

# WOMEN IN THE AIR FORCE



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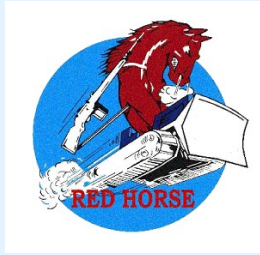
## Answer Key

This Scavenger hunt highlights the labor and contribution of women in the Air Force from the Cold War through present day. Use the names in the name bank to help you find each Person of Interest. The pictures and information provided will lead you to each Person of Interest. Hunt for the answer to each bonus question below each card, found near the same exhibit. **This is not a timed scavenger hunt. Read through each exhibit carefully.**

### PERSON OF INTEREST:

Susanne M. Waylett

She was the first woman in the Civil Engineering career field.



Who was the first woman to hold the top USAF Civil Engineer position?

### GROUP OF INTEREST:

Class 77-08

This was the first class of female pilots.



Who was the first woman to pilot the C-141 Starlifter and the first Air Force Reserve pilot?

### PERSON OF INTEREST:

Martha McSally



First woman to fly a fighter aircraft in combat.

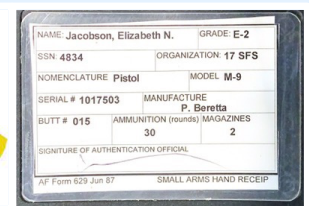


What was special about Airman Dobo's flight suit?

### PERSON OF INTEREST:

Elizabeth Jacobson

She was the first Air Force Security Forces member killed in conflict since the Vietnam.



On 9/11/2001, a female F-16 pilot prepared to ram her unarmed jet into a hijacked airliner to stop another attack. Who was she?

**PERSON OF INTEREST:**

Sheila M. Widnall

She was the first woman to serve as the highest ranking position of the Air Force.



Seal of the Secretary of the Air Force

Who was the first female Muslim chaplain in the entire Department of Defense?

**PERSON OF INTEREST:**

Jacqueline Cochran

She was the first woman to fly twice the speed of sound.



How many MPH past the F-104's Maximum Speed did this woman fly?

**PERSON OF INTEREST:**

Eileen Collins



She was the first woman pilot to command a Space Shuttle.



On what day did Pamela Melroy Write "A Letter Home" to her parents which detailed her deployment?

**PERSON OF INTEREST:**

Alice King Chatham

She designed the pressurized rubber masks for fighter pilots.



Who was involved in the development of guidance and navigation techniques as a mathematician at Wright-Patterson AFB?

**NAME BANK**

EILEEN COLLINS

ELIZABETH JACOBSON

CLASS 77-08

ALICE KING CHATHAM

SHEILA M. WIDNALL

MARTHA MCSALLY

JACQUELINE COCHRAN

SUSANNE M. OCOBOCK-WAYLETT

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You have finished this scavenger hunt. If you have any comments, questions, or concerns, contact the Education Division at [nationalmuseum.mut@us.af.mil](mailto:nationalmuseum.mut@us.af.mil).