



**U.S. AIR FORCE**  
**F-15 West Demonstration Team**  
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## ***PRESS RELEASE***

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### **DEMO TEAM AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW**

The United States Air Force F-15 West Coast Demonstration Team will be at the 173<sup>rd</sup> Fighter Wing's Open House and available for interview.

The F-15 West Coast Demonstration Team is one of the seven single-ship demonstration teams assigned to Air Combat Command (ACC). The team is located at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., and is comprised of a demonstration pilot, a maintenance crew, ground safety observers and narrators. Capt. Tony "Baron" Bierenkoven is the team leader and demonstration pilot.

The F-15 demonstration team highlights the superior performance capabilities of the aircraft. The combination of high- and low-speed maneuvering, rapid rolls, and maximum performance climbs and descents vividly illustrate the F-15 Eagle's capabilities.

At the conclusion of the F-15 Demonstration, Capt Bierenkoven will be joined by Mr. Steve Hinton in his F-86 Saber Jet for the Air Combat Command **Heritage Flight**. This demonstration highlights the heritage of our current fighter jets by showcasing them flying in close formation with a classic fighter aircraft.

More detailed information and pictures of the F-15 West Demonstration Team are at:

<http://www.heritageflight.org/ACCmedia/>

To schedule an interview with the demonstration pilot or other members of this performance team, contact Kingsley Field Public Affairs office at 541-885-6198 or F-15 West Public Affairs Coordinator, Lt Col Greg Anders at [greg@heritageflight.org](mailto:greg@heritageflight.org) or 360-961-5507 (normal business hours, Pacific Standard Time).



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