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PILOTS FOR PATIENTS TO CELEBRATE 1,000TH FLIGHT AT CHENNAULT AVIATION AND MILITARY MUSEUM

The staff of the Chennault Aviation and Military Museum will host a celebration in honor of Pilots for Patients for its 1,000th flight mission on Wednesday, July 27 at 11 a.m. at the museum. Mayor Jamie Mayo, Sen. Mike Walsworth and Miss Louisiana Hope Anderson will be in attendance.

Pilots for Patients provides free air transportation for patients who need treatment at medical facilities that are not locally available. Their goal is to eliminate the burden of travel in order to improve patient's medical conditions. The organization now has 105 volunteer pilots since their inaugural flight in January of 2008.

For more information about the Chennault Aviation and Military Museum, visit <u>www.sos.louisiana.gov/camm</u> or call 318.362.5540.

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