron, in Springfield, will continue her flight training at Aviation Adventures flight school in Manassas, VA, projecting to complete minimum private pilot hours by this coming June. **C/2d Lt Maggie Morrison**, of Southside Composite Squadron, in Chesterfield, will use the funds to pursue flight training with CAP out of Hanover County Municipal Airport, and looks forward to taking her checkride after she turns 17.

Four cadets were selected to receive scholarships in the amount of \$250 each towards their first hour of flight instruction. This scholarship in particular was due to a private donor and is to honor the memory of Professor Feir, a lifelong flyer, by introducing youth to the joy of flying. These cadets' ranks vary from cadet Airman to cadet Chief Master Sergeant and are from Winchester Composite Squadron (Winchester), Fredericksburg Composite Squadron (Fredericksburg), Tidewater Composite Squadron (Chesapeake), and Southside Composite Squadron (Chesterfield).

Ten cadets were selected to receive scholarships in the amount of \$250 or \$500 towards their attendance of a CAP National Cadet Special Activity (NCSA). NCSAs are designed to explore civilian and military aerospace careers, provide flight training, develop leadership, and enhance emergency services skills. These cadets will find out next month if they are selected to attend, as they will compete with cadets across the nation to get a slot to attend. Cadets awarded included some units previously mentioned as well as Hanover Composite Squadron (Hanover), Roanoke Composite Squadron (Roanoke), and Lynchburg Composite Squadron (Lynchburg).

These scholarships could not be possible without the support from the Commonwealth of Virginia and a private donor. The Civil Air Patrol is grateful for their support for transforming youth into dynamic Americans and aerospace leaders.

Cadet Activities

2019 VAWG Cadet Competition

February 15–17, 2019: The 2019 VAWG Cadet Competition was held at the Joint Base Langley-Eustis in Hampton, VA.

2019 VAWG SUMMER ENCAMPMENT (FT. PICKETT, VA.)

August 10–18, 2019: Featured here are 255 students, cadre, and senior staff plus many others supporting operations as well. Among the ranks are CAP members from seven other wings totaling 71 out-of-wing guests. Civil Air Patrol Virginia Wing was proud to serve Cadets and Senior Members from seven different wings for a total of 71 guests attending the 2019 Virginia Wing Encampment. Out of wing guests consisted 53 first-year Students, 7 Advanced Students, 7 Cadre, and 4 Senior Members. Virginia Wing carried out Mid-Atlantic Region's motto, "No Borders, No Boundaries!"

2019 VAWG WINTER ENCAMPMENT (Raptor Town ~ Joint Base Langley-Eustis ~ Hampton, VA)

December 29, 2019 – January 4, 2020: More than 80 cadets from multiple wings participated in the Inaugural [Joint NC-VA 2019-20 Winter Encampment](#) held at the Joint Base Langley-Eustis in Hampton, VA.

January 2, 2020: Virginia National Guard Soldiers assigned to 2nd Battalion, 224th Aviation Regiment supported Civil Air Patrol with familiarization flights on a UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter at Joint Base Langley-Eustis as part of the CAP's winter encampment, which brought cadets from Virginia, North Carolina and a handful of other states together for a week-long training period, during which they were immersed in cadet life. More than 80 cadets got the chance to ride on the helicopter.

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

December 14, 2019: Various Virginia Wing Squadrons across the commonwealth of Virginia participated in on **"Wreaths Across America"** to honor fallen veterans by placing wreaths on their graves.

Cadets from [Augusta Composite Squadron](#) & [Monticello Composite Squadron](#) honored fallen veterans at **Arlington National Cemetery**.

Other squadrons participated at their local veteran's cemeteries. Pictured below are cadets from [Southside Composite Squadron](#) who honored fallen veterans at **City Point National Cemetery** in Hopewell, VA.

Drug Demand Reduction

Nothing significant to report in Drug Demand Reduction for 2019.

Chapter 4: PUBLIC AFFAIRS & GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

Virginia General Assembly Veterans Caucus

January 23, 2019: The Virginia Legislative Squadron has a great morning presenting to the Virginia General Assembly Veterans Caucus with Virginia Wing, Civil Air Patrol Commander Col Dean Gould and BG Richard L. Anderson. During the presentation Col Gould discussed VAWG response in Emergency Services. 1st Lt Bud Oakey presented and overview of VAWG CAP Aerospace Education and BG Anderson an overview of Civil Air Patrol National programs. During the program Virginia National Guard Commander, MG Timothy Williams highlighted the partnership between CAP and the Virginia National Guard.

Veterans Appreciation Reception at the Virginia War Memorial

January 30, 2019: The Legislative Squadron attended the Virginia Legislative Veterans Caucus weekly briefing. VAWG Commander Col. Dean Gould and Legislative Squadron Deputy Commander 1st Lt Bud Oakey also attended the Veterans Appreciation Reception at the Virginia War Memorial. During the reception Col Gould and 1st Lt Bud Oakey spent time with Virginia Governor Ralph Northam, Lt Governor Justin Fairfax, Veterans Caucus Chairman, Senator Bryce Reeves, Virginia Secretary of Veterans And Military Affairs, Carlos Hopkins and the Adjutant General of Virginia, MG Tim Williams, Commanding General, Virginia National Guard.

Virginia Wing's inaugural State Legislative Day (ACTIVITY NUMBER: 19-VA-W007)

February 6, 2019: 30 cadets and 9 seniors from various squadrons within VAWG attended Virginia Wing's inaugural State Legislative Day at the Virginia State Capitol in Richmond, VA. CAP members met with citizen legislators to discuss what Civil Air Patrol provides for the Commonwealth. Former National Commander Brig Gen Richard L. Anderson spent time with VAWG Cadets pre-briefing them before their visit with members of the state legislature.

VAWG CAP Cadets with Virginia Secretary of Transportation Shannon Valentine

Some VAWG CAP Cadets met with Virginia Secretary of Transportation Shannon Valentine who was eager to hear from the cadets about their career plans and futures.

Recognitions

March 1, 2019: Maj. Gen. Mark Smith, CAP's national commander and CEO, appoints Virginia Wing Vice Commander Liz Sydow to National Diversity Officer.

March 31, 2019: VA999 Commander Dan Ciesla and Deputy Commander Bud Oakey had the opportunity to present to Virginia Wing, Civil Air Patrol Commander Dean Gould his Virginia Legislative Squadron golf shirt at this weekend's Joint MidAtlantic / VAWG annual conference.

Virginia Aeronautical Historical Society

July 16, 2019: Capt Greg Fletcher, Fredericksburg Composite Squadron and Capt Bud Oakey were recently named to the Board of Directors for the Virginia Aeronautical Historical Society joining former Civil Air Patrol National Commander BG Richard L. Anderson and BG Dave Young, USAF Ret of the Board. BG Young was a CAP Cadet prior to attending Virginia Tech and joining the USAF.

Former Virginia Wing Commander Inducted into Virginia Aviation Hall of Fame

October 19, 2019: The Virginia Aeronautical Historical Society inducted Colonel Floyd Callihan, former Commander, Virginia Wing, Civil Air Patrol into the Virginia Aviation Hall of Fame. COL. Callahan was recommended for this distinction by former Civil Air Patrol National Commander BG Richard L. Anderson. Colonel Callihan served as the Virginia Wing Commander from March 8th, 1980 to Feb 20, 1983. During his tenure he was the driving factor for the wing headquarters building. He worked the building donation from CSX at Byrd Field (Now Richmond International) and the land lease at Chesterfield County Airport. That is only a small part of his accomplishments. The ceremony was well represented with the Fredericksburg Composite Squadron Color Guard and led by Wing Commander Dean Gould, Vice Commander Elizabeth Sydow and Wing Command NCO Marco Soave.

**APPENDIX I:
Data, Statistics & Awards of Virginia Wing**

OPERATIONS

Total Hours Flown Virginia Wing (2019): **2,133**

Total ELT Finds by Virginia Wing (2019): **6**

AEROSPACE EDUCATION

Recipients of the Aerospace Education (AE) Achievement Award for 2019

November 1, 2019: Through the dedicated effort of the squadron Aerospace Education Officer (AEO), these units completed the necessary requirements for earning this award. Special thanks goes out to the AEOs from these squadrons for their active and successful involvement in helping accomplish the AE mission and promoting an interest in Aerospace, Aviation and STEM.

This award recognizes squadrons that have vibrant aerospace education programs. They are recognized for completing several criteria that encompass both internal and external programs in AE in 2019

UNIT	SQUADRON NAME	LOCATION
MAR-VA-007	Herndon Composite Squadron	Herndon
MAR-VA-088	Newport-News Composite Squadron	Yorktown
MAR-VA-089	Carolyn A. Guertin Cadet Squadron (Formerly West Richmond Cadet Squadron)	Richmond
MAR-VA-094	Hanover County Composite Squadron	Ashland
MAR-VA-102	Prince William Composite Squadron	Manassas
MAR-VA-108	Fredericksburg Composite Squadron	Fredericksburg
MAR-VA-117	Leesburg Composite Squadron	Leesburg

INTERNAL AEROSPACE EDUCATION

Top Cadet Program & Top Aerospace Education Program in the Mid-Atlantic Region

August 10, 2019: Colonel Dean Gould, VAWG/CC, accepted the 2019 Mid-Atlantic Region Cadet Programs and Aerospace Education Mission awards at the 2019 National Conference in Baltimore, Maryland. Virginia wing was recognized for having the top cadet program and aerospace education mission in the Mid-Atlantic Region, Civil Air Patrol for calendar year 2018

EXTERNAL AEROSPACE EDUCATION

Cadet Accepted at In-Residence Flight School

April 22, 2019: Cadet Second Lieutenant Maggie Morrison became Virginia Wing's first recipient of the Cadet Wings Scholarship. C/2dLt Morrison was a member of the Southside Composite Squadron where she served as Cadet Aerospace Education Officer. The goal of Cadet Wings is to assist cadets in obtaining their Private Pilot Certificate, recognized by industry as the first milestone for those who have a serious desire to pursue a flying career.

Cadet Officer Earns Private Pilot Wings

November 7, 2019: C/Col Hewitt-Qualls of Coastal Composite Squadron earns her Private Pilot wings at Camp Pendleton, Virginia having completed her flight training under the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Wings Program in September 2019.

CADET PROGRAMS

CADET MEMBER AWARDS

General Carl A. Spaatz Award Recipients ~ 2019

January 19, 2019: **Cadet Colonel Julie Demyanovich** earned the highest award in the cadet program, the General Carl A. Spaatz Award (#2219). Only 0.5% of all cadets earn this award. C/Col Demyanovich was the Cadet Leadership Officer, Cadet Aerospace Education Officer, and Cadet Activities Officer for Prince William Composite Squadron. She was a past cadet commander for Burke Composite Squadron, former Wing CAC Chair, and the former VAWG Representative to the Region CAC. In 2017 she served as the Virginia Wing Encampment Cadet Commander and has attended five encampments in total. She attended Specialized Undergraduate Pilot Training Familiarization Course and the International Air Cadet Exchange. C/Col Demyanovich is a qualified Mission Observer, Mission Scanner, and Airborne Photographer and is a student pilot. She is a Ground Team Leader and earned her Senior Ground Team Badge.

July 23, 2019: **Cadet Colonel Lauryn Sharp** earned the highest award in the cadet program, the General Carl A. Spaatz Award (#2245). C/Col Sharp was a member of Lynchburg Composite Squadron in Group 1. She joined CAP in 2014 and was active as a cadet for 5 years. She attended three Virginia Wing encampments as a student or cadre. She also served as her squadron's cadet commander, leadership officer, flight commander, and as a member of the Cadet Advisory Council as well as various other positions at the squadron. In 2016 she completed the Middle East Region Cadet Leadership School. In 2018 she was part of the wing's team that supported the Points of Distribution System (PODS) in North Carolina, helping to provide critical water, food, and tarps to the community. C/Col Sharp was also appointed as commander of the Virginia Wing Honor Guard College held in August. She will be attending Liberty University beginning in the fall of 2019.

July 29, 2019: **Cadet Colonel Saffron Hewitt-Qualls** earned the highest award in the cadet program, the General Carl A. Spaatz Award (#2247). C/Col Hewitt-Qualls was a member of Coastal Composite Squadron in Group 2. She joined CAP in 2014 and served actively as a cadet for 5 years. C/Colonel Saffron Hewitt-Qualls was the cadet communications officer for her squadron and previously has served as cadet commander, cadet deputy commander, cadet emergency services officer, and flight commander. She was one of only two cadet Communications Unit Leaders in Virginia Wing and had managed communications operations for several missions including Ardent Sentry. She was also a ground team

member, mission radio operator, mission staff assistant, and urban direction-finding team member. She had attended four National Cadet Special Activities: Honor Guard Academy, National Flight Academy - Powered, Air Force Specialized Undergraduate Pilot Training Familiarization Course, and the Engineering Technologies Academy. She completed the Middle East Region Cadet Leadership School in 2016. C/Col Hewitt-Qualls is a solo pilot and was recently selected as one of the first-year recipients of the Cadet Wings program, providing the funding for her to obtain her private pilot's license. She is currently participating in the International Air Cadet Exchange in the Republic of Korea.

September 20, 2019: **Cadet Colonel Matthew Bell** earned the highest award in the cadet program, the General Carl A. Spaatz Award (#2256). He became the 79th cadet in Virginia Wing to earn this award. C/Col Bell was a member of Lynchburg CAP in VAWG Group 1, Civil Air Patrol. He joined CAP in 2011 and had been active as a cadet. He was the cadet leadership and public affairs officer for his squadron and previously had served as cadet deputy commander, cadet executive officer, cadet recruiting officer, cadet aerospace education officer, and flight commander. He attended and supported 5 Virginia Wing encampments. He attended the International Air Cadet Exchange National Special Cadet Activity last summer where he traveled to Australia. He completed the Northeast Region Cadet Leadership School in 2018. C/Col Bell received his solo pilot rating in 2017.

2019 Quality Cadet Unit Award for their performance in 2018-2019

October 9, 2019: 14 units in VAWG earned the 2019 Quality Cadet Unit Award for their performance in 2018-2019. This award recognizes squadrons that have vibrant cadet programs. Many of these units have received these consecutively and for many years. 5 of the units were in the top 16% for meeting all the criterion. A special congratulations went out to Lynchburg and Leesburg for meeting ALL 10 of the criteria, of which only 12 units in the nation met, and to Southside, Newport News, and Prince William for meeting 8 of the 10 criteria, of which only 70 units in the nation met.

Unit	Squadron Name	Location	Details
VA007	William P. Knight Composite Squadron (Formerly Herndon Composite Squadron)	Herndon	2nd Consecutive Year / 2nd Earned
VA017	Lynchburg Composite Squadron	Lynchburg	4th Consecutive Year / 8th Earned
VA025	Langley Composite Squadron	Langley Air Force Base	4th Consecutive Year / 9th Earned
VA040	Winchester Composite Squadron	Winchester	3rd Earned
VA060	Southside Composite Squadron	North Chesterfield	5th Consecutive Year / 5th Earned
VA088	Newport-News Composite Squadron	Yorktown	4th Consecutive Year / 4th Earned
VA094	Hanover County Composite Squadron	Ashland	3rd Consecutive Year / 4th Earned
VA095	Coastal Composite Squadron	Virginia Beach	5th Consecutive Year / 5th Earned
VA102	Prince William Composite Squadron	Manassas	7th Consecutive Year / 7th Earned
VA108	Fredericksburg Composite Squadron	Fredericksburg	9th Consecutive Year / 9th Earned
VA117	Leesburg Composite Squadron	Leesburg	9th Consecutive Year / 9th Earned
VA130	Burke Composite Squadron	Springfield	2nd Consecutive Year / 5th Earned
VA135	Minuteman Composite Squadron	Culpeper	5th Consecutive Year / 5th Earned
VA141	Hampton Roads Composite Squadron	Chesapeake	7th Earned

SENIOR PROGRAMS

SENIOR MEMBER AWARDS Gill Robb Wilson Award Recipients ~ 2019

The **Gill Robb Wilson Award** is Civil Air Patrol's (CAP) highest award for senior member professional development. It recognizes senior members who have dedicated themselves to leadership and personal development in the CAP.

SENIOR MEMBER:	RANK:	CAP ID:	SQUADRON/UNIT:	AWARD NO:
Williams, Edward L. Jr.	Maj		VA-017	3631
Meyer, Todd A.	Maj		VA-089	3664

VIRGINIA WING ANNUAL AWARDS

March 29 – 31, 2019: Virginia Wing Annual Awards were presented at the **2019 Joint Middle East Region – Virginia Wing Conference**.

Annual Awards Presented at Annual Wing Conference:

Squadron of Merit: Knight Composite Squadron – Group 3

Senior Member of the Year: Lt Col Mike Wormington – VAWG Wing Headquarters

Cadet of the Year: C/Lt Col John Sharp – Lynchburg CAP

Cadet NCO of the Year: C/CMSgt Michael Spears – Fredericksburg Composite Squadron

Professional Development Officer of the Year: Lt Lacie Dickens – Newport News Composite Squadron

John V. "Jack" Sorenson Cadet Programs Officer of the Year: Lt Jimmy Taylor – Newport News

Director of Finance of the Year: Maj Dave Harback – VAWG Wing Headquarters

Safety Officer of the Year: Lt Jonothan Tarkowski – Hampton Roads Composite Squadron

Colonel Edwin W. Lewis, Jr. Incident Staff Member of the Year: Captain Robin Haight – Tidewater Composite Squadron

Character Development Instructor of the Year: Maj Lori Kirk – Montgomery Composite Squadron

Communicator of the Year: Lt Col James Schmidt – Winchester Composite Squadron

Colonel Dion E. DeCamp Ground Team of the Year: Fredericksburg Composite Squadron

Maj Gen Jeanne M. Holm CAP Aerospace Education Officer of the Year:

Lt Jason Engelhardt – Coastal Composite Squadron

AFA Aerospace Education Cadet of the Year: C/2d Lt Anna Haas – Montgomery Composite Squadron

Frank G. Brewer Aerospace Education Award: Cadet: C/2d Lt Laurel Munger – Newport News

Frank G. Brewer Aerospace Education Award: Senior: Lt Col Bruce Munger – Newport News

Frank G. Brewer Aerospace Education Award: Individual/Organization – Prince William Composite Squadron

Frank G. Brewer Aerospace Education Award: Lifetime Achievement – Lt Col Tim Carey - Prince William

National Squadron Chaplain of the Year: Chaplain Major Reggie Burgess – Coastal Composite Squadron

Property Manager of the Year: Maj Ted Warnock – Wing Headquarters

Public Affairs Officer of the Year: Lt Nancy Flanagan – Hampton Roads

Inspector General of the Year: Col Eric Litt – VAWG Wing Headquarters

George Texido Legislative Officer of the Year Award: Lt "Bud" Oakey – Virginia Legislative Squadron

Maj Gen Wheless Legal Officer of the Year: Lt Col Elliott L. Korona

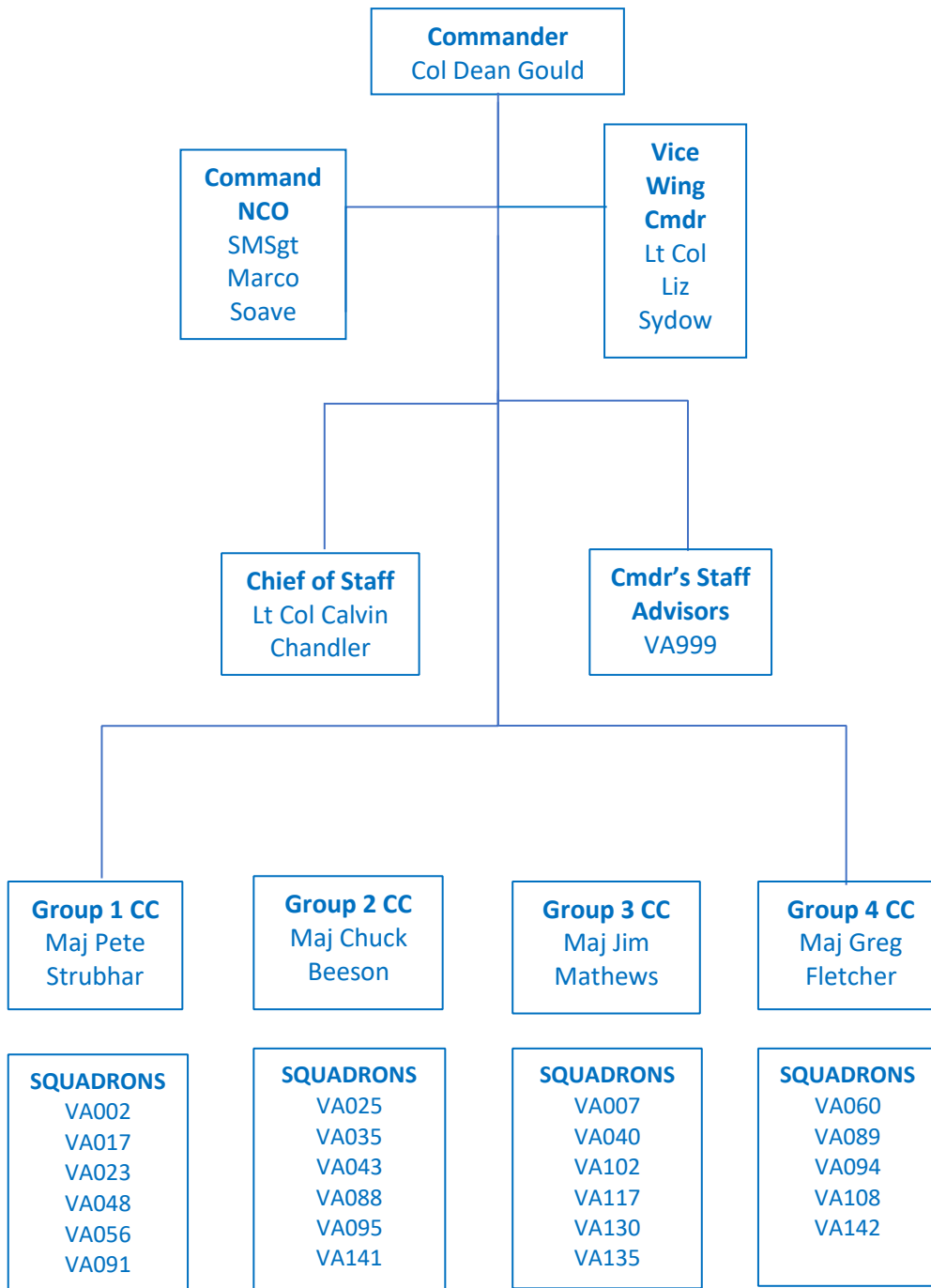
Col David Kantor Operations Staff Officer of the Year: Maj Julius Garrett

Lt Col T Keith Riddle Aircrew Member of the Year: Maj Jeffrey Mauro

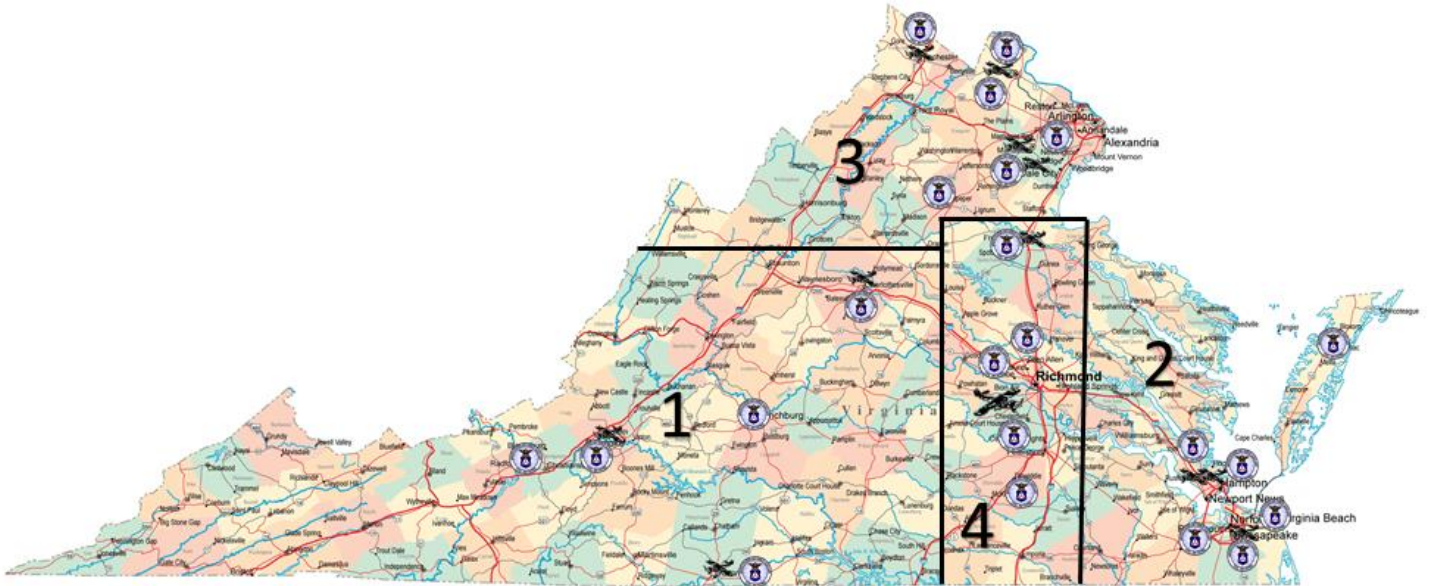
Virginia Wing Squadron of the Year: Fredericksburg Composite Squadron

APPENDIX II
Organizational Chart of Virginia Wing

VIRGINIA WING
COMMAND STRUCTURE



**MAP OF SQUADRONS BY GROUP
WITHIN VIRGINIA WING**



APPENDIX III
Departments & Staff of Virginia Wing

VAWG SENIOR COMMAND STAFF

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Director of Logistics	Theodore R Warnock	Maj		VA-001	22-Aug-17	P
Director of Logistics	Horace L Campbell	Capt		VA-001	14-Dec-16	A
Maintenance Officer	Julius W Garrett	Maj		VA-001	01-Oct-18	P
Maintenance Officer	Jeff D Mauro	Lt Col		VA-001	18-Jun-15	A
Maintenance Officer	Tekang Wang	Maj		VA-001	21-Apr-16	A
Maintenance Officer	Michael Wormington	Lt Col		VA-001	01-Oct-18	A
Maintenance Officer	Joshua N Shields	Lt Col		VA-001	29-Aug-19	A
Transportation Officer	Horace L Campbell	Capt		VA-001	13-Mar-18	P
Transportation Officer	Eric B McLendon	Maj		VA-001	14-Aug-18	A
Transportation Officer	Marco E Soave	SMSgt		VA-001	28-Jan-20	A

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Communications Engineering Officer	Bruce N Patterson	Lt Col		VA-001	25-Feb-19	A
Communications Training Officer	David A Carter	Col		VA-001	24-Jun-13	A
Communications Training Officer	Joshua N Shields	Lt Col		VA-001	21-Sep-19	A

VAWG PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Professional Development	Daniel W Brodsky	Lt Col		VA-001	12-Jun-20	P
Director of Professional Development	Jeffrey S Adler	Lt Col		VA-001	09-Sep-12	A
Director of Professional Development	Randy J Petyak	Lt Col		VA-001	30-Dec-17	A
Director of Professional Development	Lacie L Dickens	Capt		VA-001	16-Mar-19	A
Testing Officer	Marco E Soave	SMSgt		VA-001	30-Jan-18	P

PERSONNEL STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Administration	W Richard Campbell	Capt		VA-001	23-Apr-19	P
Director of Administration	Elizabeth A Sydow	Lt Col		VA-001	01-Feb-16	A
Director of Administration	Robin D Haight	Maj		VA-001	07-Jun-17	A
Director of Administration	Sandra A McInturff	Lt Col		VA-001	20-Nov-17	A
Personnel Officer	Douglas M Kabler	Lt Col		VA-001	15-Jun-10	P
Personnel Officer	Marco E Soave	SMSgt		VA-001	30-Jan-18	A
Personnel Officer	Brian C Howard	Maj		VA-001	08-Nov-19	A

VAWG PLANS & PROGRAMS STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Plans and Programs Officer	Elizabeth A Sydow	Lt Col		VA-001	01-Oct-12	P
Plans and Programs Officer	William Ettingoff	Capt		VA-001	12-Apr-19	A
Plans and Programs Officer	Sarah Ann Nutbrown	Capt		VA-001	01-Aug-19	A

VAWG PUBLIC AFFAIRS STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Public Affairs Officer	Gregory J Fletcher	Maj		VA-001	17-Jun-14	P
Public Affairs Officer	James C Mathews	Maj		VA-001	04-Jun-15	A
Public Affairs Officer	Jacob D Bixler	Maj		VA-001	13-Aug-15	A
Director of Recruiting & Retention	Herbert R Valle	1st Lt		VA-001	14-Oct-18	P

VAWG INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of IT	Robert M Thomas	Maj		VA-001	14-Feb-20	P
Director of IT	Timothy P Day	Lt Col		VA-001	10-Jan-16	A
Director of IT	Gene A Youngblood	Maj		VA-001	20-Sep-19	A
Director of IT	James A Litchford	Capt		VA-001	17-Feb-19	A
Director of IT	Jacob D Bixler	Maj		VA-001	14-Feb-20	A
Web Security Administrator	Timothy P Day	Lt Col		VA-001	13-Jan-16	A
Web Security Administrator	Jacob D Bixler	Maj		VA-001	18-Oct-17	A

VAWG FINANCE STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Finance	Deborah H Wagstaff	Maj		VA-001	01-Jan-19	P
Director of Finance	David P Harback	Maj		VA-001	01-Jan-19	A

VAWG CHAPLAIN STAFF

* TYPE: Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Chaplain	Timothy H Miner	Lt Col		VA-001	09-May-16	P
Chaplain	Reginald D Burgess	Maj		VA-001	12-May-17	A
Character Development Instructor	Elliott L Korona	Lt Col		VA-001	22-Jul-16	P

VAWG EMERGENCY SERVICES STAFF

* TYPE: Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Emergency Services	Joshua N Shields	Lt Col		VA-001	16-May-18	P
Director of Emergency Services	John D Payne	Lt Col		VA-001	13-Oct-16	A
Director of Emergency Services	Edward G Wilkinson	Capt		VA-001	16-May-18	A
Director of Emergency Services	Robert P Allam	Capt		VA-001	29-Jan-19	A
Director of Emergency Services	William Ettingoff	Capt		VA-001	02-Nov-19	A
Director of Emergency Services	Patrick C Fulgham	Lt Col		VA-001	05-Dec-19	A
Director of Emergency Services	Kendal W Carlson	Lt Col		VA-001	10-Dec-19	A
Emergency Services Training Officer	Brian C Howard	Maj		VA-001	08-Nov-19	P
Emergency Services Training Officer	David A Carter	Col		VA-001	05-Dec-19	A
Emergency Services Training Officer	Christopher A Cali	Capt		VA-001	20-Apr-20	A

VAWG INSPECTOR GENERAL STAFF

* TYPE: Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Inspector General	Eric R Litt	Col		VA-001	04-Sep-13	P
Inspector General	Richard L Moseley	Col		VA-001	20-Apr-15	A
Inspector General	Ami A Iacono	Maj		VA-001	07-Aug-16	A

VAWG SAFETY STAFF

* TYPE: Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Safety	Todd A Meyer	Maj		VA-001	22-Feb-20	P
Director of Safety	Jeffrey A Rowell	Lt Col		VA-001	22-Feb-20	A
Director of Safety	William Ettingoff	Capt		VA-001	18-May-20	A

VAWG LEGAL STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Legal Officer	Elliott L Korona	Lt Col		VA-001	02-Jul-15	P
Legal Officer	Brentin V Evitt	Capt		VA-001	16-May-16	A
Legal Officer	Christopher T Holinger	Lt Col		VA-001	04-Mar-19	A
Legal Officer	Michael W Lee	Capt		VA-001	01-Dec-19	A

VAWG OPERATIONS STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Operations	Michael Wormington	Lt Col		VA-001	01-Feb-13	P
Director of Operations	Jeff D Mauro	Lt Col		VA-001	13-Aug-13	A
Director of Operations	Joshua N Shields	Lt Col		VA-001	21-May-18	A
Director of Operations	Keith A Mottas	Lt Col		VA-001	12-Aug-19	A
Director of Operations	Julius W Garrett	Maj		VA-001	01-Feb-13	A
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Stephen A Hertz	Maj		VA-001	13-Mar-20	P
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Susan K Parson	Capt		VA-001	12-Dec-16	A
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Keith A Mottas	Lt Col		VA-001	18-Feb-20	A
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Julius W Garrett	Maj		VA-001	01-Oct-18	A
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Joseph R Vazquez	Maj Gen		VA-001	13-Mar-20	A
Alerting Officer	Jason E Garretson	Maj		VA-001	09-Mar-15	P
CIS Officer	Carla J Warnock	Maj		VA-001	05-Sep-17	P
Homeland Security Officer	Eugene F Jackson	Lt Col		VA-001	12-May-16	P
Homeland Security Officer	Julius W Garrett	Maj		VA-001	01-Jun-16	P

VAWG COUNTERDRUG OPERATIONS STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Counterdrug Officer	Eugene F Jackson	Lt Col		VA-001	16-Jan-18	P
Counterdrug Officer	Jeff D Mauro	Lt Col		VA-001	01-May-18	A

VAWG AEROSPACE EDUCATION STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Aerospace Education	Paul A Willard	Lt Col		VA-001	23-Jun-17	P
Director of Aerospace Education	Elizabeth A Sydow	Lt Col		VA-001	16-Feb-17	A
Director of Aerospace Education	Bruce E Munger	Lt Col		VA-001	03-Jun-19	A
Director of Aerospace Education	Daniel G Oakey	Maj		VA-001	20-Sep-18	A
Internal Aerospace Education Officer	Constance J Muncy	Lt Col		VA-001	28-Feb-19	P

VAWG CADET PROGRAMS STAFF

* **TYPE:** Primary (P), Assistant (A), Temporary (T)

DUTY ASSIGNMENT	MEMBER NAME	RANK	CAPID	UNIT	DATE ASSIGNED	TYPE*
Director of Cadet Programs	Jacob D Bixler	Maj		VA-001	12-Apr-18	P
Director of Cadet Programs	Sarah Ann Nutbrown	Capt		VA-001	31-Aug-18	A
Director of Cadet Programs	Charles M Beeson	Maj		VA-001	01-Apr-20	A
Cadet Programs Development Officer	Ryan J Dlugash	Capt		VA-001	03-Jan-19	A
Cadet Programs Development Officer	Jared L Mast	Maj		VA-001	22-Jan-19	A
Cadet Activities Officer	Ruth O Buslinger	Lt Col		VA-001	26-Mar-17	A
Cadet Activities Officer	William Ettingoff	Capt		VA-001	15-Jun-19	A
Drug Demand Reduction Administrator	Sara E Demyanovich	Capt		VA-001	05-Oct-16	P

**APPENDIX IV:
Squadrons of Virginia Wing**

Civil Air Patrol Squadrons of the Virginia Wing 2019

Unit	Squadron Name	Location	Internet Web Address
VA002	Augusta Composite Squadron	Waynesboro	http://augusta.vawg.cap.gov
VA007	Herndon Composite Squadron	Herndon	http://herndon.vawg.cap.gov
VA017	Lynchburg Composite Squadron	Lynchburg	https://www.lynchburgcap.com
VA023	Danville Composite Squadron	Danville	http://danville.vawg.cap.gov
VA025	Langley Composite Squadron	Langley Air Force Base	https://sites.google.com/site/langleycap
VA035	Tidewater Composite Squadron	Hampton Roads Executive Airport	http://tidewater.vawg.cap.gov/
VA040	Winchester Composite Squadron	Winchester	http://winchester.vawg.cap.gov/
VA048	Roanoke Composite Squadron	Roanoke	http://roanokesquadron.com/
VA056	Montgomery Composite Squadron	Christiansburg	https://sites.google.com/a/vawg.cap.gov/montgomery/
VA060	Southside Composite Squadron	North Chesterfield	http://southside.vawg.cap.gov/
VA064	Byrd Field Flight Squadron	Richmond	https://www.facebook.com/VA064/
VA088	Newport-News Composite Squadron	Yorktown	http://newportnews.vawg.cap.gov/
VA089	Carolyn A. Guertin Cadet Squadron (Formerly West Richmond Cadet Squadron)	Richmond	http://westrichmond.vawg.cap.gov/
VA091	Monticello Composite Squadron	Charlottesville	https://www.facebook.com/MonticelloCompositeSqrnCAP/
VA094	Hanover County Composite Squadron	Ashland	http://hanover.vawg.cap.gov/
VA095	Coastal Composite Squadron	Virginia Beach	http://coastal.vawg.cap.gov/
VA102	Prince William Composite Squadron	Manassas	http://princewilliam.vawg.cap.gov
VA108	Fredericksburg Composite Squadron	Fredericksburg	https://fredericksburgcap.com/
VA117	Leesburg Composite Squadron	Leesburg	http://leesburg.vawg.cap.gov/
VA130	Burke Composite Squadron	Springfield	http://burke.vawg.cap.gov/
VA135	Minuteman Composite Squadron	Culpeper	http://minuteman.vawg.cap.gov/
VA141	Hampton Roads Composite Squadron	Chesapeake	http://hamptonroads.vawg.cap.gov/
VA142	Fort Pickett Composite Squadron	Blackstone	http://va142fortpickett.org/

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