

49 FIGHTER CONTROL SQUADRON (SEPARATE)

MISSION

LINEAGE

49 Air Corps Interceptor Control Squadron (*Separate*)

Organized, 19 Dec 1941

Redesignated 49 Fighter Control Squadron, 25 Jun 1942

Redesignated 49 Fighter Control Squadron (Separate), 22 Sep 1943

STATIONS

Morrison Field, West Palm Beach, FL

Port Phillip, Melbourne, Australia, 1 Feb 1942

Bankstown

New Guinea, Jan 1943

Hollandia, 1944

Leyte (Talcoban), Philippines, Oct 1944

San Roque, Leyte, Philippines, May 1945

San Jose, Mindoro, Philippines, Sep 1945

ASSIGNMENTS

49 Fighter Group

85 Fighter Wing

Fifth Fighter Command

COMMANDERS

Lt George Powell

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Selected for overseas duty, 26 Dec 1941

Moved to: New Guinea, January 1943

Initial Fighter Control Center, Dobodura

Designated as separate unit and operated under the Fifth Fighter Command in the Pacific Theater until the end of the war.

28 April 1945, Established Sector Operations office.

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Sources

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