

NASA



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00:00:01,120 --> 00:00:02,500
Sixty years ago this fall

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00:00:02,500 --> 00:00:05,440
engineers pilots and support staff

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00:00:05,440 --> 00:00:07,980
of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics

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00:00:08,080 --> 00:00:11,219
helped launch a new era in aviation by

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00:00:11,219 --> 00:00:13,640
establishing the Flight Test Unit

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00:00:13,640 --> 00:00:15,600
at Muroc Army Air Force Base

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00:00:15,600 --> 00:00:17,800
in the high desert of California.

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00:00:18,180 --> 00:00:20,600
Since then, the facility known today

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00:00:20,600 --> 00:00:22,720
as the Dryden Flight Research Center

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00:00:22,960 --> 00:00:25,140
has been host to many historic advances

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00:00:25,140 --> 00:00:27,340
in flight technology and safety.

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00:00:28,020 --> 00:00:29,920
From supersonics to the Space Shuttle

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00:00:29,920 --> 00:00:32,400

Dryden continues to be one of the World's

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00:00:32,400 --> 00:00:34,740

premier flight research centers