

Biography



Sergeant First Class Jeffrey E. Schafer
Team Leader, Black Demonstration Team
U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"

Personal Statistics

Hometown: Ackley, Iowa

School Attended: Embry Riddle University, North Central University

Biographical Sketch

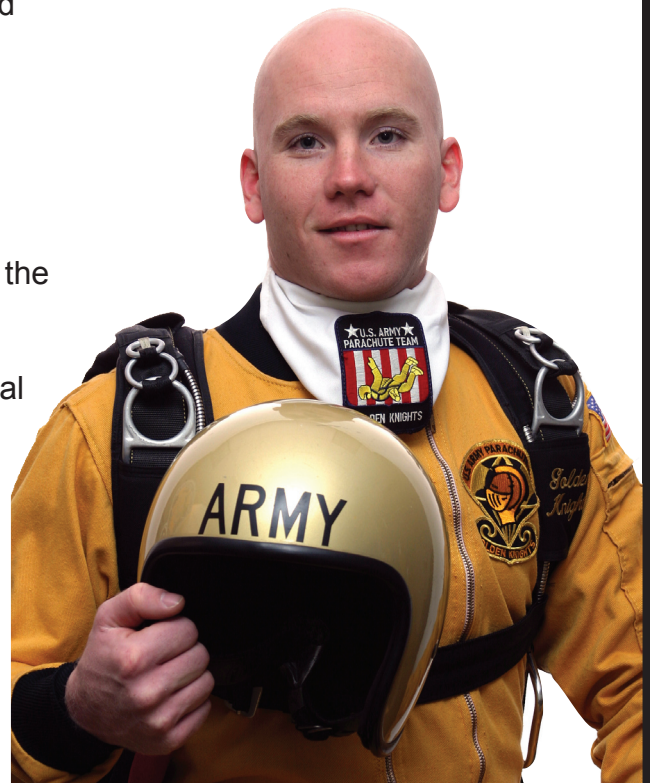
SFC Jeffrey Schafer is a Blackhawk helicopter crew chief serving as the Team Leader on the Black Demonstration Team. This is his eighth year on the team.

He enlisted into the Army in June 1994 and following his initial entry training he was assigned to aviation detachments in Germany.

In October 2000, Schafer was assigned to the "Golden Knights" Aviation Detachment, then in 2003 attended the rigorous Assessment and Selection Program. Upon completion of the program, Schafer was knighted and assigned to the Demonstration Team.

As a Golden Knight, Schafer has performed aerial demonstrations throughout the U.S., completing more than 3,200 free fall parachute jumps.

In addition to skydiving, he also enjoys fishing, RC flying and riding motorcycles.



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