

VMO, VMF, VMA, VMFA-251 Squadron Commanders

Capt Elliot E. Bard 1 Dec 1941 - 11 Dec 1941	Maj Thomas B Wood 13 Jul 1954 - 21 Nov 1954	LtCol M. W. Allinder, Jr. 2 Apr 1977 - 12 Jul 1978
Maj John N. Hart 12 Dec 1941 - 29 Oct 1942	LtCol Robert J. Holm 22 Nov 1954 - 21 Sep 1955	LtCol F. J. Schober 12 Jul 1978 - 15 Jun 1979
LtCol Charles H. Hayes 30 Oct 1942 - 30 Nov 1942	Lt Col Joseph F. Quilty, Jr. 22 Sep 1955 - 21 Mar 1956	LtCol P.J. Jones 15 Jun 1979 - 5 Jun 1980
Capt Ralph Yeaman 1 Dec 1942 - 7 Dec 1942	LtCol Fred J. Frazer 22 Mar 1956 - 19 Oct 1956	LtCol D. A. Richwine 5 Jun 1980 - 30 Jun 1981
Maj William R. Campbell 8 Dec 1942 - 10 Dec 1942	LtCol Elmer P. Thompson, Jr. 20 Oct 1956 - 20 Apr 1957	LtCol N. G. Kerr 30 Jun 1981 - 12 Aug 1982
Maj Joseph N. Renner 11 Dec 1942 - 12 Mar 1943	Capt Paul S. French 21 Apr 1957 - 15 May 1957	LtCol G. L. Elsten 12 Aug 1982 - 27 Jan 1984
Capt Claude H. Welch 13 Mar 1943 - 21 May 1943	LtCol Harold G Schlindering 16 May 1957 - 5 Oct 1957	LtCol D. L. Doyle 27 Jan 1984 - 13 Dec 1985
Capt Michael R. Yunck 22 May 1943 - 3 Jun 1943	LtCol Wiley A. Green 6 Oct 1957 - 28 Apr 1958	LtCol Thomas L. Wilkerson 13 Dec 1985 - 3 Jul 1987
Maj Carl M. Longley 4 Jun 1943 - 31 Oct 1943	LtCol Thomas J. Saxon, Jr. 29 Apr 1958 - 3 Jun 1958	LtCol Robert A. Maddocks, Jr. 3 Jul 1987 - 2 Jun 1989
Capt Robert W. Teller 1 Nov 1943 - 4 Nov 1943	LtCol Albert L. Clark 24 Jun 1958 - 31 Dec 1960	LtCol Richard W. Walker 2 Jun 1989 - 17 May 1991
Maj William C. Humberd 5 Nov 1943 - 9 Feb 1945	LtCol Ernest E. Poor 1 Jan 1961 - 24 Sep 1962	LtCol Norman Schlaich 17 May 1991 - Aug 1994
Maj William Bacheler 10 Feb 1945 - 14 Apr 1945	Maj Darold D. Parrish 25 Sep 1962 - 2 Dec 1962	LtCol Robert E. Schmidle, Jr. Aug 1994 - 27 Jan 1995
Maj Thomas W. Furlow 16 Apr 1945 - 20 May 1945	LtCol Kenny C. Palmer 3 Dec 1962 - 6 Jan 1964	LtCol Colin D. Lampard 27 Jan 1995 - 26 Jul 1996
1stLt Glen Keithley 21 May 1945 - 1 Jun 1945	LtCol Robert D. Slay 7 Jan 1964 - 13 Nov 1964	LtCol Anthony W. Valentino 26 Jul 1996 - 12 Jun 1998
Maj Ralph G. McCormick 1 July 1946 - 30 Nov 1946	LtCol Arthur O. Schmagel 14 Nov 1964 - 1 Sep 1965	LtCol D. P. Yurovich 7/12/1998 - 5/18/2000
Maj William A. Carlton 1 Dec 1946 - 31 Dec 1950	Maj Darrel Bjorklund 2 Sep 1965 - 31 Jan 1966	Lt. Col. R. Damm 5/18/2000 - 6/6/2002
Maj Donald P. Troyer 1 Jan 1951 - 25 Feb 1951	LtCol Gordon H. Keller, Jr. 1 Feb 1966 - 18 Nov 1966	Lt. Col. T.S. Clark, III 6/6/2002 - 7/29/2004
Capt Earl C. Miles 1 Mar 1951 - 23 Apr 1951	Maj Lawrence R. Hawkins 19 Nov 1966 - 29 Feb 1968	Lt. Col. John M. Jansen 7/30/2004 - 7/3/2006

LtCol Gregory J. Weissenberger 24 Apr 1951 - 11 May 1951	Lt Col Edward C. Johnson 1 Mar 1968 - 18 Apr 1969	Lt. Col Michael Orr 7/3/2006 - 5/9/2008
LtCol Philip L. Crawford 12 May 1951 - 5 Dec 1951	LtCol R. O. Lawrence 19 Apr 1969 - 31 Aug 1970	Lt. Col. Peter Ponte 5/10/2008 - 8/6/2009
LtCol Joe L. Warren 6 Dec 1951 - 6 Jan 1952	LtCol R. Plant 1 Sep 1970 - 8 Mar 1971	Lt. Col. Michael J. Stokowski 8/7/2009 - 7/28/2011
LtCol Arthur M. Moran 7 Jan 1952 - 31 May 1952	Maj J. M. Mead 9 Mar 1971 - 31 Jul 1971	Lt. Col. Simon M. Doran 7/29/2011 - 5/2013
Maj Clarence H. Moore 1 Jun 1952 - 6 Nov 1952	LtCol R. P. Lee 31 Jul 1971 - 23 Jun 1972	Lt. Col. Joshua K. Riggs 5/2013 - 5/2015
LtCol Sumner H. Whitten 7 Nov 1952 - 14 Feb 1953	LtCol J. C. Byram, Jr. 24 Jun 1972 - 30 Apr 1973	Lt. Col. Nicholas Neimar 5/2014 - 12/2016
LtCol Harold A. Harwood 15 Feb 1953 - 15 Oct 1953	LtCol J.C. Service III 1 May 1973 - 11 Dec 1973	Lt. Col. Allen Szczepek, Jr. 12/2016 - 24 May 2018
LtCol Rufus D. Sams, Jr. 16 Oct 1953 - 9 Dec 1953	LtCol J. L. Mavretic 12 Dec 1973 - 31 Jan 1975	Lt. Col. Roy Nicka 25 May 2018 - 23 April 2020
LtCol Frank R. Porter, Jr. 10 Dec 1953 - 5 Jun 1954	LtCol G. E. Walsh 31 Jan 1975 - 31 Dec 1975	Squadron Deactivated
LtCol John D. Noble 6 Jun 1954 - 12 Jul 1954	LtCol J. B. Wuertz 1 Jan 1976 - 1 Apr 1977	