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Honor Flight of the Cape Fear Area Announces 2024 Flight HFCFA's third mission will fly Saturday, April 20, 2024

WILMINGTON, North Carolina – August 23, 2023 - Honor Flight of the Cape Fear Area (HFCFA) is pleased to announce that its third mission to Washington, DC will take place on Saturday, April 20, 2024.

A hub of the national Honor Flight Network, HFCFA was established in 2020 with the sole mission of flying Veterans of the World War II, Korean War, and Vietnam War-eras to Washington, DC free-of-charge for a day of honor and remembrance.

The 2024 flight is already nearing capacity due to the waitlist generated last year. However, all eligible Veterans are welcome to apply [on the HFCFA website](#). Priority will be given to WWII and Korean War-era Veterans, as well as Veterans with life-limiting illnesses that served at any time. Applicants who are not selected for the 2024 flight will be placed on a waiting list for the next flight. Specific criteria for Veterans and the guardians that serve as escorts for the day can be found on the website.

Each spring, 75 Veterans and 75 guardians, along with a medical team, and administrative staff travel to the nation's capital from the Wilmington International Airport (ILM) on a chartered aircraft for a day honoring the sacrifices made by our service men and women.

A local 501(c)3, HFCFA depends on the generosity of the local community to support this once in a lifetime experience for our Veterans. Sponsorships and individual donations are accepted on the website or by check. The community will be invited to welcome home the Veterans ILM on the evening of Saturday, April 20, 2024.

More information about HFCFA and a video of the inaugural flight are available at HonorFlightCFA.org.

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