



Bob Green welcomes the veterans to race day.

Lone Star Honor Flight Group Veterans At CVAR TWS

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Shortly before Saturday lunch time at Texas World Speedway the CVAR race group was visited by the Lone Star Honor Flight Group from Montgomery, Texas. Following the chartered bus were several cars filled with

Lone Star Honor Flight was organized four years ago and was responsible for transporting 515 World War II Veterans from the Montgomery County area to Washington D.C. to see firsthand the World War II Memorial which was built and opened to the public in 2004. Following their trips the veterans were invited to attend weekly meetings on Wednesday mornings at Storage 105, Inc. The meetings have occurred every week for almost two years with generally 100 people in attendance every week. The group consumes 15 gallons of coffee and 100 doughnuts every week. Periodically the group takes bus trips like this one to various points of interest in the area.

David Hopkins was a real hit with the veterans as he was able to fit a couple dozen veterans into the Pace Car during the afternoon for what they claimed was a very fast and exciting ride. They all talked of what a good driver he was and how they went so fast it felt like they were going to roll over.

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additional veterans and veteran supporters. The total group count was 80 most of which were veterans of World War II.



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It was mentioned that this was probably the first time that CVAR’s spectators were older than its drivers and cars.

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