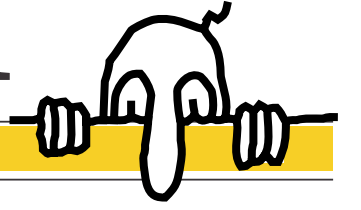


# SPECIAL EDITION - WELCOME HOME!

TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014

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# The Courier



Findlay, Ohio

## One more tour... With Honor!

### Local veterans and their guardians to visit memorials and monuments

Veterans from Findlay and northwest Ohio are traveling to Washington, D.C., today with Flag City Honor Flight. The day started for most veterans and their guardians by meeting at the Findlay Masonic Lodge for transport to Grand Aire in Toledo, Ohio. They were led to Toledo by the Patriot Guard where they received breakfast.

Honor Flight is a nonprofit organization with chapters across the country. Veterans are flown free of charge for a one-day visit to see the World War II Memorial, Korean War Memorial, Vietnam Memorial, Arlington National Cemetery and other landmarks. The flight left Grand Aire at Toledo Express Airport this morning at 8:00 a.m.

The day concludes with a welcome home ceremony at the Toledo airport where hundreds of friends and family will be there to welcome them home.

This marks the fourth full Honor Flight organized by Flag City Honor Flight enabling hundreds of veterans to visit the memorials in their honor in Washington D.C.



Local veterans visit the World War II memorial as part of their annual visit to Washington D.C.



Local Hancock County vet, Walter Metcalfe, plays Amazing Grace at WWII memorial as part of Flag City Honor Flight 2014.



Alexis Santafe from Inverness, FL asks for an autograph from local vet Vera Siebanoller.

Photos courtesy of Anne Spence, The Community Foundation and Will Miller



Active military on hand to assist and show respect for our veterans.