

Our Mission...We will honor the sacrifices endured by our fallen soldiers and their families.

# We will persevere.....



## The Franklin BPA Creed

I will become a man of....

- Responsibility
  - Respect
  - Honor
  - Integrity
  - Perseverance
  - Good Judgment
  - Good Sportsmanship
- ....I will become this man.



## Regarding the Funds.....

- Franklin Boys Preparatory Academy is part of a governmental unit and is not subject to federal income tax. Any charitable contributions to this project are tax-deductible under section **170(c)(1)** of the Internal Revenue Code.
- All funds contributed are specifically earmarked for construction of the monument and improvement of the surrounding grounds.
- Additional funds contributed above the cost of construction will be contributed to Tampa Area Marine Parents Assoc., Inc. and American Gold Star Mothers, Inc. Tampa Bay.

## Regarding Our Progress.....

- We need to raise approximately **\$40,000**. As of April 25, 2014 we have raised \$5,325.
- Our network of supporters grows daily. With their help and the hard work of the students at Franklin BPA, we are confident our goal will be met.

## Regarding the Fundraising.....

- BPA students are regularly meeting and discussing new fundraising opportunities.
- We have scheduled a carwash fundraiser for late May that we believe will bring in nearly \$1000.
- We are also in the very early stages of planning a dinner to honor Gold Star Families in the month of September.
- Students are reaching out daily to community members interested in helping out.

## Regarding the Future.....

- The initial efforts to get the project moving were put forth by five 8<sup>th</sup> grade students: Adam Wallace, Bryce Solomon, Justin Solomon, Kwabena Casimir, and David Carnathan.
- Since then it has become a school-wide initiative with many boys contributing to the project.
- Students are currently being selected to take over the leadership roles in the fall.

## Regarding our availability to present to you.....

- We are flexible and will work around your schedule
- We would only need a few minutes of your time to express our passion for this project and how you can help make it happen