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Sedalia Glider Base

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Establishment

- 1942
- Waco CG-4A



Why Sedalia?

- Considered Several Sites
- Needed a lot of flat area
- Railroads



Original Construction

- 300 Buildings
- 4 Runways
- 5 25,000 Gallon Tanks



Name Change

- Whiteman Air Force Base
- 3 December 1955
- Named to Honor 2nd Lieutenant George A. Whiteman



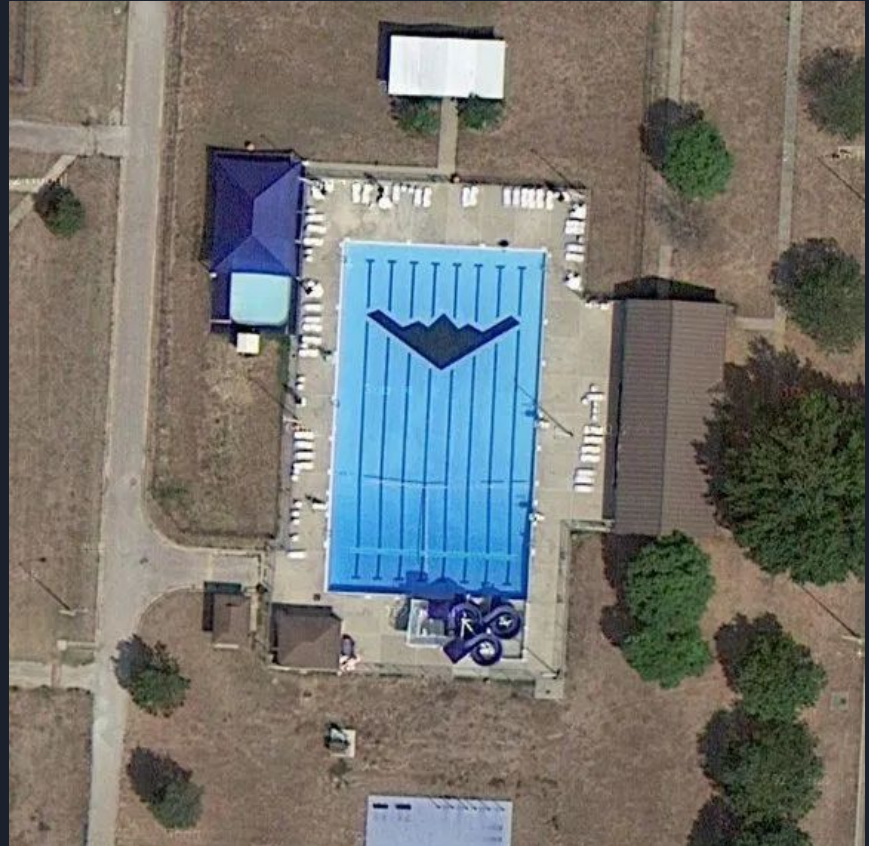
George Allison Whiteman

- Sedalia Native
- Died In The Attack On Pearl Harbor



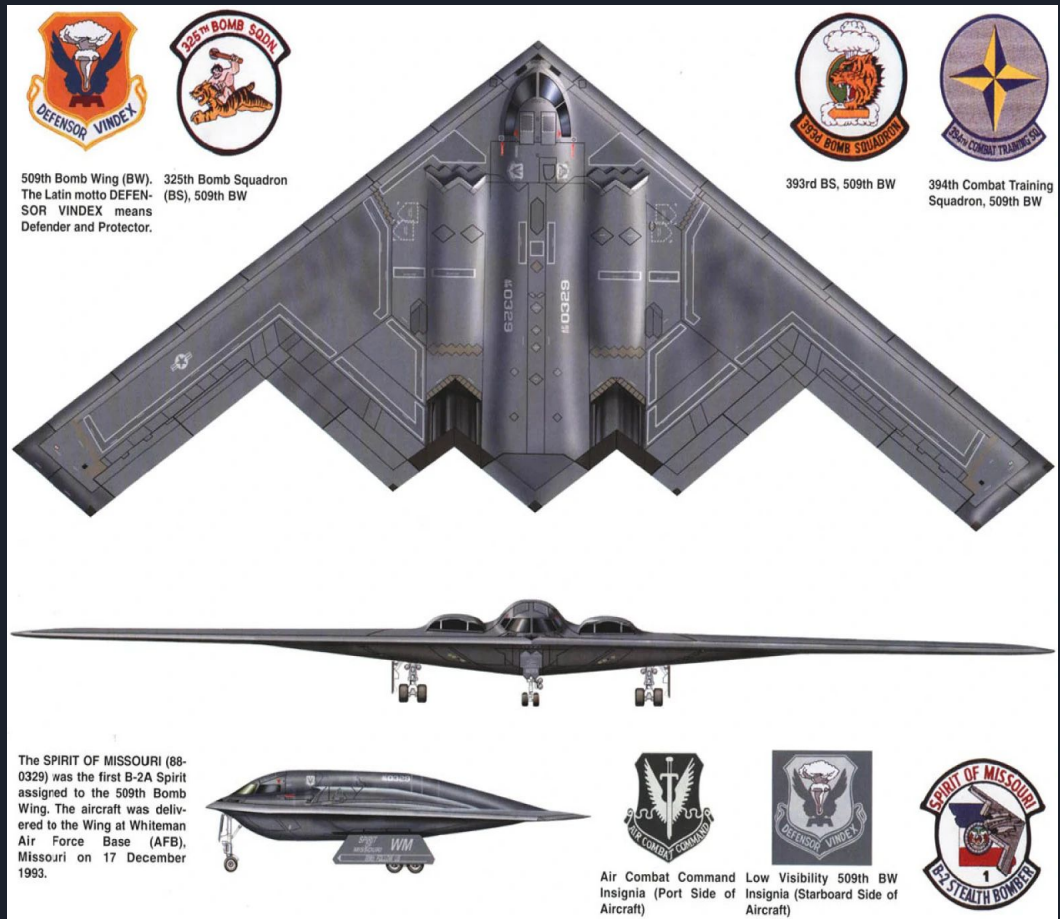
Expansion

- Housing and Recreations
- Missile Silos



B-2 Spirit

- Can bomb attack anywhere, anytime.
- Weapon advancement



Whiteman and The Community

- Wings Over Whiteman
- Honor Guard
- Flyovers
- Tours



Base Ariel View 1955



