

Biography

Staff Sergeant Jennifer Schaben
Competitor, Women's Competition Team
U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"



Personal Statistics

Hometown: Portsmouth, Iowa
School Attended: University of Iowa

Biographical Sketch

Staff Sergeant Jennifer Schaben is a 37F, Psychological Operations Specialist, serving as a Competition Parachutist with the Women's Competition Team.

As a junior in High School in 2003, Jennifer originally joined the Army as a Medic. She completed Basic Training at Ft Jackson, South Carolina and Advanced Individual Training schools at Ft Sam Houston, Texas. Later she re classed as a Psyop Specialist after her training at Ft Hunter Liggett, California. Schaben has been assigned to the 530th Military Police Battalion at Omaha Nebraska, the 10th Psyops Battalion at St Louis, Missouri and the Civil Affairs Psyops Command at Ft Bragg, North Carolina.



With over 2,300 jumps to her credit having started in April of 2007, Schaben chose to attend the Golden Knight Assessment and Selection Program in 2008. This program is used by the Knights to assess skydivers' skills and evaluate their team working abilities.

Schaben's service has led her to visit the countries of Iraq and Kuwait. She has also completed a BA in International Studies from the University of Iowa.

Recently she has participated in the Women's Verticle Free Fly World Record, earned a Gold Medal at the Millitary World Championships in Resende, Brazil, and has been selected to represent the U.S. Women's Team in 2012 at Dubai, UAE.

In her free time Jennifer enjoys climbing, crossfit and traveling.

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