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## MEDIA RELEASE – Pelican School Families Raise Money to Send Vietnam Vet on Honor Flight

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The Veterans Day presentation at Pelican Elementary School was an emotional day for many students and staff. Everyone seems to have someone that they know and love that has dedicated their lives to making life in America a life of freedom – Freedom of speech, freedom of religion, and freedom to be the best that they can be. People don't always remember how important veterans are in their lives.
This past Monday, November 12, was a day that Pelican School was able to not only remember veterans but also give a very special Veteran a gift he will always remember.  He was presented with a seat on one of the 2019 Honor Flights to Washington D.C. Pelican staff and students raised the money through donations and a popcorn sale. The Pelican family thanks veterans for all they do, and they will continue to do what they can to recognize veterans throughout the year.
<u>Photo attached</u> : Pelican School staff and students raised money through popcorn sales and donations. Teacher Shawn Belanger presents her father, Vietnam Veteran Phillip Herbig, with a ticket for the 2019 Honor Flight.
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