

Biography



CW 4 Jeffrey Dillon

Pilot, Aviation Detachment

U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"

Personal Statistics

Hometown: Winston Salem, North Carolina

School Attended: North Davidson Senior High School

Biographical Sketch

CW4 Dillon is a fixed wing Army Aviator and serving on the Team as a pilot and the Aviation Safety Officer in the Golden Knights Aviation Detachment.

CW4 Dillon enlisted in the Army more than twenty-seven years ago. He attended basic training at Fort Jackson, SC. Initially he joined the Army as a Multichannel Communications Operator (31M) served as a Team Sergeant, and section Sergeant. He was enlisted for nine years and was accepted to attend Warrant Officer Flight Training at Fort Rucker, Alabama and has served as a Army Aviator ever since.



Currently Mr. Dillon flies the teams C31-A Friendship Fokker and the UVA-18 De Havilland Twin Otters. Throughout his career he has flown numerous air frames including the UH-1 Huey, UH60 Blackhawk, C-12 King Air 200, the UC35 Citation Ultra and Encore. Mr Dillon has logged more than 6500 flight hours and is tracked as a Standardization and Safety Officer and has served in both of these capacities during his career.

His duty assignments include Germany, Fort Riley, KS, Hawaii, Korea, Alaska, Fort Hood, TX, Fort Rucker, AL and Fort Bragg. His Deployments include Operation Desert Shield, Operation Desert Storm and Operation IRAQI Freedom.

His awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Air Assault Badge, Master Aviator Badge, Senior Parachutist Badge, Meritorious Service Medal, 6 Army Achievement Medals, 5 Army Commendation Medals, 2 National Defense Service Medals, 3 Good Conduct Medals, and numerous service ribbons and decorations.

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