

# VAW - 111

The Carrier Airborne Early Warning Squadron One-hundred Eleven, Detachment Three (VAW-111 DET 3) has several missions aboard the Ticonderoga while on deployment. VAW-111 provides airborne early warning services to fleet forces, surface and sub-surface surveillance, co-ordination and communication relay of tactical information.

The twenty officers and seventy enlisted men of detachment three fly and maintain the Grunman-built E-1B Tracer, nick-named "Willy Fudd". The most distinguishing characteristic of the "Fudd" is the eighteen foot long antenna enclosed in the saucer-shaped dome.

The airborne crew consists of a plane commander, co-pilot, NFO controller and an enlisted avionics technician that doubles as an inflight maintenance trouble-shooter and radar search operator.

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