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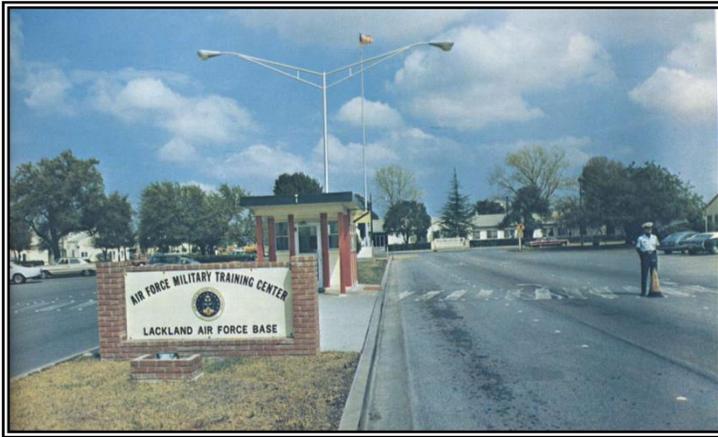


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## Warhawk Trivia

WHAT YEAR DID LACKLAND BECOME A CLOSED BASE?



### **The 37th Tactical Fighter Wing: OPERATION DESERT STORM!**

At 0022 hours 17 January 1991, the 415th squadron launched ten aircraft against targets in Baghdad at the start of Desert Storm. The 415th paved the way into Iraq for other Air Force units by systematically attacking integrated operations Centers, radio relays, Air Force Sector Defense and Air Defense Headquarters.

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## Featured Warhawks:



The 341st Training Squadron's lineage was established as the Department of Defense Military Working Dog Agency on 9 Aug 1990, and was redesignated the 341st Training Squadron on 1 Apr 1994. The mission of the 341st Training Squadron is to provide trained military working dogs (MWDs) used to patrol, detect drugs and explosives as well as the operational training of handlers and supervisors.

*Motto: Detect and Defend*

### **This Month In History:**

- 1951: Lackland officials launched "Operation Tradition" to acquaint recruits with the traditions and history of the Air Force.
- 1968: Lackland began a telephone system upgrade that enabled an off base caller to reach directly an on base phone – thereby bypassing the operator!
- 1973: The first Coast Guard students entered training for Law Enforcement Specialists.
- 1982: It became mandatory on Lackland AFB to always wear a seat belt.

## United States Air Force Memorial; Washington D.C.

January 1992 saw the Air Force Memorial Foundation incorporate to pursue the development of the Air Force Memorial that now stands in Washington D.C. The Memorial honors the fallen heroes of the United States Air Force; it was dedicated and presented to the nation on 14 Oct 2006.

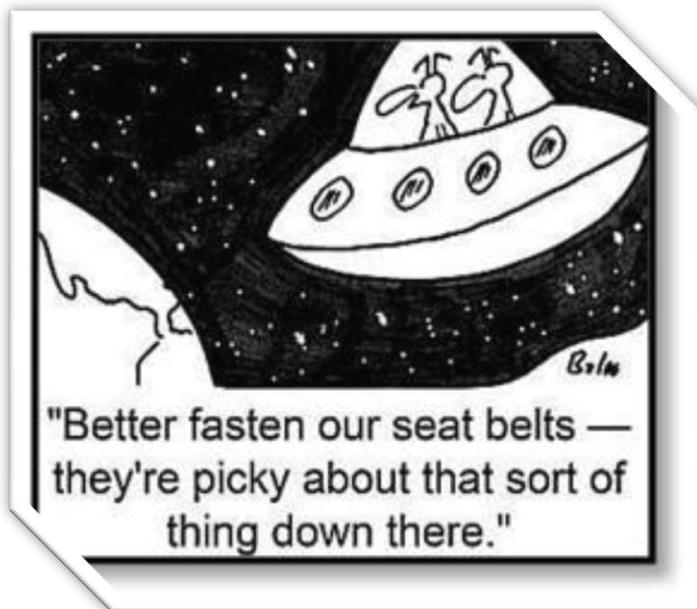


### Heritage Airpark. **AT-6 “Texan”**



Manufactured by North American Aviation, the AT-6 was one of the most widely used aircraft in history. More than 15,000 were built and saw service world-wide. One version of this aircraft flew close support missions during the Korean conflict spotting enemy troops and guns and marking them with smoke rockets for attack by fighter-bombers.

### **Archived TalespinnerToon's From The Past**



*“To affirm that the aeroplane is going to ‘revolutionize’ naval warfare of the future is to be guilty of the wildest exaggeration”*

-‘Scientific American’

1910

**TRIVIA ANSWER: 1973**

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