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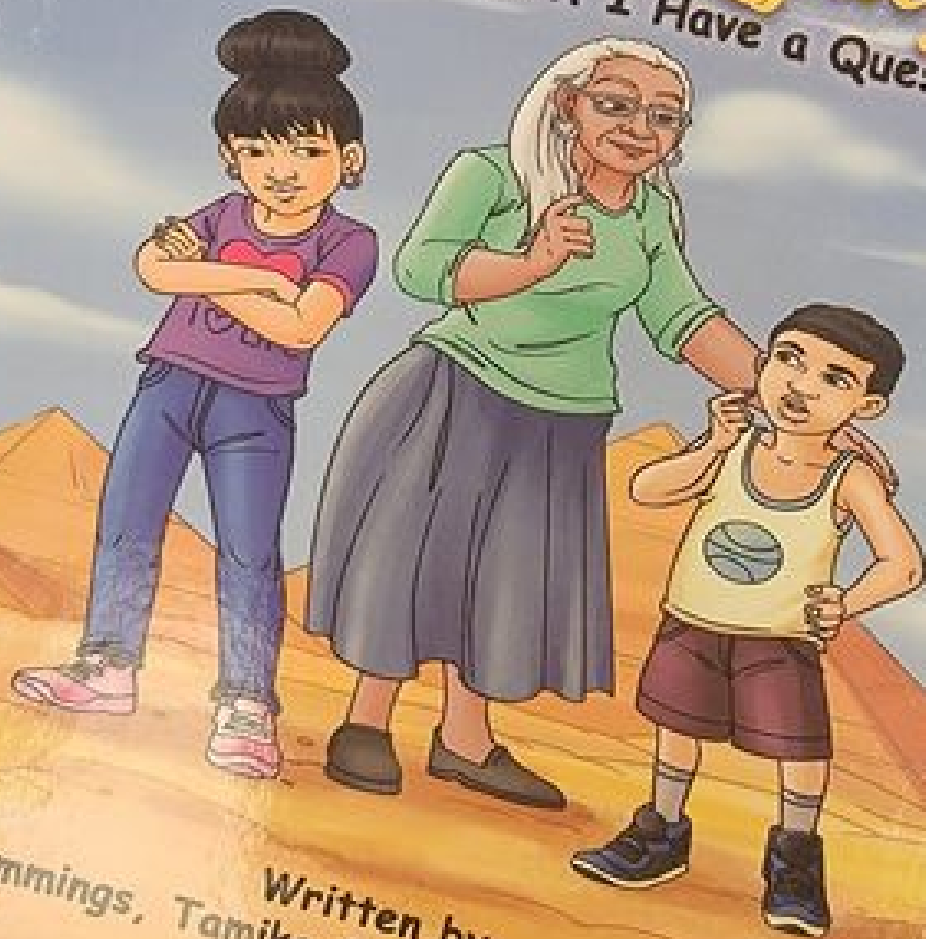
**Women of Boys Empowerment Program:
Tamika Johnson**



You Can't Suppress a
Conscious Mind

Estella's Legacy

Grandma Estella... I Have a Question



Written by
Sharon Cummings, Tamika Jones, and Charmaine Russell

Congratulations to one of our very own mom's, Tamika Johnson, who published a children's book entitled, *Estella's Legacy*. "Estella's Legacy shares our family history while sharing our family's legacy," stated Ms. Johnson. Tamika also spoke with the Connect to Greatness moms about why they too should teach their children about their family history. Tamika is a published author and her latest children's book can be found at Barnes and Nobles and on Amazon. Thank you Tamika for sharing your story! We are so proud of you!

Let's Talk About Sex with Michael James



Thank you to Mr. Michael James who has been working with the boys and mothers over a series of sessions geared to open up a safe space for dialogue about sex between adults and students and student to student. Mr. James has been sharing how we can effectively communicate with our boys to navigate difficult conversations regarding sex while encouraging open communication to allow our boys to express their needs and concerns. Most importantly, Mr. James provided our mothers and boys with daily words of affirmation to promote self-worth and well-being. Thank you Mr. Michael James for all that you do for our boys and mothers to help them to be GREAT!

Our Boys to Men Leadership Academy Pledge: Copyrighted!

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Connecting Future Leaders

I am great

I will give and receive respect
from those I encounter

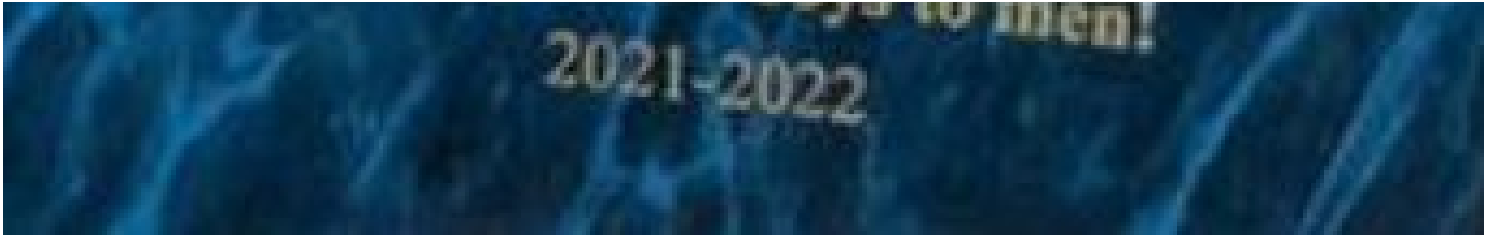
I will use my talents to become successful

I will work hard to achieve my dreams

I will strive to be the best that I can be

If I fail I will try and try again

As we go from boys to men



After every weekly session, our boys recite the Boys to Men Leadership Pledge committing to be great as they make the journey from boys to men. The pledge, written by our very own Cartier Scott (Coach Scott), continues to be the promise we recommit to weekly as an organization. We are proud to announce that we now have copyrights to our pledge!

Connect to Greatness® Spring Break Fun





The boys of Connect to Greatness® and their coaches defied gravity by having a fun filled day at DEFY Extreme Air Sports Trampoline Park during Spring Break. It was a great opportunity for the boys and coaches to connect for a much needed afternoon of fun-filled thrills and excitement.

The Community Foundation: Scholarships are now available!



The Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties will begin accepting applications for its annual scholarship program on Wednesday, April 26th. More than \$1.3 million is available for promising high school students who plan to enroll in college in 2023 and the average award for each scholarship winner is expected to be \$10,000 this year. The Community Foundation is prioritizing applicants from Western Palm Beach County this year. All students residing in Palm Beach and Martin Counties are eligible. Students can apply via the Community Foundation's general scholarship application. Go to <https://yourcommunityfoundation.org/about-scholarships/> for details.

The Inaugural Spades Scholarship Fundraiser!

C2G's 1st Annual Spades Fundraising Tournament



Music by DJ Thadd

Join us for our 1st Annual Spades Scholarship Fundraiser Tournament to benefit our 2024 Scholarship Fund. This fun event will bring our community together on Saturday May 6th at the Carolyn Sims Center At 6PM for a great evening of food, fun, and of course CARDS! For more information, please contact Andre Thaddies at 561.503.8455.

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