

Golf tournament and other fundraisers

PICKENS — Pickens County Sheriff's Office, along with local American Legion Units, are sponsoring a golf tournament on Armed Forces day, Saturday, May 16 at Table Rock Resort to raise funds to send its World War II veterans to Washington D.C. on Honor Flight at no

cost to the veteran.

Being touched by the fact that the World War II Monument was just opened in 2004 and, according to statistics, our WWII veterans are dying at the rate of over 1,500 per day across the United States, the golf tournament is dedicated to rais-

ing money to send local veterans to visit the Memorial while they are still able to do so.

Anyone interested in participating in the tournament or in sponsoring a hole in memory of or in honor of a veteran or active service member, please contact the

Sheriff's Office at (864) 898-5529.

Deputies and members of the American Legion are also selling, "I Supported Honor Flight" buttons for any donation amount. Sheriff Stone said, "This is a community project which needs all of the community to support efforts

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planned for Honor Flight

to let these WWII veterans know how much we appreciate their sacrifice and service so many years ago.

They literally saved the world. This is a small way to thank them for what they did for our country."

An auction is planned for Saturday, July 25 with

all proceeds going to Honor Flight.

Anyone that would like to donate items for auction may do so by calling the Sheriff's Office.

Donations can be made payable to: Honor Flight, 216 LEC Road, Pickens, SC 29671.