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After 6 decades, Navy veteran will receive RHS diploma

RICHMOND, November 7, 2018 – Sixty-eight years after leaving Richmond High School to join the United States Navy, Bill Grimes will receive his diploma during the Richmond High School Veterans Day assembly this Friday.

William Grimes Jr. left Richmond High School during his junior year to serve his country in the Korean War. He was an aircraft mechanic. He later retired from Alcoa after 40 years of service.

Under Indiana law, honorably discharged veterans of World War II, Korea, or Vietnam can obtain their high school diplomas if they enlisted or were drafted before they could do so. Twenty members of the Grimes family are expected to see him receive his diploma.

The Veterans Day assembly is free and open to the public. Please join us at Richmond High School's Tiernan Center, 380 Hub Etchison Parkway, on Friday, November 9, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

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