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## Air Force Base

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# WELCOME TO SCHRIEVER AIR FORCE BASE, COLORADO

The daily mission here takes the 50th Space Wing to all parts of the world and deep into space. The wing operates satellite operations centers at Schriever AFB and Vandenberg AFB, California, as well as remote tracking stations around the world.

Colorado Springs, the second largest city in Colorado, boasts long and proud traditions with the military in the local area. They are the U.S. Air Force Academy, Fort Carson Army Post, Peterson AFB, Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Station and Schriever AFB.

The information in this base guide will help make your stay or visit a pleasant one. Everyone here is ready to answer your questions and eager to help you in any way possible. We are happy you have joined us.

## REPORTING IN

To receive your initial in-processing brief, call the Military Personnel Section at (719) 567-5900 or DSN: 560-5900.

## PASS AND REGISTRATION

Everyone being assigned to Schriever AFB will need to report to Pass and Registration, Building 15, located off base, just northwest of Enoch Gate. You will need a copy of your orders, driver's license, auto insurance and registration. Temporary passes are issued in some cases. Also, please note that Schriever AFB, like all Department of Defense installations, does not permit drivers to talk on cellular phones without a hands-free device.

## BILLETING

No accommodations are available on Schriever AFB for visiting or permanently assigned personnel. Peterson AFB, located approximately 10 miles west of Schriever AFB, provides support to Schriever AFB for billeting. To make reservations, call (719) 556-6293 or DSN: 834-6293.

## HOUSING

Schriever currently has 242 homes for all ranks. Visit <http://www.schriever.af.mil/housing/> for more information on amenities to the homes and community, as well as any updates to the availability of housing. Tierra Vista Communities Property Management Office as well as the government housing staff is located in the community center within the privatized housing area. Tierra Vista Property Management can be reached at (719) 597-7200 and the government housing office can be reached at (719) 567-2884 or DSN 560-2884 or (719) 567-5069 or DSN 560-5069.

## DORMITORIES

There are no dormitories for single Airmen at Schriever AFB. All single E-1 to E-4s (with less than three years of service) must reside on Peterson AFB. For more information, contact the unaccompanied personnel housing manager at (719) 556-1409.

## INCOMING PERSONAL PROPERTY

Those expecting a personal property shipment to arrive in the Colorado Springs area may call the inbound branch of the Joint Personal Property Shipping Office at (719) 554-9298 or DSN: 692-9298. Making immediate contact with JPPSO can help disperse property more quickly and may alleviate the need for storage.

## FIREARMS

The 50th Security Forces Squadron do not courtesy-store privately owned firearms. Special arrangements to bring privately owned weapons on base for special situations can be made on a case-by-case basis. For more information, call security forces at (719) 567-5628 or DSN: 560-5628.

## SPEED LIMIT

Unless otherwise posted, the maximum speed limit at Schriever AFB is 25 miles per hour. Pedestrians have the right of way in all cases. All base traffic regulations are strictly enforced.

## PHOTOGRAPHY

Photography is not permitted on many parts of Schriever AFB without prior coordination. For more information, contact the 50th Space Wing Public Affairs office, DeKok Building 210, Room 316 at (719) 567-5040 or DSN: 560-5040.

## POLICE ASSISTANCE

For non-emergency police assistance on Schriever AFB,

contact (719) 567-5643/ 5642/5641. For emergency assistance on Schriever AFB, dial 911 from any base phone. Note: Cell phone users should call 3911 to be connected to Schriever's 911 service

## SAFE HIGHWAY PROGRAM

While the Safe Highway program is designed as an avenue for the base populace to report unsafe driving acts, security forces has no jurisdictional control or enforcement authority over acts committed off the installation. Security forces recommends that if you see an unsafe driving act or condition off Schriever AFB, contact the Colorado State Patrol free of charge from any cell phone at \*CSP (277).

## 21ST MEDICAL SQUADRON/ APPOINTMENTS

The 21st Medical Squadron provides medical and dental support to active duty and other eligible military beneficiaries at Schriever AFB. Appointments can be made with a primary care manager 24 hours a

day through TRICARE Online at <http://www.tricareonline.com>. To book an appointment on-line, users will need to register and establish a username and password. When registering, select 21st Medical Group as the military treatment facility. Note: All Schriever enrollees, who book appointments with their Schriever PCM through TRICARE Online, will be seen at the Schriever AFB Clinic.

To schedule an appointment by phone, call (719) 524/526-CARE (2273).



# MASTER OF SPACE

## *General Bernard A. Schriever*

A technological visionary...

A pioneer in the research and development of new ballistic missile and space programs...

A dynamic, innovative leader and valued advisor...

The architect of the Air Force's ballistic missile and military space program, Bernard Adolph Schriever was born in Bremen, Germany, in 1910 and migrated to the United States with his parents in 1917. His family settled in the German-American community of New Braunfels, Texas. He became a naturalized citizen in 1923, attended grade and high school in San Antonio and graduated from Texas A&M University in 1931 with a bachelor of science degree. He was commissioned in field artillery, but in July 1932, began flight training at Randolph Field and earned his pilot wings and commission in the Air Corps in June 1933 at Kelly Field. He was then assigned as a bomber pilot at March and Hamilton Fields, California.

In 1934, Schriever flew Army Air Corps airmail missions during the bitter cold of winter. Many of his comrades crashed to their deaths piloting the antiquated and poorly equipped planes provided. This experience underscored for him the consequences of technological inferiority and demonstrated the need to modernize and build up air power if the United States hoped to compete with other air forces internationally.

During the Great Depression, Schriever learned leadership while commanding a Civilian Conservation Corps unit in New Mexico providing shelter, sustenance and guidance to unemployed young men.

In September 1937, he went to Panama for duty at Albrook Field and then briefly left the Air Corps to fly as a pilot with Northwest Airlines. He returned to duty in October 1938 with the 7th Bomb Group at Hamilton, and a year later became a test pilot at Wright Field, Ohio, where he also attended the Air Corps Engineering School, graduating in July 1941. He then earned a master's degree in aeronautical engineering from Stanford University.

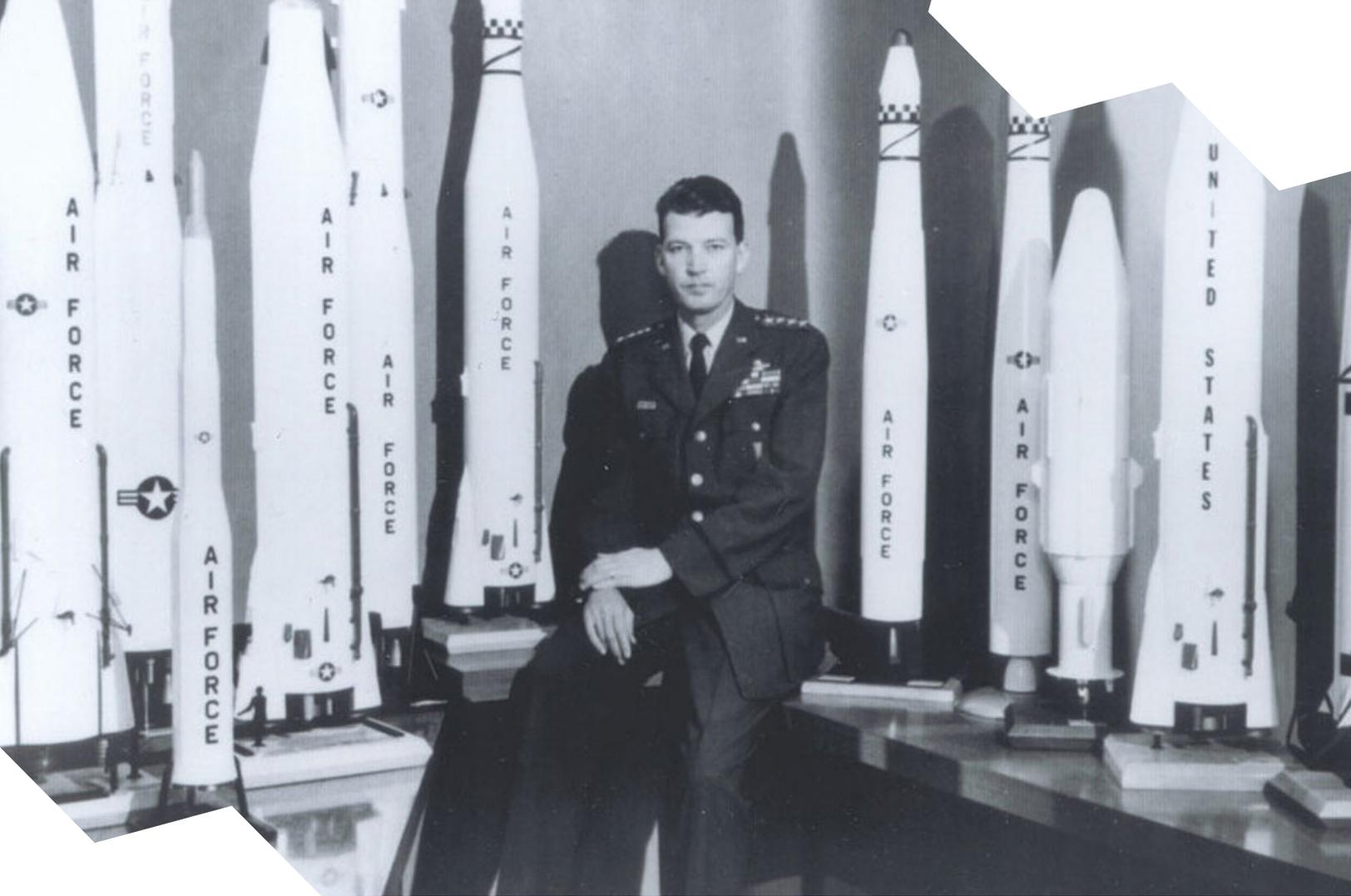
Just as the United States entered World War II, he returned to the Army, receiving a commission in the Army Air Forces. In July 1942, Schriever served in the Southwest Pacific with the 19th Bomb Group (5th Air Force) for combat.

As a B-17, B-25 and C-47 pilot, he flew 38 combat missions, participating in the Bismarck Archipelago, Leyte, Luzon, Papua, North Solomon, South Philippine and Ryukyu campaigns.

His superiors quickly recognized Schriever's technical skills and steadily promoted him in rank from captain to colonel, and in position from Chief of Maintenance and Engineering to Chief of Staff, 5th Air Force Service Command in January 1943. By September 1944, he commanded the Advanced Headquarters, Far East Air Service Command, which supported theater operations from bases in Holland, New Guinea, Philippines and Japan.

In January 1946, Schriever was assigned to the Pentagon to head the Scientific Liaison Office, under the Deputy Chief of Staff for Materiel. Although young in years, Schriever had drawn the attention of senior officers, especially the commander, Gen. Henry H. "Hap" Arnold. Recognizing his protégé's rare combination of leadership attributes, engineering training and combat experience, Arnold entrusted Schriever with the delicate job of maintaining close ties forged during the war between the Air Force and leading scientists.

Schriever's office introduced development planning objectives, an invaluable series of planning documents that matched long-range military requirements with ongoing research and development



efforts. DPOs were prepared for all major elements of air power - strategic and tactical warfare, air defense, intelligence and reconnaissance.

Schriever's foremost contributions to the nation came between August 1954 and April 1959, when he was commander of the Air Force Western Development Division. In this capacity, he directed the nation's highest priority program - the development of intercontinental ballistic missiles - and also the Air Force's initial space programs.

Schriever's challenge was formidable. He had to create an organization to manage extremely

varied and novel science and technology. Additionally, he had to build facilities for testing and production, integrate the missile systems, fit together the nuclear weapons they would carry, provide the launching sites and equipment and the ground support elements necessary to bring the missiles to operational status.

Moreover, he had to accomplish all this before the Soviet Union could build, deploy and target their missiles against the United States. It was a deadly, real-life contest of "beat the clock." With the aid of Schriever's brilliant leadership, the United States deployed its first generation ICBMs - Atlas and Titan - and the intermediate

range Thor. Quickly, these were succeeded by the more advanced Titan II and the revolutionary, solid-fueled Minuteman ICBMs. Only the incredible efforts of Schriever enabled the United States to catch up and then surpass the Soviet Union in the missile race. Even today, more than 50 years after they were first deployed, advanced models of the Minuteman still provide the backbone that safeguards our nation.

In April 1959, Schriever was named commander of the Air Research and Development Command, in which he was entrusted with developing and maintaining the U.S. Air Force's global qualitative weapons edge.

He managed more than 6,400 research and development contracts that engaged some 1,500 major companies.

In April 1961, Air Force Systems Command was established, incorporating ARDC and some elements of Air Materiel Command. Schriever was named to head AFSC and was promoted to four-star general. Here, he conceived and affected the consolidation of Air Force technical and acquisition efforts into a single organization. More significantly, he transformed the concept of materiel development and acquisition from a functional to a systems approach - the focal point for virtually all the new weapons.

Schriever's role in this transformation was pivotal with respect to his insistence on technologically superior performance standards, adherence to pre-established production schedules and reliance on cost-control measures.

As AFSC commander, he fostered research and oversaw the acquisition of systems that provided strategic deterrence; early detection, warning and air defense; advanced aircraft and spacecraft designs; command, control and communication systems; and aerospace medicine.

In 1963, he oversaw an organization that employed some 27,000 military and 37,000 civilians, with an annual budget of more than \$7 billion (about 40 percent of the U.S. Air Force's total), while managing 80 major

weapons systems. Schriever defined and institutionalized the acquisition process by demonstrating the interrelationship between technology, strategy, organization and politics.

As Schriever grappled with the research, development and acquisition responsibilities of the long-range ballistic missiles, he foresaw the potential of space and strove to secure for the U.S. Air Force the responsibility for space systems. Schriever played a key role in developing the requirements for intelligence and reconnaissance satellites and military-manned space flight.

In 1963, Schriever directed Project Forecast - one of the most comprehensive long-range assessments of the nation's position in military science and technology through technological possibilities, policy and military considerations and threat analysis. Participants included 40 government agencies, 26 colleges and universities, 70 corporations and 10 non-profit organizations. Published in 16 volumes, this monumental report concluded that rather than leveling off, technology was only beginning its exponential growth.

Project Forecast identified several promising areas of exploration that would lead to quantum improvements in air and space weapons; notably in the fields of advanced composite materials, computers, flight design, propulsion and space satellites.

In September 1966, after completing 33 years of service to his country, Schriever retired from the U.S. Air Force. Following his retirement, Schriever served in many advisory roles for the U.S. government and worked tirelessly to advance research in some of the nation's leading corporations. The most notable of his endeavors include his service as chairman of the President's Advisory Council on Management Improvement, the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board, the Defense Science Board and the Ballistic Missile Defense Organization Advisory Committee.

In 1998, the Air Force renamed Falcon AFB in honor of Gen. Bernard A. Schriever. On June 5, 1998, the wing held a renaming ceremony in honor of Schriever, making Schriever AFB the only Air Force base at that time named for a living person.

Schriever died June 20, 2005, from natural causes at the age of 94 at his home in Washington, D.C.



# 50TH SPACE WING

The host unit at Schriever AFB, the 50 SW is proudly called the “Master of Space.” This motto comes from the “Master of the Sky” heritage of the 50th Tactical Fighter Wing at Hahn Air Base, Germany (inactivated in 1991).

The 50 SW traces its official heritage to the 50th Fighter Wing activated in 1949. Assigned to 1st Air Force in the Eastern Air Defense Sector, the wing operated fighter and fighter interceptor aircraft until its inactivation in 1951. Activated at Clovis Air Force Base, New Mexico, in 1953, the wing re-equipped with the advanced F-86 Fighter-Bomber and became the 50th Fighter-Bomber Wing. Following training, the wing, led by officers such as then-Maj. Charles E. Yeager, moved to Hahn Air Base, Germany, to serve as a counter

to Soviet expansion in Europe. From 1953 until 1991, the wing’s aircrews operated the Air Force’s most advanced fighters, eventually fielding the F-16 Fighting Falcon. After searching for the best location, defense officials approved plans in September 1979 for the development of a military installation to house a new Combined Space Operations Center. Construction began May 17, 1983, on what was originally known as Falcon AFS. The base’s first host unit, the 2nd Space Wing, activated July 8, 1985. With construction continuing on Falcon Air Force Station, the 2 SW moved onto the new base after a dedication ceremony in September 1985. Due to an increased mission and new Air Force policy, Falcon AFS became Falcon Air Force Base, June 13, 1988.

In December 1990, the 50th Tactical Fighter Wing sent its 10th Tactical Fighter Squadron, outfitted with its best aircraft and crews, to the Middle East. Arriving only two weeks before the beginning of hostilities with Iraq, the wing’s pilots and maintenance teams quickly learned new techniques and tactics for the upcoming air war. When Operation Desert Storm began, crews began attacking Iraqi air bases to keep Iraqi air forces grounded. Within days, crews moved to targeting Iraq’s scud missile launch sites. In combat operations, the wing lost one aircraft and one pilot was taken prisoner. Following its combat tour, the 10 TFS returned to Hahn AB where the rest of the wing was preparing to inactivate and close the air base as part of a realignment of U.S. forces in Europe.

In 1992, more changes came to Falcon AFB. Military force reductions in Europe and around the world led to the inactivation of the 50th Tactical Fighter Wing at Hahn AB, on Sept. 30, 1991. In an effort to preserve the heritage of the Air Force's most distinguished units, Headquarters, United States Air Force re-designated the 50th Tactical Fighter Wing the 50 SW and assigned it to Air Force Space Command for activation. AFSPC activated the 50 SW Jan. 30, 1992 at Falcon AFB. Concurrent with the activation of the 50 SW, the command inactivated the 2 SW. The 50 SW absorbed the personnel, equipment, facilities and functions of the inactivated 2 SW and continued to provide operational control and support for several satellite systems.

Today, the 50 SW operates remote tracking stations, satellite operations centers and other command and control facilities around the world.

These facilities monitor satellites during launch, put the satellites in their proper orbits following launch, monitor and control the satellites while they are in orbit, fix satellite anomalies when they occur and dispose of satellites when they reach the end of their useful life.

The wing also operates several satellite systems including the GPS, the Advanced Extreme High Frequency, Space Based Space Surveillance, and Satellite Communications.

The wing is composed of three groups: 50th Operations Group, 50th Network Operations Group and 50th Mission Support Group.

The wing, including its worldwide locations, has approximately 5,000 military, civilian and defense contractor personnel.

The base is also home to a number of mission partners, including U.S. Air Warfare Center (Space), elements of the Missile Defense Agency, the 310th Space Wing, the Naval Satellite Operations Center Detachment D, and the U.S. Army Forces Strategic Command 53rd Signal Battalion, 100th Missile Defense Brigade and the 21st Medical Squadron.



# ORGANIZATIONS

## 50TH SPACE WING STAFF AGENCIES

### CHAPLAIN

The 50th Space Wing Chaplain office is located in Building 300, Room 149. There are two additional rooms for use by personnel, one of which is the chapel resource room in 146 and a meditation room in 104, both in Building 300. To reach the office, call (719) 567-3705 or DSN: 560-3705. The chapel staff can be reached after normal duty hours by calling the Wing Command Post at (719) 567-2181 or DSN: 560-2181.

### COMMUNITY SUPPORT COORDINATOR

The Community Support Coordinator is here to help Airmen and their families withstand, recover from and grow in the face of stressors and changing demands. The primary responsibility of the CSC is to serve as the executive director of the installation Community Action and Information Board, chair the Integrated Delivery System and act as a focal point for Comprehensive Airman Fitness to include all things resilience. The CSC works closely with the entire base helping agencies; always keeping in mind the mental, physical, social and spiritual aspects of one's well-being. The CSC is located in Building 210 and can be reached at (719) 567-2315.

### COMPTROLLER SQUADRON

The 50th Comptroller Squadron customer service hours are from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays. Financial services opens for shift workers at 7:30 a.m. every weekday except Tuesday. The 50 CPTS is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Suite 146A. Financial services handles all pay and travel related services including travel claims, military pay, cash collection of debts, separations/retirements, bonuses and more. For additional information, call (719) 560-2010 or DSN: 560-2010.

### DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION PROGRAM

The 50th Space Wing Drug Testing office is located in Building 500, Room 156. CVD conducts drug testing for military personnel and civilians who are on testing designated positions. The Drug Demand Reduction Program is also responsible for administering, coordinating, monitoring, implementing and executing military drug testing in accordance with Air Force Instructions 44-120, Military Drug Demand Reduction Program and civilian drug-testing program in accordance with the Air Force Civilian Drug Demand Reduction Program. The main objective of the program is designed to enhance mission readiness and foster a

drug-free environment through a comprehensive program of education, prevention, deterrence and community outreach. For more information, call the Drug Testing Office at (719) 567-5068 or DSN: 560-5068, or call the DDRP manager at (719) 567-7377 or DSN: 560-7377.

### HISTORY OFFICE

The 50th Space Wing History office is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 144. The historian researches, writes and publishes the official history of the wing and its subordinate units, prepares special historical studies and monographs, advises the commander on U.S. Air Force history and heritage programs and responds to historical queries from the wing, other government agencies and the public. The historian also manages archives of historical research and reference materials, including photographs and videos, advises commanders on unit lineage and heraldry issues and maintains the 50th Space Wing's heritage displays. The 50th SW HO can be contacted at (719) 567-6877 or DSN: 560-6877.

### INSPECTOR GENERAL

The 50th Space Wing Inspector General office, located in the



DeKok Building, 210, Room 160, is responsible for the Air Force IG Complaints Resolution and Fraud, Waste and Abuse Programs as well as wing exercises and the wing inspection program. The 50th SW/IG encourages using the chain of command for resolving issues, although personnel always have the option of coming to the IG with issues. The following contact numbers are available for filing complaints:

**COMPLAINTS HOTLINE:**  
(719) 567-3764 or DSN: 560-3764

**FWA HOTLINE:**  
(719) 567-2109 or DSN: 560-2109  
E-mail: 50SWIG@schriever.af.mil

**HQ AFSPC/IGQ:**  
(719) 556-6361 or DSN: 834-6361  
Log on to [www.my.af.mil](http://www.my.af.mil); click on 'Bases-Orgs-Functional Areas' and select 'Org A-Z Listing.' Scroll down and select 'AFSPC/IG—Inspector General,' then 'Complaints Resolution Division.'  
<http://www.ig.hq.af.mil/igq/>

**SAF/IGQ:**  
(800) 538-8429  
E-mail: [safiqq@pentagon.af.mil](mailto:safiqq@pentagon.af.mil)

**DOD/IG:**  
(800) 424-9098  
<http://www.dodig.osd.mil/HOTLINE/index.html>  
E-mail: [hotline@dodig.osd.mil](mailto:hotline@dodig.osd.mil)

## JUDGE ADVOCATE

All active-duty military, dependents and retirees are eligible to receive free legal advice through the Legal Assistance Program at the 50th

Space Wing Judge Advocate office located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 116. The attorneys in the legal office can give advice on a wide range of legal issues such as consumer matters, tax preparation, divorce and leases. Matters beyond the scope of the Legal Assistance Program are criminal or military justice matters and business ventures. The advice provided by an attorney, including any communication between the attorney and client, is strictly confidential with very few exceptions. Guard members and reservists may also call the legal office to get information on what legal services are available to them. Legal assistance is provided on a walk-in basis Mondays and Thursdays from 3 to 4 p.m. and Tuesdays and Fridays from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. Wills are by appointment only on Wednesdays. For more information, call (719) 567-5050 or DSN: 560-5050.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

The 50th Space Wing Equal Opportunity office is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 271. The EO office services both military and civilian federal employees (appropriated/non-appropriated) and applicants assigned to Schriever AFB. Any civilian employee who believes they have been discriminated against because of race/color, religion, age, sex, national origin, disability or reprisal must contact the EO counselor within 45 days of the incident. Schriever AFB offers mediation in all applicable cases as

an alternative dispute resolution. Military members should make contact within 60 days of the alleged offense. Unlawful discrimination and sexual harassment is contrary to good order and discipline and counterproductive to combat readiness and mission accomplishment. The EO office also conducts Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute Equal Opportunity Climate Surveys for commanders and offers human relations education training through First Term Airmen Center Class and Right Start briefing. For more information, call (719) 567-5310/7096 or DSN 560-5310/7096.

## PLANS AND PROGRAMS

The 50th Space Wing Plans and Programs office, located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 228, is responsible for wing planning and programming activities that keep the 50th Space Wing at the leading edge of space operations. XP acts as the “front door” for all potential new missions, facilities or organizations to be added at Schriever AFB or any of the 50 SW’s worldwide facilities. This includes all site-survey and bed-down actions for new missions or organizations as well as all new satellite missions coming to the Air Force Satellite Control Network and coordinating and integrating their requirements to ensure mission success. XP also develops wing operational, contingency and implementation plans. For more information, call (719) 567-2659 or DSN: 560-2659.

## PROTOCOL

The 50th Space Wing Protocol office is located in the DeKok Building 210, Room 314. Protocol provides planning and guidance for military and social functions to Schriever AFB commanders at all levels. Protocol also plans itineraries, commander's conferences, change of command ceremonies, retirements, promotions, executive meetings, and other wing hosted conferences for Schriever AFB. For more information call (719) 567-5048 or DSN: 560-5048.

## PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The 50th Space Wing Public Affairs office is the primary release authority for public information and photographs from and about the base. PA also ensures information contained in wing publications, the public Web site, [www.schriever.af.mil](http://www.schriever.af.mil), and Facebook site, [www.facebook.com/SchrieverAirForceBase](http://www.facebook.com/SchrieverAirForceBase), does not include sensitive or classified items that may be accessed by an outside entity.

PA coordinates tours on base; provides base information to media representatives; and information, through the base newspaper, the base marquee and the base guide. PA can be contacted at (719) 567-5040 or DSN: 560-5040.

## SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION AND RESPONSE PROGRAM

The Sexual Assault Response Coordinator is the lead for the Sexual Assault Prevention and

Response Program at Schriever AFB, located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 222.

The program offers advocacy, support and referral to support agencies both on and off base for victims. Personnel who have past sexual assault issues exacerbated by environment or training are also provided with support and referral services and are encouraged to call.

Training is provided on an ongoing basis to all personnel with the intention of changing the culture and thinking in regard to gender issues and how they impact victims, alleged perpetrators and our attitude in regard to sexual assault.

The office also coordinates the volunteer Victim Advocate program, recruiting, training and supervising volunteers who provide support to victims. A wide variety of brochures, flyers and pamphlets and a library of books and videos on sexual assault, sexual abuse and domestic violence are available for checkout by all Schriever AFB personnel.

For more information, contact the SARC at (719) 567-7634 or DSN: 560-7634. For emergencies, or to report an assault, call the SARC 24-hour hotline at (719) 567-SARC (7272).

## WING COMMAND POST

The Colorado Springs Regional Command Post, located at Peterson Air Force Base, is the "eyes and ears" for the 50th Space Wing commander. It gathers and disseminates information to assist leadership in making critical decisions that affect the base and its assets. The WCP provides command and control for 14 worldwide operational space units. WCP personnel act as the wing liaison interfacing with 14th Air Force, Headquarters Air Force Space Command, HQ Air Force, Joint Chief of Staff and the Office of the President. The command post can be contacted by calling (719) 567-2180 or DSN: 560-2180.

## WING SAFETY

The 50th Space Wing Safety office, located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 148-B, is responsible for implementing federal, state and local safety programs and manages the 50th Space Wing commander's safety program.

Safety provides training and advice on operational risk management, weapons safety, space safety, system safety, traffic safety, supervisor safety, local conditions and general industry and construction safety. Safety provides reimbursements to military and department of defense civilians after completion of motorcycle safety training. Safety office personnel also



review technical change requests, plans and permits to ensure safe construction, system modifications or upgrades assuring mission capability and personnel safety.

Safety conducts notice and no-notice safety inspections of all units on base and geographically separated units around the world to identify hazards and make recommendations to commanders for corrective action.

Safety also investigates all mishaps to include ground and space to find root causes and make recommendations to commanders to prevent future mishaps.

Additionally, Safety investigates all reported hazards. Hazards should be corrected at the lowest level; however, they will be investigated when reported. Contact a unit ground safety representative or orbital safety officer for mishap reporting and hazard reporting procedures.

Safety can be reached at (719) 567-7233 or DSN: 560-7233, by e-mail at [50SWSafety.workflow@us.af.mil](mailto:50SWSafety.workflow@us.af.mil)

## 50TH OPERATIONS GROUP

The 50th Operations Group directs the Department of Defense's largest satellite operations group providing combat effects to all levels of conflict via secure communication, navigation, space surveillance and intelligence operations of 70 satellites for national leadership, U.S. and allied forces and civil and federal agencies. The 50 OG conducts

defensive counterspace, ensuring space superiority. The group leads eight active duty, Reserve and Guard units with 1,300 space professionals operating \$50 billion in assets through 39 global command, control and communication facilities.

## 50TH OPERATIONS SUPPORT SQUADRON



The 50th Operations Support Squadron leads operational training programs

and policies to ensure combat readiness for the DOD's largest satellite wing with hundreds of operators and multiple operational squadrons operating 70 satellites worth more than \$50 billion. In support of operational readiness, 50 OSS provides 22,000 hours of comprehensive weapon system training and produces more than 5,100 training materials in the form of lesson plans, study guides, tests and computer based training each year. To provide 2,000 hours of hands-on simulator training per year, its personnel also maintain \$6.2 million, high-fidelity space trainers to guarantee the most proficient operators for five different command and control systems.

Additionally, 50 OSS develops training requirements and programs for new 50th Operations Group missions and systems worth more than \$3.75 billion. They work shoulder-to-shoulder with various contractors from industry partners and hand-in-hand with the 50th Space Wing, the satellite operations

squadrons, the Space and Missile Systems Center program offices and Headquarters, Air Force Space Command. "Team OSS" ensures the training, combat readiness and smooth transition to operations for multiple next generation satellite constellations and command and control systems.

The squadron executes critical group-wide functions, including implementing instructional system design approach for the entire operations group and certifying approximately 80 instructors per year across nine units. Moreover, 50 OSS squadron personnel meticulously assist with scheduling 37,000 crew shifts per year to staff all the different operator positions for 24-hour satellite operations centers. Additionally, 50 OSS experts process deployments to warfighting theaters from the group.

Finally, in addition to group level functions, 50 OSS personnel provide a myriad of wing level missions and operations. Their weapons and tactics personnel produce procedures and strategies to maximize the impact of space superiority capabilities to the warfighter. The unit's intelligence specialists develop system threat assessments, mitigation efforts and reports ensuring continued satellite operations for the entire wing.

## 1ST SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 1st Space Operations Squadron is AFSPC's premier organization for space-based space situational awareness. The squadron commands, controls and operates the Space Based Space Surveillance System, Advanced Technology Risk Reduction system and the Geosynchronous Space Situational Awareness Program.

### Space Based Space Surveillance

The Space Based Space Surveillance system is the next generation of space systems essential to increasing our nation's Space Situational Awareness capability. SBSS is a follow on to the Midcourse

Space Experiment system, operated by 1 SOPS from 1998 until mission termination in 2008.

SBSS identifies and tracks resident space objects from a sun-synchronous, low-Earth orbiting platform, allowing greater responsiveness to taskings, as well as increased coverage of resident space objects in the mid-Earth and geosynchronous orbit belts. SBSS collects metric positioning data via its gimbaled optical sensor, which is essential for updating the position and velocity of all resident space objects in the space catalog. Current ground systems, although effective at tracking LEO objects, are not optimized to detect small objects in deep space-SBSS assists in answering that need.

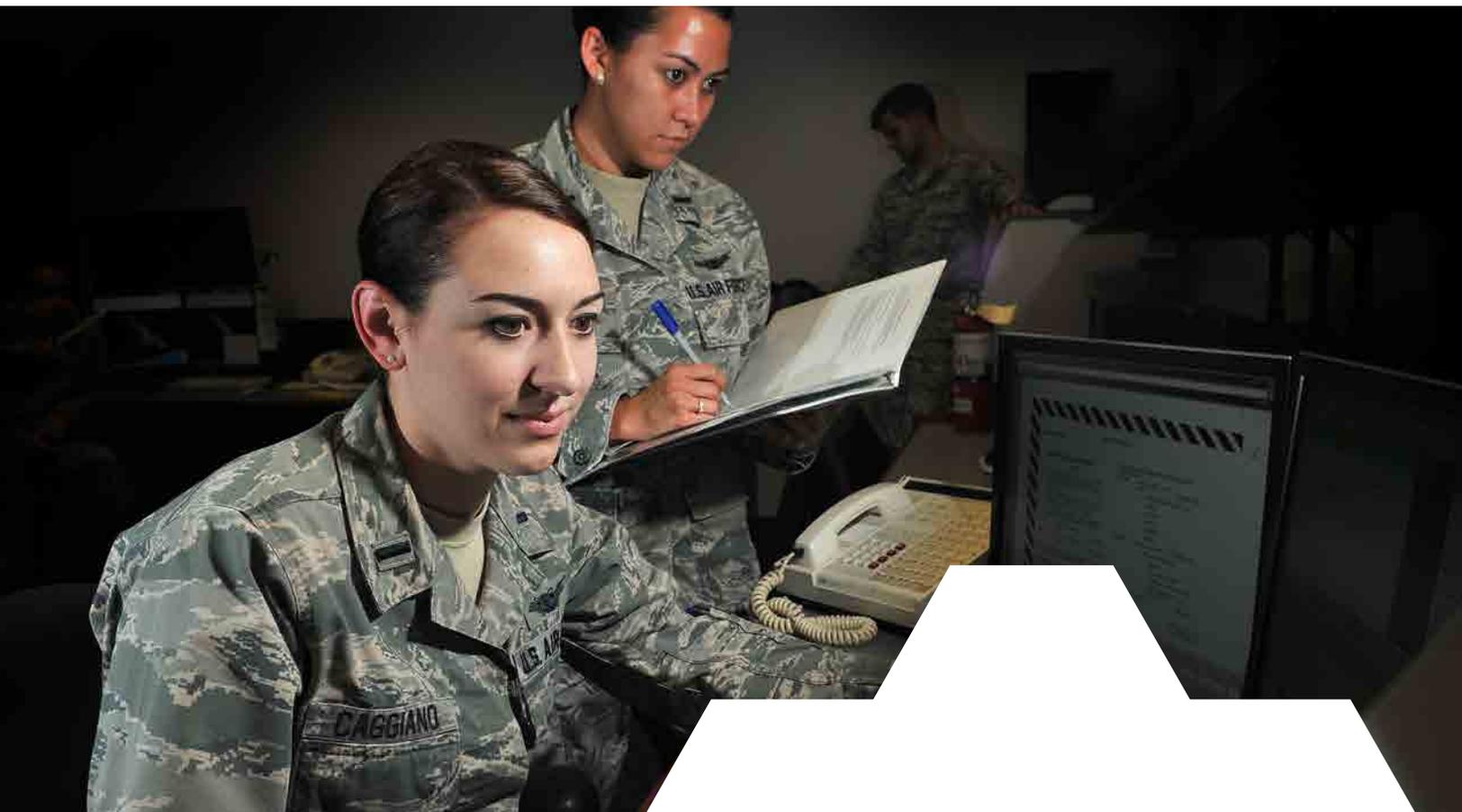
One of the most significant strengths SBSS brings to the Space

Surveillance network is increased custody of high-interest space objects, as well as faster revisit times on all resident space objects, resulting in more accurate element sets for all objects in the space catalog. The squadron also collects space object identification data on resident space objects for the National Air and Space Intelligence Center at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

### Geosynchronous Space Situational Awareness Program

GSSAP satellites will be a space-based capability operating in the near-geosynchronous orbit regime supporting U.S. Strategic Command space surveillance operations as a dedicated Space Surveillance Network sensor.

GSSAP satellites will support Joint Functional Component Command



for Space tasking to collect space situational awareness data allowing for more accurate characterization of man-made orbiting objects. It will have a clear, unobstructed and distinct vantage point for viewing resident space objects orbiting Earth in a near-geosynchronous orbit without the disruption of weather or atmosphere that can limit ground-based systems. Data from GSSAP will uniquely contribute to timely and accurate orbital predictions, enhancing our knowledge of the geosynchronous orbit environment, and further enabling space flight safety to include satellite collision avoidance.

## Advanced Technology Risk Reduction

The Advanced Technology Risk Reduction satellite was transferred to AFSPC control from the Missile Defense Agency in 2011, as a space-based space situational awareness platform and is a dedicated Space Surveillance network sensor. The squadron, as the Command's expert in conducting on-orbit space surveillance, now operates the system in support of U.S. Strategic Command's space surveillance operations. ATRR conducts routine, area-based searches for resident space objects. The Joint Space Operations Center uses this data to prevent on-orbit collisions of space objects, and to update the Space Order of Battle.

## 2ND SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 2nd Space Operations Squadron performs the satellite command and control mission for the GPS constellation.

GPS is a space-based radio navigation network whose primary mission is to provide precise positioning and timing information. The \$3.6 billion GPS constellation consists of more than 30 operational satellites.

GPS is the world's largest military satellite constellation. GPS provides highly accurate, 24-hour, all-weather, position, velocity and timing data to users worldwide. Additionally, all GPS satellites carry equipment supporting the U.S. Nuclear Detonation Detection System.

GPS precise time transfer and highly accurate positioning data has revolutionized nearly every aspect of modern warfare. GPS has enabled U.S. and allied forces to strike targets with pinpoint accuracy while reducing collateral damage. Equally important, GPS has brought significant benefits to more than 3 billion worldwide civilian users in diverse applications including air, road, rail and marine navigation, precision agriculture and mining, oil exploration, environmental research and management, telecommunications, electronic data transfer, construction, recreation and emergency response.

2 SOPS operates the Master Control Station at Schriever and a dedicated network of worldwide monitor stations and ground antennas to control and support this constellation.

The monitor stations track navigation signals from GPS satellites and gather data on satellite performance. This data is then processed at the MCS and is used to update the satellites' navigation messages.

The MCS sends updated navigation information to GPS satellites through ground antennas. These ground antennas are also used to transmit commands to satellites and to receive the satellites' state-of-health information.

Around the world, there are 16 geographically separated sites housing ground antennas and stations that help to fly and monitor the GPS constellation.

2 SOPS works in conjunction with their Reserve counterpart, 19 Space Operations Squadron, to conduct launch, anomaly resolution, and disposal operations. LADO conducts launch and early-orbit operations, including satellite activation, initial checkout and maneuvering to mission orbit. LADO also responds to all satellite emergencies, support end-of-life testing and execute satellite disposal operations as required.

## 3RD SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 3rd Space Operations Squadron conducts day-to-day telemetry analysis, satellite commanding, orbital data collection, anomaly resolution, tactics development, defensive space control and on-orbit operations for the Defense Satellite Communications System III and Wideband Global Satellite Communications constellation. In addition, 3 SOPS currently provides orbit data to the 22nd Space Operations Squadron in support of the Ministry of Defense's NATO/Skynet mission.

DSCS III and WGS provide secure communications links to the combatant commands, theater commanders and strategic and tactical forces worldwide. WGS enhances the high-data rate communication capability of the DOD, greatly augmenting and eventually replacing the DSCS III constellation.

### Defense Satellite Communications System

The Defense Satellite Communications System III is the \* backbone of national military communications. The constellation provides secure worldwide voice and data communications using six super-high frequency channels. A few examples of DSCS III users include the White House, intelligence community, regional and unified

commanders, the Air Force Satellite Control Network and the Defense Information Systems Network.

DSCS III satellites orbit the Earth at an altitude of more than 22,000 miles in a narrow ring above the equator known as the geosynchronous belt. The total constellation is comprised of four primary and four redundant satellites.

The DSCS III payload has both Earth coverage and multiple-beam array antennas. These antennas allow operators to create varying areas of coverage ranging from global to very narrow theater coverage.

The DSCS III bus is controlled and maintained by members of 3 SOPS. The U.S. Army's 53rd Signal Battalion controls the payload. The 53rd continuously monitors the satellites from locations in the United States, Germany and Japan.

### Wideband Global SATCOM

The Wideband Global Satellite Communications satellite is the \* backbone of national military communications. There are currently six Block II WGS satellites, with the sixth WGS satellite being funded by the Australian Defense Ministry. This partnership allows the Australian Defense community access to the U.S. satellite communications system.

Based on the commercially available Boeing 702 communication satellite bus, WGS provides high-data rate communications

in the X- and Ka-bands and allows "cross-band" configurations to uplink in one band and down-link in the other. This unique military satellite communications capability significantly increases the options available to theater commanders.

Like DSCS III, WGS operates in the geosynchronous belt and are jointly operated by 3 SOPS and the 53rd SB sites.

### NATO/Skynet

The unit performs a supporting role for the NATO/Skynet mission. The primary function is to perform all range time scheduling for NATO/Skynet. To accomplish this, 3 SOPS processes all scheduling data and acts as a liaison between the Ministry of Defense and 22 SOPS.

## 3RD SPACE EXPERIMENTATION SQUADRON



The 3rd Space Experimentation Squadron is Air Force Space Command's premier organization for space-



based demonstrations and experiments. 3 SES is the lead squadron for capitalizing on the operational potential of several developmental satellites as part of the Multi-Mission Satellite Operations Center with the Operationally Responsive Space-1 satellite, the first satellite out of the Operationally Responsive Space initiative, bringing electro-optical imaging capabilities to the warfighter. The squadron also oversees the day-to-day operations of the X-37B Orbital Test Vehicle, an experimental test program designed to demonstrate technologies for a reliable, reusable, unmanned space test platform for the Air Force.

### 4TH SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 4th Space Operations Squadron operates the Milstar and Advanced

Extremely High Frequency satellite constellations, providing the nation's warfighters global, secure, survivable, strategic and tactical communications throughout the full spectrum of conflict. They execute the unique mission of communications management, satellite command and control and ground segment maintenance for the Milstar/AEHF constellation.

4 SOPS also operates three mobile constellation control stations at various locations in conjunction with host partners. At higher readiness levels and during

exercises, these personnel deploy with U.S. Strategic Command and U.S. Northern Command respectively. The 4 SOPS motto, "Linking the Forces," reflects Milstar's responsibility to enhance the nation's secure communications capability.

Unlike other satellite communications systems, Milstar's and AEHF's intelligent processing capabilities allow 4 SOPS to integrate spacecraft and payload support with knowledge of current user operations on the constellation. As a result, 4 SOPS executes apportionment enforcement, resource monitoring and user troubleshooting functions for all Milstar and AEHF users from the Joint Staff to forward deployed forces. 4 SOPS unique integration of SATCOM user support with satellite command and control has set the standard for integrated space effects delivery.

### Milstar

Milstar is a joint-service satellite communications system that provides integrated, worldwide connectivity for high priority military forces in the field. Whether linking national assets around the world, providing protected communications to essential sites or guaranteeing deployed tactical forces large data trunks, Milstar's unique waveform places it at the lead of the family of protected SATCOM services, reserved for the highest priority communications.

A key goal of Milstar is to provide interoperability between Air Force,

Army, Marine and Navy users. Using Milstar, mobile ground forces, ships, submarines and aircraft are linked to achieve joint operations and survive in the modern battlefield.

Milstar's employment of centralized management and decentralized execution is exercised through this intelligent payload, and other features like steerable antennas, so users can setup communications with minimal interface to outside agencies. The Milstar payloads provide low data rate services from 75 to 2,400 bits per second, as well as medium data rate services from 4.8 to 1,544 kilobits per second. Additionally, the constellation introduced cross-linking capabilities to the SATCOM community, allowing worldwide connectivity without the need to intermediate retransmission stations.

The satellite has a geosynchronous orbit altitude of more than 22,000 miles and a design life of 10 years.

### AEHF

4 SOPS is also currently in the process of preparing to take on the next generation of protected SATCOM. The 50 SW currently has Satellite Control Authority of three of the six planned AEHF vehicles and is participating in efforts to reach Initial Operational Capability by the summer of 2015. The AEHF System is the follow-on to the Milstar system, augmenting and improving on

the capabilities of Milstar, and expanding the MILSATCOM architecture. AEHF will provide connectivity across the spectrum of mission areas, including land, air and naval warfare; special operations; strategic nuclear operations; strategic defense; theater missile defense; and space operations and intelligence. With AEHF, the DOD and international partners (Canada, Netherlands and UK) will gain more bandwidth, flexibility and protection than with Milstar. AEHF introduces extended data rate (XDR) services to protected satellite communications enabling data transfer from 75 bits per second to 8 megabits per second. AEHF is in a geosynchronous orbit similar to Milstar, but has a design life of 14 years.

## 50TH NETWORK OPERATIONS GROUP

The 50th Network Operations Group is an integrated operations, communications and maintenance team that operates, maintains, plans and acquires communications and network systems providing assured access to space and cyberspace. The group functions as the single focal point for the worldwide Air Force Satellite Control Network and all 50th Space Wing communications and computer systems. The 50 NOG enables operational availability and logistical supportability of national and Department of Defense space networks, communications and

information systems. Specific mission responsibilities are accomplished through the 50th Space Communications Squadron, 21st Space Operations Squadron, 22nd Space Operations Squadron, 23rd Space Operations Squadron and the Program Management Office.

## 50TH SPACE COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON



The 50 Space Communications Squadron operates and maintains communications computer systems enabling real-time global connectivity to more than 150 satellites including the GPS, Defense Meteorological Satellite Program, Defense Satellite Communications System, Milstar, Fleet Satellite Communications System, Ultra High Frequency Follow-On System, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency and test system satellites through the \$6.2 billion Air Force Satellite Control Network.

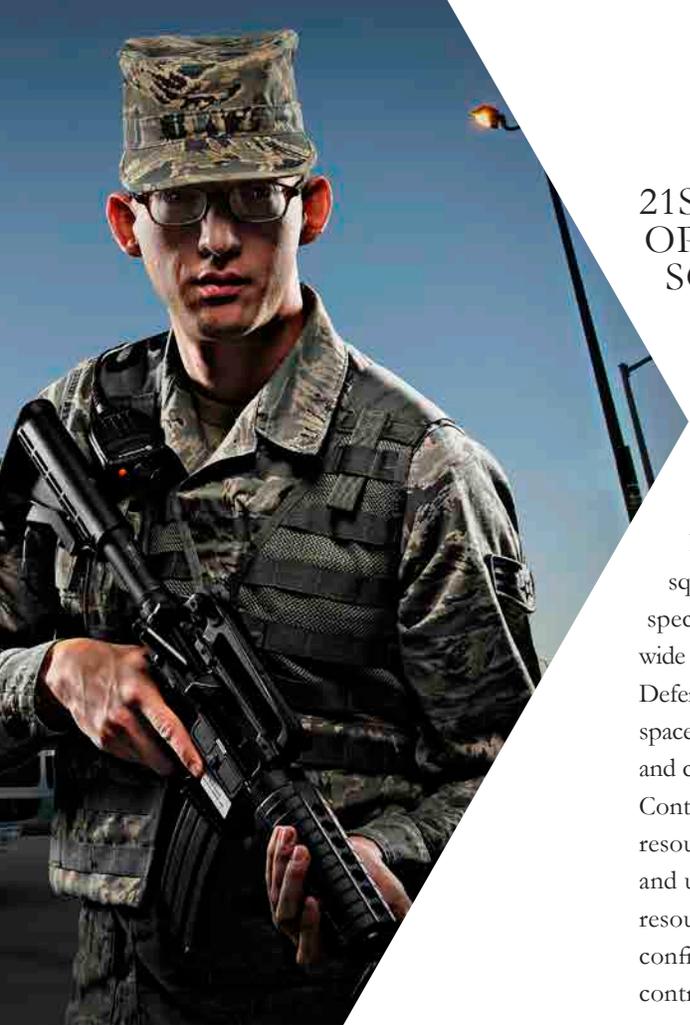
50 SCS operates and maintains base communications systems including Defense Red Switch Network Defense Information Systems Agency multifunction switch, classified and unclassified local area network services, inside and outside cable plants, base telephone systems providing DSN services to worldwide locations, video teleconferencing systems, land mobile radios and security control systems. As a major DISA node, the squadron



provides communication services to multiple sites globally. It provides information assurance, information management, postal services, spectrum management, configuration management, multimedia services and quality control. The 50 SCS also provides logistics sustainment support to 12 geographically separated units stretched around the world. 50 SCS is the wing focal point for network and computer security and communications electronics maintenance management to include job control, plans and scheduling, analysis and material control.

For Schriever AFB, 50 SCS provides cryptographic maintenance, base security system maintenance, computer network services, publications, records management, computer equipment control, small computer maintenance and administrative telephone operations and maintenance. Through the application of information systems operations, maintenance and protection, 50 SCS earns its reputation as America's "first link to space."





## 21ST SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 21st Space Operations Squadron is located

at Vandenberg Air Force Base, California. The

squadron plans and conducts specialized communications for a wide spectrum of Department of Defense, allied, civil and commercial space systems. It schedules, allocates and configures Air Force Satellite Control Network common user resources; monitors, maintains and updates the status of AFSCN resources and provides status, configurations and readiness of controlled resources to multiple users and command centers. It also provides and maintains back-up scheduling Network Operation Centers for 22 SOPS.

missions per year coordinating launch and real-time on-orbit operations for more than 150 Department of Defense, allied and national agency satellites in support of warfighters, the president, NASA and research and development missions. 22 SOPS also provides a “go” or “no-go” for many launches at Cape Canaveral AFS, Florida, and Vandenberg AFB, California.

The seven tracking stations operated by 22 SOPS are: Det. 1, Vandenberg AFB, California; Det. 2, Diego Garcia, British Indian Ocean Territory; Det. 3, Thule Air Base, Greenland; Det. 4, Kaena Point, Hawaii; Det. 5, Andersen AFB, Guam; and Telemetry and Commanding Squadron, Oakhanger, United Kingdom.

## 22ND SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 22nd Space Operations Squadron at Schriever AFB executes command

and control of the \$6.2 billion Air Force Satellite Control Network, schedules the resources of eight remote tracking stations, functionally operates seven remote tracking stations, develops, publishes and enforces the network tasking order. The squadron executes more than 150,000

## 23RD SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON



The 23rd Space Operations Squadron is located at New Boston Air Force

Station, New Hampshire, and was activated Nov. 1, 1991. 23 SOPS is the largest of eight AFSCN remote tracking stations providing U.S. Strategic Command with critical satellite command and control capability to more than 150 Department of Defense, national and civilian satellites performing intelligence, weather, navigation, early-warning and communications operations. The squadron operates and maintains a 2,826-acre installation and a \$106 million



infrastructure for the largest geographically separated unit in the 50th Space Wing. The 23 SOPS also became responsible for three other AFSCN sites on Oct. 1, 2010. These sites are: 23 SOPS Detachment 1 at Thule, Greenland, 23 SOPS Operating Location-A at Oakhanger, England, and the Eastern Vehicle Checkout Facility at Cape Canaveral, Florida. On Aug. 1, 2011, two GPS sites were realigned under 23 SOPS, 23 SOPS Operating Location-B on Cape Canaveral and Operating Location-C on Ascension Island.

## 50TH MISSION SUPPORT GROUP

The 50th Mission Support Group provides security, civil engineering, fire response, medical, logistics, contracting and personnel services support to Schriever AFB. The group manages an \$806 million budget for 12 geographically separated units and more than 40 base agencies servicing more than 5,000 military and civilian personnel. The group also plans and develops future Schriever growth with city, county, state and federal officials. The 50 MSG consists of the 50th Security Forces Squadron, 50th Civil Engineer Squadron, 50th Logistics Readiness Flight, 50th Contracting Squadron, 50th Force Support Squadron, Airman and Family Services Flight, Manpower and Personnel Flight, Force Development Flight and Sustainment Services Flight.

## 50TH SECURITY FORCES SQUADRON



The 50th Security Forces Squadron provides force protection for 31 protection level resources valued at \$46 billion located on Schriever AFB in the U.S. Air Force's largest restricted area. The unit's motto, "Guardians of Space," highlights the important role the squadron plays in ensuring the continued force protection of the world's most powerful space force. The 50 SFS is responsible for physical security guidance and oversight for all 12 of the Wing's geographically separated units. Additionally, the unit provides 70 fully deployable combat ready personnel each year to support overseas contingency operations.

## 50TH CIVIL ENGINEER SQUADRON



The 50th Civil Engineer Squadron maintains \$554 million in real property, ensuring uninterrupted utility support for Schriever AFB and eight geographically separated units. The squadron provides fire and environmental protection, emergency management and contingency response training, operations and maintenance, resource management and engineering planning/design services and housing referral services for 242 privatized homes.

## 50TH LOGISTICS READINESS FLIGHT

The 50th Logistics Readiness Flight conducts deployment planning, training and execution; base support planning, and logistics command and control in support of the Aerospace Expeditionary Force/Global Force Management construct for more than 5,000 Schriever AFB personnel. The flight performs logistics planning and manages the wing support agreements, mobility bags, deployment small arms weapons, ammunition, cargo screening, hazardous material pharmacy and vehicle programs.

## 50TH CONTRACTING SQUADRON



The 50th Contracting Squadron is responsible for providing wing-level operational and specialized acquisition guidance and support for the 50th Space Wing and its tenant and geographically separated unit's worldwide contract programs valued at \$1.6 billion. The squadron awards and administers a broad range of contractual support requirements to include commodities, construction, architecture and engineering services, large and small-dollar services and research and development efforts. 50 CONS is also responsible for providing contracting officer representative training and oversight for wing and tenant unit contracts and serves

as the installation focal point for management and administration of the \$6 million Government Purchase Card program.

## 50TH FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON



The 50th Force Support Squadron provides general base support to include military,

civilian and nonappropriated funds personnel services, manpower and organizational support, unit and installation readiness, military and civilian training, mortuary affairs, and morale, welfare and recreation activities to the 50th Space Wing, its tenant and geographically separated units. The 50 FSS is composed of three direct reporting functions and four flights. 50 FSS Operations reports directly to the squadron commander/director; and Resource Management and Advertising and Commercial Sponsorship report directly to the squadron deputy commander/deputy director. The Airman and Family Services Flight, Manpower and Personnel Flight, Force Development Flight and Sustainment Services Flight oversee several sections that provide a wide range of programs and activities.

Morale, welfare and recreation services critical to readiness and quality of life are provided to active duty, Reserve military, DOD civilians, contractor partners and family members. Many essential facilities and programs are offered

to base personnel; including a Child Development Center, Fitness and Sports Center, intramural sports, Outdoor Recreation activities, Awards, Engraving and Custom Framing and Tickets and Tours services. 50th FSS also oversees a large Outdoor Recreation program with natural settings for camping, recreational vehicles and fishing opportunities at New Boston Air Force Station, New Hampshire.

## AIRMAN AND FAMILY SERVICES FLIGHT

The Airman and Family Services Flight supports the active-duty military, reservists, DOD civilians and family members. The flight delivers superior quality programs to enhance mission readiness for all Schriever AFB. This flight consists of the Child Development Center and the Airman and Family Readiness Center.

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

The Child Development Center provides care for children ages 6 weeks to 6 years. The CDC staff is committed to providing excellent care for all children, and the curriculum is designed to meet the social, cognitive, emotional and physical needs of children through developmentally appropriate activities. The CDC is DOD certified and accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children guidelines. All parents of enrolled children are eligible to participate in the Parent Advisory Board,

which has an important role in shaping the parent involvement activities at the CDC. The 31,000-square-foot facility opened in 2002 and houses 22 classrooms. This state-of-the-art facility also has five professionally designed playgrounds to meet the physical and social needs of the children. The CDC is located in Building 60 and can be reached at (719) 567-4742.

## SCHOOL AGE PROGRAM

The School Age Program provides care for children kindergarten to 12 years. The staff are dedicated to providing the best quality child care to children. Children are able to explore new ideas and participate in an array of activities. The program is DOD certified and accredited by the National Association for the Education of Youth Children guidelines. The program offers before and after care during the school year and full-time care during all school vacations and summer recess. All parents of enrolled children are eligible to participate in the Parent Advisory Board, which has an important role in shaping the parent involvement activities at the program. The capacity of the program is 60. The program is located in Building 60 and can be reached at (719) 567-4742.

## AIRMAN AND FAMILY READINESS CENTER

The Air Force has long realized the direct connection between the ability of the military member to

accomplish the mission and the quality of life his or her family experiences. Airman and family readiness centers were established to assist with the unique issues that affect military members and their families, such as relocating and coping with duty-related family separations. Services offered by the Schriever A&FRC include: information and referral, family readiness and deployment support, relocation assistance, family services loan locker, transition assistance, spouse employment assistance, personal financial management and Air Force Aid Society program. The A&FRC is located in Building 101 and can be reached at (719) 567-3920.

## MANPOWER AND PERSONNEL FLIGHT

The Manpower and Personnel Flight oversees all wing military, civilian and non-appropriated fund personnel needs and staffing requirements. The FSM consists of four sections: the Military Personnel Section, the Manpower and Organization Section, Civilian Personnel Section and the Non-Appropriated Fund/Human Resources Office.

## MILITARY PERSONNEL SECTION

The Military Personnel Service Center customer service counter is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (last ID card customer is taken at 4 p.m.). The MPS provides common access card support to eligible Schriever AFB

personnel, and provides personnel support for active duty, military personnel and family members. The MPS is located in Building 210 (The DeKok Building), Room 137, and can be reached at (719) 567-5900.

## MANPOWER AND ORGANIZATION SECTION

The Manpower and Organization Section provides wing leadership and their designated representatives with services such as manpower management, unit manpower documents, management of manpower authorization change requests, Air Force manpower standard applications, reengineering processes and management advisory services. The MOS is located in Building 210 (The DeKok Building), Room 215, and can be reached at (719) 567-2754.

## CIVILIAN PERSONNEL SECTION

The Civilian Personnel Section provides human resource management services to DOD civilian employees, managers and supervisors assigned to Schriever AFB. The office is open Mondays through Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on a by-appointment basis. The CPS is located in Building 210 (The DeKok Building), Room 217, and can be reached at (719) 567-5221.

## NON-APPROPRIATED FUND/HUMAN RESOURCE OFFICE

The Non-Appropriated Fund/Human Resource office is open Mondays through Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on a walk-in and by-appointment basis. The NAF/HRO provides human resource management services to all non-appropriated civilian employees, managers and supervisors assigned to Schriever AFB. The NAF/HRO is located Building 210 (The DeKok Building), Room 137, and can be reached at (719) 567-4737.

## FORCE DEVELOPMENT FLIGHT

The Force Development Flight oversees a variety of professional development courses and programs designed to facilitate the development of Airmen and NCOs. The flight is also responsible for assisting in the transition of first duty station Airmen from the controlled environment of basic military training to one of self-discipline and mission orientation. The flight is divided into three sections consisting of career assistance advisor, First Term Airman Center, base and formal training.





## CAREER ASSISTANCE ADVISOR

The career assistance advisor is responsible for conducting the First Term Airman Course, the Right Decision Brief, the NCO Professional Development Course and the Senior NOC Course. Enlisted troops are regularly offered a three-day NCO professional enhancement course for staff and technical sergeants. All base level Career Development Course testing is done in the PDC. The CAA is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 310A, and can be reached at (719) 567-5927.

## FIRST TERM AIRMAN CENTER

The First Term Airman Center's mission is to transition first duty station Airmen (E-1 to E-3) from the controlled environment of basic military training and technical school to one of self-discipline. The center also provides a streamlined process for base in-processing and helps Airmen understand how they fit into "Team Schriever." FTAC runs for five duty days, with

classes starting on Mondays.

Airmen in-process with their squadrons prior to starting FTAC and are subsequently scheduled for the next available class. FTAC is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 310, and can be reached at (719) 567-7329.

## BASE AND FORMAL TRAINING SECTION

The Base Training portion of this section manages education and training functions, implements unit education and training programs along with managing mandatory upgrade training for the wing. This section is also responsible for collecting and analyzing training data for 50 SW units on a monthly and quarterly basis. In addition, upgrade and qualification training for military personnel are conducted by base training to include testing for CDC, PME and Proctor testing. The Formal Training portion of this section manages all training allocation rips and establishes the selection process for unallocated training slots. Lastly, they oversee the Squadron Officers School selection process from start to finish along with Senior NCO/NCO professional military education. The Base and Formal Training Section is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 310, and can be reached at (719) 567-5903.

## SUSTAINMENT SERVICES FLIGHT

The Sustainment Services Flight provides oversight for the Fitness and Sports Center, Outdoor Recreation (which includes Information, Tickets and Tours, and the Awards, Engraving and Custom Framing Shop) and the Satellite Dish Dining Facility. The mission of the Sustainment Services Flight is to contribute to readiness through provision of sustainment services promoting fitness, recreation and essential messing.

## FITNESS AND SPORTS CENTER

The Fitness and Sports Center hosts a wide range of fitness and sports programs. The center offers monthly sporting activities, six intramural sports and three varsity sports. Patrons have access to state-of-the-art cardiovascular and strength training equipment, as well as highly-skilled personal trainers who can develop an exercise program for any fitness level or experience. Personal training services, daily-use lockers and towels are all provided free of charge. The 19,160 square-foot fitness center opened in December 2001 and hosts all indoor intramural programs and most "Fit to Fight" activities in the gymnasium. Outside the main facility is an outdoor track and enclosed track. The Fitness and Sports Center is located in Building 120, and can be reached at (719) 567-6628.

## OUTDOOR RECREATION

The Outdoor Recreation Program provides a wide variety of information and services to include ticket sales, equipment rental, a snack/souvenir sales store and RV storage facilities. Tickets for ski resorts, sporting events and other tourist attractions in the Colorado area provide opportunities to experience local attractions.

Affordable outdoor programs are offered at exceptional military or group discount prices, and a variety of camping gear, inflatable bouncy units, pop-up campers and tables and chairs are among some of the items available to rent. There is a small resale operation offering snacks, drinks, military coins, Schriever AFB clothing, mugs and more. Outdoor Recreation manages a secure RV storage lot with 289 slots, offering customers safe, secure, 24/7 keyless access at affordable prices. The Awards, Engraving and Custom Framing shop, provides customers with a one-stop shop for unit awards and personal gifts. The Outdoor Recreation operation is located in Building 300, Room 133, and can be reached at (719) 567-2510.

## SATELLITE DISH DINING FACILITY

Due to the limited dining options on Schriever AFB, the Satellite Dish Dining Facility is open to all military and DOD civilian personnel. Base contractors/partners are welcome to dine during dinner, weekends and federal holidays. The dining facility operates on an a la carte system

servicing breakfast, lunch and dinner, seven days a week, 365 days a year. Currently, the dining facility is operated by a full food service contract, through a partnership between the State of Colorado Business Enterprise and a blind vendor. The Satellite Dish Dining Facility is located in Building 300, and can be reached at (719) 567-4732. The daily menu can be heard by calling (719) 567-3333.



# TENANT UNITS

## MISSILE DEFENSE INTEGRATION AND OPERATION CENTER

The Missile Defense Integration and Operation Center is critical to the development, integration and test, deployment and operations of the Ballistic Missile Defense System.

The MDIOC is the nation's premier center for missile defense integration and therefore, the Missile Defense Agency uses the MDIOC to support the development of the command and control, battle management and communication element. These tie all the missile defense elements into a single, multi-tiered BMDS.

It is also the responsibility of MDA activities in the MDIOC to support missile defense operators from the combatant commands. This is accomplished through war games and exercises, providing tools for the warfighters to examine concept of operation and doctrinal issues, and revise their requirements for the operational system.

The MDIOC was established as the National Test Facility in 1988 by the Missile Defense Agency, known then as the Strategic Defense Initiative Organization. It was originally the center for missile defense research centers in a geographically distributed test-bed. The center's support of missile defense spans the entire spectrum of the acquisition process,

from requirements definition to development, acquisition and finally deployment and operational support. The MDIOC is also the place where ballistic missile defense architectures, key technologies and concepts of operation are closely examined for integration and interoperability.

Representing one of the Department of Defense's most powerful computational centers, the MDIOC maintains state-of-the-art computer hardware and software. More than 200 military and civilian representatives from the Army, Navy, Marines and Air Force support missile defense activities and missions within the MDIOC. A contractor team of more than 1,000 contractor personnel supports the government staff. The contractor team is made up of a prime contractor and more than 25 sub-contractors. This gives the MDIOC significant depth of expertise in solving a wide array of missile defense related issues. The United States has increased its resolve to develop and deploy missile defense systems for our nation, our forward-deployed force, and our friends and allies. National Security Presidential Directive 23 states, "missile-defense cooperation will be a feature of U.S. relations with close, long-standing allies." As a result, MDA has increased its international focus hosting a wide variety of multi-national

war games, to look into international and coalition missile defense issues, at the MDIOC. Representatives from more than 95 nations have come to the MDIOC to explore opportunities for joint missile defense related work.

The Missile Defense Agency continues to use the MDIOC in a critical role in ensuring the developing missile defense system becomes, and remains, integrated with the interoperability necessary to create a safer, more secure world.

## U.S. AIR FORCE WARFARE CENTER DETACHMENT 1

The U.S. Air Force Warface Center exists to ensure deployed forces are well-trained and well equipped to conduct integrated combat operations. The USAFWC vision, mission and priorities are central to integrating capabilities across air, space and cyberspace to deliver precise coercive effects in defense of our Nation and its global interests.

The USAFWC Det. 1 is responsible for providing overarching support to all USAFWC units on Schriever AFB, Colorado. These units execute most of the space-related functions of the USAFWC's test,



tactics development, advanced training, and innovation missions. Det. 1 manages communications and computers, security, acquisition, logistics, financial support, manpower and personnel. The commander of USAFWC Det. 1 is also the director of Air Force Tactical Exploitation of National Capabilities.

## AIR FORCE TACTICAL EXPLOITATION OF NATIONAL CAPABILITIES

The Air Force Tactical Exploitation of National Capabilities office is a congressionally mandated program that increases warfighter effectiveness through the exploitation of national capabilities and promotes cross-domain integration of these capabilities into military operations/training, intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance activities. AF TENCAP exploits existing air, space, cyber, national and global Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance and non-traditional ISR systems for operational and tactical applications through rapid prototyping and capability demonstration. These projects are intended to transition to warfighters and/or national intelligence agencies for operational use and appropriate acquisition programs of record for further development. AF TENCAP projects can influence the design and operation of future air, space, cyber, national and global ISR and NTISR while providing awareness to warfighters and national intelligence agency organizations and units.

## DISTRIBUTED MISSION OPERATION CENTER – SPACE

Located in the U.S. Air Force Warfare Center on Schriever AFB, DMOC-S is the only unit providing space modeling and simulation to the warfighter through complex computer-based simulators, linked together through worldwide networks with fighter and bomber weapon systems simulators. This configuration enables space operators to participate in large-scale exercises from their home locations. DMOC-S provides a realistic Live-Virtual-Constructive environment to integrate space capabilities and effects through advanced training, exercises and mission rehearsal events and reports through the 505th Command and Control Wing at Hurlburt Field, Florida.

## 17TH TEST SQUADRON

The 17th Test Squadron is responsible for providing operationally-relevant, timely, and unbiased operational tests of new and upgraded space systems. The 17 TS is headquartered at Schriever AFB and has detachments and operating locations at Patrick AFB, Florida; Vandenberg AFB, California; and Cheyenne Mountain AFS, Colorado; and reports through the 53rd Wing at Eglin AFB, Florida.

## 25TH SPACE RANGE SQUADRON

Through a partnership with the Nevada Test and Training Range, the 25th Space Range



Squadron operates DOD's only Space Test and Training Range providing customers with a safe and secure environment to support counterspace technique development and space test, training and exercise activities.

## 527TH SPACE AGGRESSORS SQUADRON

The 527th Space Aggressors Squadron prepares Air Force, joint, and allied forces for combat by analyzing, teaching and replicating realistic, creative and integrated space threats. The squadron is comprised of a unique blend of intelligence, space operations and information systems experts all focused on building better warfighters through realistic, relevant training. The 527 SAS is a geographically separated unit reporting to the 57th Adversary Tactics Group, Nellis AFB, Nevada.

## 310TH SPACE WING

The 310th Space Wing is the only space wing in the Air Force Reserve. The unit was activated Sept. 4, 1997, and reports directly to 10th Air Force. The 310 SW's mission is to provide specialized expertise, continuity and combat ready personnel, projecting space power for U.S. interests worldwide.

## 6TH SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON

The 6th Space Operations Squadron operates Defense Meteorological Satellite Program satellites in support of the Department of Defense, Department of Commerce and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

## 7TH SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON

The 7th Space Operations Squadron was the first Reserve space unit assigned to support Air Force Space Command. The squadron is a Reserve associate unit to the 1st Space Operations Squadron and is focused on supporting the Multi-Mission Satellite Operations Center and operating Air Force Space Command's only Electro Optical and Infrared image satellite, directly supporting U.S. Central Command and Pacific Command.

## 14TH TEST SQUADRON

The 14th Test Squadron is a Reserve associate unit to the 17th Test Squadron, providing independent assessments of space system operational effectiveness and suitability. They provide subject matter experts and surge capability for AFSPC testing.

## 19TH SPACE OPERATIONS SQUADRON

The 19th Space Operations Squadron is a Reserve associate unit to the 2nd Space Operations Squadron in the launch,

sustainment, operations and modernization of the GPS satellite constellation, providing highly accurate 24-hour navigation, timing and nuclear detonation information to users worldwide.

## DETACHMENT 1, 8TH SPACE WARNING SQUADRON

Det. 1, 8th Space Warning Squadron is a Reserve associate unit to the 11th Space Warning Squadron. Det. 1, 8 SWS performs payload command and control for the Space Based Infrared System Highly Elliptical Orbit. The primary mission areas of SBIRS HEO are missile warning, battlespace awareness, technical intelligence and missile defense.

## 310TH OPERATIONS SUPPORT SQUADRON

The 310th Operations Support Squadron provides operations support and applicable program oversight to the 310th Operations Group space operations squadrons. They deliver relevant space operations instructor training, cutting edge weapons and tactics applications and actionable intelligence maximizing the mission effectiveness of the 310th Space Wing.

## 310TH SECURITY FORCES SQUADRON

The 310th Security Forces Squadron provides trained, equipped, combat-ready security forces for Department of Defense,

United States Air Force, Air Force Space Command and Air Force Reserve Command taskings supporting peacetime, contingency and wartime operations. Unit personnel are trained to deploy and perform integrated base defense, law enforcement, force protection, resource protection and physical security operations at locations worldwide, as needed.

## OTHER 310TH SPACE WING UNITS:

The 310 SW is also responsible for the 8th Space Warning Squadron, 310th Aerospace Medicine Flight, 310th Mission Support Group, and the 710th Security Forces Squadron at Buckley AFB, Colorado; the 9th Space Operations Squadron, located at Vandenberg AFB, California; the 380th Space Control Squadron and the Reserve National Security Space Institute at Peterson AFB, Colorado.

## AIR FORCE TECHNICAL APPLICATIONS CENTER, DETACHMENT 46

Air Force Technical Applications Center, Detachment 46 is responsible for operating the Nuclear Detonation Detection System payload on board the GPS satellite constellation. NDS data is used in AFTAC's worldwide Nuclear Test Ban Treaty monitoring system, and USSTRATCOM's Integrated Tactical Warning and Attack Assessment mission.

## SPACE AND MISSILE SYSTEMS CENTER, SPACE LOGISTICS GROUP

The Space and Missile System Center, Space Logistics Directorate, represents six space weapon system program directors at the Space and Missile Systems Center in Los Angeles. The Space Logistics Group sustains and modifies worldwide U.S. Air Force/Department of Defense space weapons systems to include terrestrial and space weather, GPS, launch range control, satellite command and control, secure communications and missile early warning. They are the focal point for logistics, maintenance, supply, sustaining engineering and the Space Logistics Readiness Center.

## AIR FORCE OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS, 8TH FIELD INVESTIGATIONS SQUADRON, OPERATING LOCATION BRAVO

Air Force Office of Special Investigations, 8th Field Investigations Squadron, Operating Location Bravo, provides special investigative services to protect Air Force and Department of Defense personnel and operations. The mission of AFOSI 8 FIS, OL-B, is to provide professional counterintelligence and criminal investigative services in order to detect, deter and provide early warning of worldwide threats for the 50th Space Wing, Missile

Defense Integration and Operation Center and other tenant units on Schriever. The AFOSI 8 FIS, OL-B office is located in Building 210, Suite 245, and can be reached at (719) 567-5049 or DSN: 560-5049.

## 11TH SPACE WARNING SQUADRON

The 11th Space Warning Squadron operates the Space Based Infrared System, the next generation of missile warning satellites developed by Air Force Space Command and the Space and Missile Systems Center. SBIRS has four major mission areas: missile warning, missile defense, technical intelligence and battlespace characterization. To accomplish these missions, SBIRS employs a combination of satellites in both geosynchronous Earth orbit and highly elliptical orbits. Capabilities include detection of intercontinental ballistic missile launches, submarine launched ballistic missiles as well as theater class missiles. SBIRS is also able to detect static events, such as large explosions and fires, as well as assist in environmental situations caused by volcanic eruptions and large forest fires.

## 392ND TRAINING SQUADRON, DETACHMENT 1

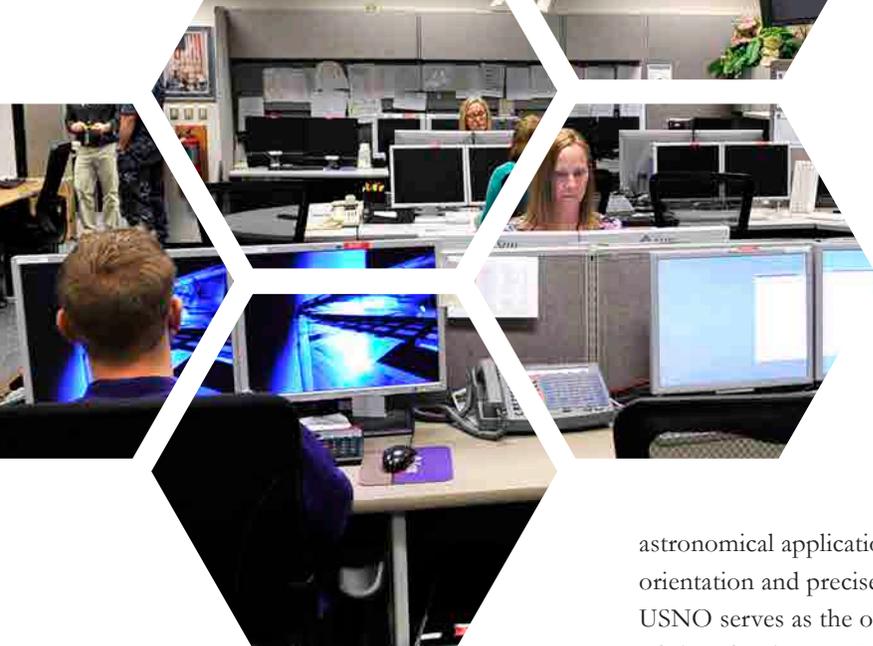
The 392nd Training Squadron, Detachment 1 is located at

the MDIOC and operates the Cheyenne Mountain Training System. Individuals assigned to Det. 1 provide operations training for North American Aerospace Defense Command, U.S. Northern Command and U.S. Strategic Command personnel working at Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Station, the command center on Peterson AFB and the Joint Space Operations Center personnel at Vandenberg AFB, California. The detachment's mission is to provide the warfighter a high fidelity, stand-alone tactical warning and attack assessment system training capability that will operationally replicate the crew centers of the NORTHCOM domains, the USSTRATCOM Missile Warning Center and the 614th Operation Group's Joint Space Operations Center.

## JOINT FUNCTIONAL COMPONENT COMMAND FOR INTEGRATED MISSILE DEFENSE

The Joint Functional Component Command for Integrated Missile Defense, located at the MDIOC, is responsible for synchronizing operational-level global missile defense planning, operations support and the development of missile defense effects for the DOD. When directed, JFCC-IMD also provides alternate missile defense execution support.





## HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 53RD SIGNAL BATTALION (SATELLITE CONTROL)

The mission of U.S. Army Strategic Command's Headquarters and Headquarters Company 53rd Signal Battalion SATCON is to operate, maintain and sustain three contingency Defense Satellite Communications System control platforms to provide positive platform, payload and communications network control of DSCS satellites to the unified and specified combatant command commander, the National Command Authority and other customers approved by the Joint Staff.

## U.S. NAVAL OBSERVATORY

The United States Naval Observatory provides a wide range of astronomical data and products. USNO products support activities in the following areas: astrometry,

astronomical applications, Earth orientation and precise time. The USNO serves as the official source of time for the U.S. Department of Defense and a standard of time for the entire United States. This segment of the USNO mission enhances a wide range of applications to include navigation, precise positioning, space operations, command, control, communications, computer networks, intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance. The USNO Alternate Master Clock located on Schriever is the backup to the USNO's Master Clock facility in Washington, D.C., and provides precise time to a variety of 50 SW and tenant organizations on Schriever.

## NAVAL SATELLITE OPERATIONS CENTER DETACHMENT DELTA

The Naval Satellite Operations Center Detachment Delta is located in Building 400 MOD 19. The unit's primary mission is to provide command and control for USN constellations including FLTSAT, UHF Follow On, Mobile User Objective System and Polar EHF Satellite Communications to the Joint Warfighter.

## 100TH MISSILE DEFENSE BRIGADE, MISSILE DEFENSE ELEMENT

The 100th Missile Defense Brigade's Missile Defense Element is located in the MDIOC. MDE functions include conducting the operational level execution of the Ground Based Midcourse Missile Defense Limited Defensive Operations mission for the U.S. Northern Command commander. In this respect, MDE provides operational and tactical recommendation to the NORTHCOM commander, synchronizes operations and conducts fire distribution across multiple GMD Fire Direction Centers, conducts battle planning for potential follow-on launches of threat ballistic missiles and, as required, de-conflicts the operational pictures for warning and missile defense missions. MDE also manages Army GMD force readiness conditions and develops and reports overall GMD operational capability. It provides day-to-day control of GMD FDCs, performs analyses and develops responses to NORTHCOM commander, command director and missile defense officer questions and provides back up mission execution capability for the firing unit FDCs.

## 26TH SPACE AGGRESSOR SQUADRON

26th Space Aggressor Squadron  
The 26th Space Aggressor Squadron's mission is to educate

and train joint forces for combat effectiveness by providing space threat study, replication and countermeasures development. The squadron is comprised of 22 warfighter-oriented Air Force Specialty Codes whose field mission replicates current and developing space threats. The bottom line is to ensure the joint warfighter maintains space dominance through the fielding of global mitigation tactics, techniques and procedures.

## 21ST MEDICAL SQUADRON

The 21st Medical Squadron provides medical and dental support to active duty and other eligible military beneficiaries at Schriever AFB.

## MEDICAL SERVICES

Medical Services are provided for active duty military, retirees and dependents enrolled to the 21 MDS health care providers. Primary care, aeromedical, dental, behavioral health, routine prenatal and adult and geriatric care is available. Ancillary services include: immunizations, pharmacy, laboratory, radiology, public health, bioenvironmental engineering, and health educator services. Health care services are available Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The clinic is closed every third Tuesday of each month from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for training.

## APPOINTMENTS

Appointments can be made with a primary care manager 24 hours a day through TRICARE Online at

<http://www.tricareonline.com>. To book an appointment on-line, users will need to register and establish a username and password. When registering, select 21st Medical Group as the military treatment facility. Note: All Schriever enrollees, who book appointments with their Schriever PCM through TRICARE Online, will be seen at the Schriever AFB Clinic.

**To schedule an appointment by phone, call (719) 524/526-CARE (2273).**

## MENTAL HEALTH

The Mental Health Clinic provides deployment clearances (including ANAM testing), psychological educational briefings, consultation, unit outreach, special duty assessments, walk-in crisis assessments, comprehensive psychological evaluations and individual psychotherapy. The clinic is open daily from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The clinic closes from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily for community outreach, lunch, and fitness. To schedule an appointment dial (719) 567-4619, or DSN 560-4619.

## AMBULANCE SERVICES

For **911** emergencies, Schriever AFB maintains a 24-hour contract ambulance service through Rocky Mountain Mobile Medical. When 911 is called, they respond from their prepositioned location at Building 500, Room 114.

## PHARMACY

Pharmacy hours of operation are 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday/Wednesday/Friday, and 7:30 a.m.

to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday/Thursday. Patients must check in at the pharmacy window to activate their new or renewal prescription. For refills, please call the pharmacy directly at 567-4423. Follow-up appointment with your PCM should be made two weeks prior to running out of your medication. For patients unable to get an appointment in time, please call the front desk at 567-4455, option 0.

## DENTAL SERVICES

Dental services provided at the 21 MDS facility are for active duty only. Family members should enroll for dental coverage via the website: <https://www.metlife.com/individual/dental-insurance-center/index.html> Annual dental exams are required for all Active Duty military. Every effort is made to combine dental examinations with a cleaning. Same day sick call appointments are based on availability. Dental clinic hours are from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday/Tuesday/Thursday and 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday/Friday. The Dental Clinic is located in Building 220. To schedule an appointment, call (719) 567-5065 or DSN: 560-5065.

## NATIONAL NURSE ADVICE LINE

The TRICARE Nurse Advice Line provides 24 hour/day, 7 day/week nurse triage, advice and MTF appointments for **acute** medical issues. **Local access to the Nurse Advice Line:** 719-524-CARE (2273), Option 3.



# SCHRIEVER AFB SUPPORT SERVICES

## BANKING – ENT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Ent Federal Credit Union's Schriever AFB Service Center is located in Building 101. Members enjoy a comprehensive line of financial services including online banking, telephone banking, 27 service centers throughout Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Denver and thousands of surcharge-free ATMs worldwide. Ent is a not-for-profit, community-chartered credit union with membership open to businesses or individuals living or working in Denver, El Paso, Pueblo and Teller counties, as well as select communities in Weld, Adams and Arapahoe counties. Ent is federally insured by the NCUA. For more information, call (719) 574-1100 or (800) 525-9623 or visit Ent Online at [www.Ent.com](http://www.Ent.com). ATMs on Schriever AFB can be found at the service center and the West and North Portals.

## AAFES BARBERSHOP

The barbershop is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 203. Hours of operation are from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. Appointments can be made by telephone for slots between 8 a.m. and 12:30

p.m.; walk-ins are accepted from 1 to 3 p.m. For more information or to make an appointment, call (719) 567-2108 or DSN: 560-2108.

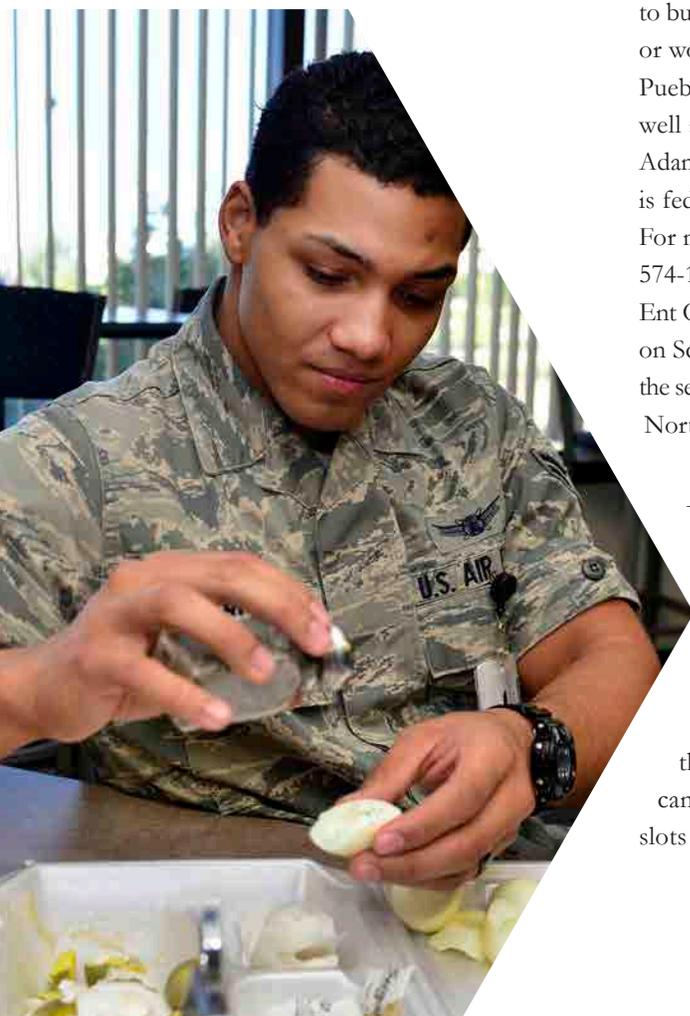
## CONVENIENCE STORE

Pit Stop Snacks is a convenience store in the restricted area that provides an assortment of sundry items, check cashing, lottery and other services. It is located in Building 730 and is open Mondays through Thursdays from 5:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Fridays from 5:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. They can be reached at (719) 721-8663 or DSN: 721-8663.

## DINING OPTIONS ON BASE

The Satellite Dish Dining Facility is located in Building 300 and is open to all military, Department of Defense civilian and contractor personnel (dinner and weekends only) at Schriever AFB. It operates on an a la carte system serving breakfast, lunch, dinner and a midnight meal.

The MDIOC High Plains Café is located inside the restricted area and is open to all personnel with access to the RA. The cafeteria offers breakfast from 6:30 to 9 a.m. and lunch from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. weekdays only.



Trina's Brewed Awakenings serves coffee and treats such as muffins, cookies and scones. It is located in Building 720, Room 119, and can be reached at (719) 721-0220 or DSN: 721-0220. It is open from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mondays to Fridays. Wizard's Brew serves breakfast items, specialty coffees, teas, smoothies and juices as well as soups, sandwiches and daily lunch specials. It is located in the DeKok Building, 210, Room 156, and can be reached at (719) 567-2673 or DSN: 560-2673.

The Schriever AFB Shoppette offers a variety of snack foods and frozen meals along with pre-made sandwiches and hot-off-the-grill hotdogs and breakfast items.

Outdoor Recreation, located in Building 300, Room 133, and the Pit Stop Snacks, in Building 730, both have a variety of snack food items and beverages. Outdoor Recreation is open Mondays to Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Pit Stop Snacks is open Mondays through Thursdays from 5:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Fridays from 5:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## FITNESS CENTER

The Fitness and Sports Center hosts a wide range of fitness and sports programs. The center offers monthly sporting activities, six intramural sports and three varsity sports. Patrons have access to state-of-the-art cardiovascular and strength training equipment, as well as highly-skilled personal trainers who can develop an exercise program for any fitness

level or experience. Personal training services, daily-use lockers and towels are all provided free of charge. The 19,160-square-foot fitness center opened in December 2001 and hosts all indoor intramural programs and most "Fit to Fight" activities in the gymnasium. Outside the main facility is a sand volleyball pit, outdoor track and enclosed track. The Fitness and Sports Center is located in Building 120, and can be reached at (719) 567-6628.

The MDIOC's Fitness Center operates 24/7, has 2,200 square feet of floor space and approximately 30 pieces of equipment. The MDIOC has extended the privilege of using this facility to 50th Space Wing personnel.

## SHOPPETTE

The Schriever AFB Shoppette, Express, just off of Falcon Parkway is located near the CDC. The Express is open 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays. The facility offers a variety of merchandise tailored to our customer based needs such as the following: bread, milk, food/snack items, health and beauty aids, paper products, cleaning supplies, chips/candy, non-alcoholic beverages and alcoholic beverages.

The Shoppette does offer 24/7 gasoline services, however, if the facility is closed, payment must be processed outside.

The Shoppette can be reached at 719-567-4430 or -719-683-3626.



# PETERSON AFB SUPPORT SERVICES

## AIRMAN LEADERSHIP SCHOOL

The Airman Leadership School, located in Building 1141, has a dedicated faculty and staff of four. Seven classes are offered annually. Each class is five weeks long, and graduates earn a total of 10 semester hours toward a Community College of the Air Force degree. For more information, call (719) 556-7737 or DSN: 834-7737.

## AQUATICS CENTER

The aquatics center, located in Building 404, has an adult pool and a kiddie pool, both available year-round. The center offers military lap swimming, swimming lessons, lifesaving courses, aqua-aerobics, physical therapy workout sessions and special activities. A water slide, physical conditioning area, therapeutic spa, a dry co-ed sauna and a swim lift for disabled patrons is also available.

Lap swim hours are free for active duty. Call (719) 556-4608 or DSN: 834-4608 for more information and prices on single or annual passes.

## EXCHANGE

The Exchange, located in Building 2017, includes a food court, beauty and barber shops, optical, watch repair, and alterations shops, GNC, Military Clothing Sales, pharmacy and the main exchange.

The main exchange hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. every day. For more information, call (719) 596-7270.

## MILITARY CLOTHING AND SALES

The Military Clothing Sales store, located in Building 2017, has military clothing items and an alterations shop. Hours of operation are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays from and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays. Closed on Sundays. For more information, call (719) 556-4259 or DSN: 834-4259.

## COMMISSARY

The Peterson AFB Commissary, next to the Base Exchange, is open Mondays through Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sundays from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Early-bird shopping is from 8 to 9 a.m. For more information, call (719) 556-7765 or DSN: 834-7765.

## BOWLING CENTER

The Peterson Bowling Center is located in Building 406. The bowling center offers year-round bowling leagues, snack bar operations with daily specials, youth birthday parties, bowling lessons and a complete pro-shop. Check out the state-of-the-art lighting and weekly bowling specials. For more information, call (719) 556-4607 or DSN: 834-4607

or stop by to pick up brochures on available services and hours.

## THE CLUB @ PETERSON AFB

Located in Building 1013 on Glasgow Ave., The Club @ Peterson AFB offers a combination of fine dining and casual family fare for all military ranks and civilians. For information, call (719) 556-4181 or DSN: 834-4181.

The Club @ Peterson AFB serves lunch from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, evening dining from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Fridays, Sunday brunch the first and third Sundays of the month from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and is closed Saturdays, except for Ultimate Fighting Championship fights.

The Club @ Peterson AFB hosts Bingo Bonanza Mondays at 4:30 p.m. in the ballroom. Stripes pub is open Mondays to Fridays at 10:30 a.m. and closes at varying times in the evenings.

## JOINT PERSONNEL PROPERTY SHIPPING OFFICE

The Joint Personnel Property Shipping Office has a branch office on Peterson AFB in Building 350, Room 2139. The office is primarily responsible for outbound personal property arrangements and

processing shipment applications for members who want to ship personal property from outside of Colorado Springs. Hours are 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. For more information, call (719) 556-4196 or (719) 554-9291 or DSN: 692-9291.

## LEISURE TRAVEL OFFICE

The Leisure Travel office, located at 830 Tinker St, Building 640, can accommodate all leisure travel needs, including airline tickets, cruise packages, hotel and car reservations or vacation packages worldwide. The LTO is available by phone from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. The building is open from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. for walk-ins and pick-up. For more information, call (719) 556-6447/2116 or DSN: 834-6447/2116.

## LIBRARY

The Peterson Base Library, located in Building 1171, contains more than 33,000 volumes covering various subject areas, with an emphasis on military history.

College Level Examination Program study guides and videos are available. The library also offers audio books in a variety of formats. We also have a collection of entertainment DVDs available for checkout.

The library maintains a collection of nearly 50 periodicals and four daily newspapers. Computer workstations (both commercial and .mil) are available for word processing and research. For more

information, call (719) 556-7462 or DSN: 834-7462.

## NCO ACADEMY

The Peterson NCO Academy, located in Building 1142, holds six-week long classes. Normally, eight classes are conducted at the NCOA every year. For more information about the NCOA, call (719) 556-7592 or DSN: 834-7592.

## SERVICE STATION

A service station, located at 250 Otis Street, offers basic auto repairs and service. Hours are from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, and 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays and closed on Sundays. For more information, call (719) 638-4956.

## SHOPPETTE

The Peterson AFB Shoppette carries beverages, food, magazines, health and beauty aids, pet supplies and more. The Shoppette's package store offers non-alcoholic and alcoholic beverages and limited party supplies. The Shoppette is open from 5:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. seven days a week. For more information, call (719) 597-5041.

## SILVER SPRUCE GOLF COURSE

The Silver Spruce Golf Course is located at Building 1054. Breakfast and lunch are served seven days a week featuring a snack bar operation. Take advantage of professional party planning and catering services. The golf course offers a driving range, practice green, extensive pro shop, patio for special functions and a well maintained 18-hole golf course.

Golf course membership is offered to all military and all civilians with base privileges. For more information, call (719) 556-7414 or DSN: 834-7414.

## YOUTH CENTER

The Peterson Youth Center, located at Building 1555, offers before and after school and full day summer camp programs for children 5 to 12 years old.

Pre-teen and teen programs are ongoing and include activities such as leadership clubs, special events and trips, computer lab, homework help and recreational game room. There are summer events for youth ages 9-18 that include rock climbing, hiking, biking and white water rafting. Youth sports leagues are recreational and include baseball, soccer, basketball and flag football. Youth Sports camps are available during the summer and include basketball, archery, flag football, volleyball, soccer and tennis.

Volunteers for youth sports are always needed. For more information on all Youth Programs, call (719) 556-7220/ DSN: 834-7220 or visit [www.21fss.com](http://www.21fss.com).



# AREA ATTRACTIONS

## COLORADO SPRINGS

Combining scenic beauty, pleasant residential areas, modern, industry, attractive military installations and cultural activities to satisfy every taste, Colorado Springs is a well-rounded community. The city offers a variety of activities, both recreational and cultural.

The city is situated on a gently rolling plateau 6,035 feet above sea level, sheltered by the towering, 14,110 foot-high Pikes Peak. This locale assures cool, dry summers and comfortable, mild winters, with the low humidity tempering the extremes of the respective seasons. Colorado Springs, the largest municipality in El Paso County, has a population of 622,263 residents (estimated in 2014) and comprises an area of more than 190 square miles.

The city operates a public bus system, which offers special rates and services for senior citizens, the handicapped, students and others. Several airlines fly in and out of the Colorado Springs Municipal Airport. For more information, visit [www.experiencecoloradosprings.com](http://www.experiencecoloradosprings.com) or call (719) 635-7506.

## OLYMPIC TRAINING CENTER

This facility, a former Air Force Base, at 1 Olympic Plaza, is headquarters for the U.S. Olympic

Committee administration and the Olympic Training Center programs. Free public tours are conducted on a year-round basis. The tour includes a 12-minute film and 45-minute walking tour of the complex. For more information, call (719) 866-4618.

## FINE ARTS CENTER

Founded in 1936, the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 30 West Dale Street, was the nation's first facility designed to cultivate both the visual and performing arts. It is home to the Taylor Museum, The Bernis School of Art and Performing Arts Theatre. For more information, visit [www.csfineartscenter.org](http://www.csfineartscenter.org) or call (719) 634-5581.

## PIONEERS MUSEUM

Colorado Springs' history comes to life as the featured Indian relics and western pioneer antiques tell the story from the past to today. It is located at 215 S. Tejon Street in Colorado Springs. For more information, call (719) 385-5990.

## NUMISMATIC MUSEUM

The Museum of the American Numismatic Association, 818 N. Cascade Avenue, displays coins, tokens, paper money, medals and related items. For more information, call (719) 632-2646.

## MANITOU CLIFF DWELLINGS MUSEUM

The Cliff Dwellings Museum contains some of the finest examples of artifacts and cliff dwelling homes acquired from the Southwest. Visitors can explore the dwellings room by room. The museum is open seven days a week year-round, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. May through September, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. December through February and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. during the months of March, April, October and November. The museum is 5 miles west of Colorado Springs on U.S. 24 above Manitou Springs. For more information, call (719) 685-5242.

## CHEYENNE MOUNTAIN ZOO

The Cheyenne Mountain Zoo provides an unforgettable adventure combining breathtaking mountain scenery with nearly 800 animals, representing 172 species of wild animals. The zoo is located at 4250 Cheyenne Mountain Zoo Road. For more information, visit [www.cmzoo.org](http://www.cmzoo.org) or call (719) 633-9925.

## CAVE OF THE WINDS

Cave of the Winds offers guided tours through caverns formed millions of years ago. Cave of the Winds is located just 6 miles west of Colorado Springs on U.S. 24 above Manitou Springs. For more information, call (719) 685-5444 or visit [www.caveofthewinds.com](http://www.caveofthewinds.com).

## GARDEN OF THE GODS

The towering red rock formations at the base of Pikes Peak on N. 30th Street (at Gateway Road) are one of the emblems of Colorado Springs. Hike, bike, horseback ride or drive through the 1,367-acre park and watch for many animals including big horn sheep, deer and a variety of birds. Start your visit at the Garden of the Gods visitor center with its hands-on exhibits explaining the geology, ecology, plants and history of the area; or take time to visit Rock Ledge Ranch Historic Site, located just inside the east entrance of the park. For more information, contact the Garden of the Gods Visitor and Nature Center at (719) 634-6666 or visit [www.gardenofgods.com](http://www.gardenofgods.com).

## PIKES PEAK COG RAILWAY

You can take an unforgettable panoramic trip that leads you to the 14,110-foot summit of America's most famous peak. Modern Swiss trains operate year-round, departing from the depot at 515 Ruxton Avenue in Manitou Springs. Round trip is three hours and 10 minutes. For more information, call (719) 685-5401 or visit [www.cograilway.com](http://www.cograilway.com).

## ROYAL GORGE

Take a trip on the Royal Gorge Scenic Railway. A train ride takes passengers through the "Grand Canyon of the Arkansas." You also can ride the white water of the Arkansas River or view the Royal Gorge Bridge, the world's highest suspension bridge, hanging 1,053 feet above rushing water. For more information, visit [www.royalgorgebridge.com](http://www.royalgorgebridge.com).

## SEVEN FALLS

Seven Falls is located just 10 minutes from downtown Colorado Springs via Cheyenne Boulevard and is nestled deep within Cheyenne Canyon. From May 11 to Sept. 1, nights come alive with a fascinating glow of colorful lights illuminating the entire canyon. For more information, visit [www.sevenfalls.com](http://www.sevenfalls.com).

## NORTH POLE, HOME OF SANTA'S WORKSHOP

Santa's Workshop/North Pole is a Christmas-themed family amusement park that has been in existence since 1956. Christmas music fills the air as visitors browse through the village. At the center of Santa's Workshop is the North Pole, an ice-covered pole that never melts. Surrounding the North Pole is a variety of gift shops, each with their own unique selection of toys and gifts. Of course, the highlight of everyone's visit is a trip to Santa's House to greet the jolly old elf himself. For more information, visit [www.santas-colo.com](http://www.santas-colo.com).

## WESTERN MUSEUM OF MINING AND INDUSTRY

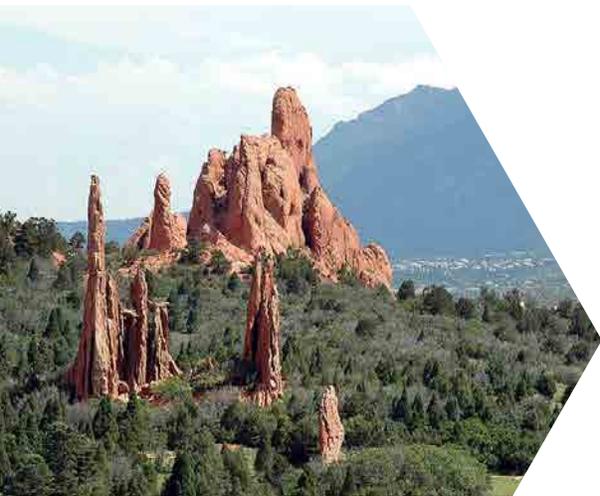
The Western Museum of Mining and Industry, located at 225 North Gate Boulevard, features a variety of exhibits complete with daily guided tours. For more information, call (719) 488-0880 or visit [wmmi.org](http://wmmi.org).

## WORLD FIGURE SKATING HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM

The World Figure Skating Hall of Fame and Museum, located at 20 First Street, shows exhibits honoring the world's best figure skaters. There are displays featuring skating artifacts, trophies, costumes and memorabilia. For more information, call (719) 635-5200 or visit [www.usfsa.org](http://www.usfsa.org).

## PRORODEO HALL OF FAME

Rodeo—America's original sport—is showcased at the ProRodeo Hall of Fame and Museum of the American Cowboy in Colorado Springs. The hall, established in 1979, is located at 101 Pro Rodeo Drive. For more information, call (719) 528-4764 or visit [www.prorodeo halloffame.com](http://www.prorodeo halloffame.com).





# NEARBY COMMUNITIES

There are many attractions in nearby communities that can make your Schriever AFB assignment exciting and rewarding. From the professional sports offered in Denver to the colleges and universities in Pueblo and Colorado Springs, to the hiking trails and mountains in the area, there are a number of fantastic attractions in the nearby communities. The following is a list of the areas available to explore.

## MANITOU SPRINGS

Manitou Springs, just west of Colorado Springs, takes its name from the many mineral springs in the area. The area once was marked off as a sanctuary by the local Indian tribes who attributed

supernatural powers to the springs' waters. Today, Manitou Springs thrives as a tourist trade abounds in the downtown area. Besides being home to several world-class restaurants, as well as many favorite neighborhood eateries, Manitou Springs has a wide selection of quality accommodations.

## FOUNTAIN

Fountain, founded in 1859 and incorporated in 1903, is the oldest community in the Pikes Peak region and is home to a variety of lifestyles. Large cattle and horse ranches as well as undeveloped land border the city limits. Fort Carson is west of Fountain. To the north and east are the communities

of Security, Widefield, Stratmoor Hills and Stratmoor Valley.

## SECURITY AND WIDEFIELD

Security and Widefield primarily serve as bedroom communities for Colorado Springs and Fort Carson, which is directly to the west. Once separate and distinct areas, these two communities have grown together and are often referred to jointly as Security-Widefield.

## MONUMENT

North of Colorado Springs on Interstate 25 is the community of Monument. It seemingly wraps itself over and around the high rolling foothills. Monument is slightly higher in elevation than

Colorado Springs and has more snowfall.

## WOODLAND PARK

Woodland Park is one of four Ute Pass communities—the others are Green Mountain Falls, Cascade and Chipita Park. Woodland Park is 25 miles west of Colorado Springs on U.S. 24 in Teller County. Year-round residents commute daily to Colorado Springs on a wide, well-paved, road which twists through the scenic Rockies.

## DENVER

Denver, the state capital, is about an hour's drive north of Colorado Springs on Interstate 25. It offers music, art, education, sports, outdoor recreation and entertainment. Performing arts, exhibitions and conventions are held in the Denver Performing Arts Complex and the Denver Convention Complex. Denver supports professional hockey, basketball, football, baseball and soccer teams. The Sports Authority Field at Mile High is the home of the Denver Broncos while Dick's Sporting Goods Park houses the Colorado Rapids. The Colorado Avalanche and Denver Nuggets make their home in the Pepsi Center and the Colorado Rockies play their home games at Coors Field. The Denver Art Museum, Denver Museum of Nature and Science, Denver Botanic Gardens, Denver Zoo, Colorado State Capital Building, U.S. Mint, Children's Museum of Denver, Six Flags Elitch Gardens Theme Park and Red Rocks Amphitheatre are other attractions.

## PUEBLO

Pueblo is 40 miles south of Colorado Springs on Interstate-25 and offers a variety of cultural events, including the Pueblo Symphony, the Children's Playhouse Series, the Broadway Theatre League and the Sangre De Cristo Ballet Theatre. For more than 100 years, Pueblo has been the home of the Colorado State Fair. The event attracts more than a million visitors each year. Top national entertainers, rodeo and military appreciation day are some of the event's highlights. Pueblo also is home to the University of Southern Colorado, a four-year state university.

## CASTLE ROCK

Castle Rock, located midway between Denver and Colorado Springs, is home to an estimated population near 42,500 people and has a small town atmosphere, abundant parks and historic downtown shopping district. Castle Rock occupies more than 30 square miles, is the home to the Outlets at Castle Rock and is the seat of Douglas County. The town lies at an elevation of 6,202 feet, in the Plum Creek Valley along Interstate 25 at the base of the Rocky Mountains.





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