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**Press Release:**

Schedule Set for the Inaugural Run of the Lone Star Honor Flight

**Montgomery Texas:** Plans have been finalized for the first-ever South East Texas version of Honor Flight. Honor Flight is a non-profit organization created solely to honor America's veterans for all their sacrifices. Through this organization, the idea of creating a Lone Star Honor Flight was generated by Montgomery Junior High School teacher, Brenda Beaven, with the goal of sending every WWII Veteran in the greater Montgomery County area to Washington D.C. to tour their WWII Memorial. Through the efforts of many volunteers along with donations and fundraisers held throughout MISD and Montgomery County, coupled with the work of teachers, staff, and students from Montgomery JHS, the idea has become a reality. On May 31, 2008, a total of 99 WWII Veterans will leave Bush Airport on Flight #1519, a chartered Continental Airlines jet, for Washington DC.

**Itinerary for May 31, 2008:**

- 4:30 a.m. Arrive at the Target parking lot in Conroe, Texas to load chartered buses.  
Continental breakfast provided by Congressman Kevin Brady
  
- 5:00 a.m. Depart Target for Bush (IAH)
  
- 7:00 a.m. Flight #1519 Departs from Terminal E, IAH
  
- 11:00 a.m. Arrive in Washington DC (Dulles International Airport)
  
- 11:45 a.m. Travel by chartered buses to WWII Memorial (boxed lunch provided)
  
- 12:30 p.m. Arrive at WWII Memorial. Wreath provided by Congressman Kevin Brady to be placed at the Texas Pillar of the WWII monument.
  
- 2:45 p.m. Tour other Memorials (including Korean and Vietnam)
  
- 3:45 p.m. Depart for Arlington National Cemetery
  
- 4:15 p.m. Arrive at Arlington National Cemetery
  
- 5:30 p.m. Depart for Dulles International Airport
  
- 6:30 p.m. Arrive at Dulles
  
- 8:30 p.m. Lone Star Honor Flight returns to Houston (IAH). Dinner on board provided by Continental Airlines.
  
- 10:30 p.m. Arrival of Lone Star Honor Flight to IAH, Terminal E
  
- 11:30 p.m. Arrive back at the Target parking lot in Conroe, Texas

Mission Accomplished

Additional information about Lone Star Honor Flight can be found at [www.misd.org](http://www.misd.org)