



AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS

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Cadet Aviation Milestones and Achievements December 2014 and January 2015

Happy New Year from the 3WG Aviation Team!

Over the last few months 3WG Aviation has been incredibly busy with the conduct of Continuous Flying Training Courses, numerous PEX weekends, the annual AAFC National Aviation Competition and also some ADFA Flying Training Courses.

With all this, I unfortunately didn't have sufficient time at the end of 2014 to collate cadet flying training achievements for December, and in turn distribute them to the greater WG.

I have included below recent aviation milestones covering both powered and gliding for the specified period in 2014.

These results indeed capped off an incredibly successful year for 3WG Aviation, and I would like to take this opportunity to briefly thank my direct team, 301 Aviation Training Flight and the staff from all around the Wing that attend and support the many flying courses and PEX activities conducted in 3WG. The efforts of these staff continue to ensure that 3WG has by far the largest aviation capability in the AAFC.

Please follow on to see milestones and achievements for December 2014 and January 2015;

DECEMBER 2015 GLIDING AND POWERED COURSES

301FLT 7/14 Gliding Course

CM381628 LCDT Kenneth "Scorpion" Panten 335SQN: First Solo

CM382794 LCDT Ryan Shergold 318SQN: First Solo

CM382492 LCDT Taliesin Vanian 315SQN: First Solo

CM381044 CCPL Hunter Ridley 310SQN: "A" Certificate

CM381538 CCPL Eric Deuxberry 305SQN: "C" Certificate & AAFC Wings Award

CM381628 LCDT Kenneth "Scorpion" Panten 335SQN: SQNLDR Roger Browne Award for Most Improved Pilot

CM381359 CSGT Andrew Silva 304SQN: Chief Inspector Henry Levy Award for Best Cadet on Course

301FLT 7/14 Powered Course

CM381293 CSGT Michael "666" Develin 315SQN: First Solo

CM381293 CSGT Michael "666" Develin 315SQN: Best Cadet on Course

CM383390 CDT Indiana Eck 318SQN: Most improved Pilot

301FLT 8/14 Gliding Course

CM383042 LCDT Luke Zaccaria 322SQN: First Solo

CM380821 LCDT Jean "The Egg" Flegg 316SQN: "C" Certificate and AAFC Wings

CM380178 CCPL Harrison "Stewie" Stewart 338SQN: "C" Certificate and AAFC Wings

CM381522 LCDT Keelan "Robo" Robinson 338SQN: "B" Certificate

CM381151 CCPL Travis Tuckwell 316SQN: "B" Certificate

CM381560 CSGT Christian "Wedlad" Wedlake 305SQN: "B" Certificate

CM383042 LCDT Luke Zaccaria 322SQN: SQNLDR Roger Browne Award, Most Improved Pilot

CM379203 CUO Steven Pulbrook 336SQN: Chief Inspector Henry Levy Award, Best Cadet on Course

301FLT 8/14 Powered Course

CM381190 LCDT Tyler Boyd 326SQN: First Solo

CM381538 CCPL Eric Deuxberry 305SQN: First Solo

CM381547 LCDT Stefan Pieper 305SQN: First Solo

CM383973 CDT Chris Brown 334SQN: Most Improved Pilot

CM382470 CCPL Hamish Jeffrey 315SQN: SQNLDR Lindsay Lobwein Award for Course Commitment

301FLT 1/15 X-Country Gliding Course

CM379994 CUO Chris Davis, 322SQN – FAI Silver C Distance and Height Gain, PW5 Conversion and GFA Air Experience Instructor Rating

CM378973 CFSGT Stephanie Ehret, 322SQN – GFA Air Experience Instructor Rating and PW5 Conversion

CM381293 CSGT Michael "666" Develin, 315SQN – Full FAI Silver C Claim, Passenger Carrying Endorsement and Single Seat Glider Endorsement

CM381489 CCPL William "Bozzie" Boswell, 335SQN – 'C' Certificate, FAI Silver C Duration Claim, Single Seat Glider Endorsement and AAFC Cadet Wings

CM382107 LCDT Pat "Pivo" Pivovarski, 314SQN – 'A' Certificate, 'B' Certificate and Single Seat Glider Endorsement. 1x 1 Hour for 'C' Certificate

CM381334 CSGT Pat "Fang" Neill, 323SQN – 'A' Certificate and most of 'B' Certificate. 2x 1 Hours for 'C' Certificate

CM380178 CCPL Harrison "Stewie" Stewart, 338SQN – Single Seat Glider Endorsement

CM381522 LCDT Keelan "Robo" Robinson, 338SQN – 'C' Certificate, AAFC Cadet Wings and Single Seat Glider Endorsement. Passenger Carrying Endorsement

CM380821 LCDT Jean "The Egg" Flegg, 316SQN – Completed full FAI Silver C Claim (However DATA Logger failed in flight). FAI Silver C Duration Flight and Single Seat Glider Endorsement. Passenger Carrying Endorsement.

CM381560 CSGT Christian "Wedlad" Wedlake, 305SQN – 'C' Certificate, AAFC Wings

CM381044 CCPL Hunter Ridley, 310SQN – (Partial attendance) FAI Silver C Duration Flight and Single Seat Glider Endorsement. 2x 1 Hour flights for 'C' Certificate.

CM381247 CCPL Adann "Sneaky" Sadiki, 307SQN – 'C' Certificate, FAI Silver C Duration and Height Gain, AAFC Cadet Wings. Single Seat Glider Endorsement and Passenger Carrying Endorsement

CM381861 CCPL Jeffrey "Littleman" Little, 335SQN – 1x Hour Flight for 'C' Certificate and majority of 'B' Certificate

8592637 OFFCDT Ryan Lawler, 301FLT – GFA Air Experience Instructor Rating

AC30335 CIV Ian "Houdini" Alder, 301FLT – GFA Air Experience Instructor Rating

2014 AAFC National Aviation Competition

3WG Team:

CM379994 CUO Chris Davis, 322SQN

CM380612 CFSGT Sam Quirke, 315SQN

CM381500 CCPL James Spearpoint, 335SQN

CM381247 CCPL Adann "Sneaky" Sadiki, 307SQN

CM380821 LCDT Jean "The Egg" Flegg, 316SQN

CM381522 LCDT Keelan "Robo" Robinson, 338SQN

3WG Results:

Qantas Cup (Overall Winning Team, Powered and Gliding) – 3 Wing Aviation

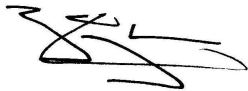
CM381522 LCDT Keelan "Robo" Robinson, 338SQN - Rawdon Middleton VC Airmanship Trophy

CM381500 CCPL James Spearpoint, 335SQN – DUX Gliding

I would ask that Squadron Commanding Officers please mention any above achievements obtained by cadets within your unit at the earliest administration parade or similar. It's important that acknowledgement of aviation achievements are not just limited to flying courses. Obviously local broadcasting of these accomplishments it will generate interest in flying training within your local ranks.

Thanks for your time and I'm sure you all join me in congratulating the above Cadets.

Cheers BGB



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