



Operation Double Eagle will restore the historic, but now neglected, Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial Golf Course, combining job skill training with vocational rehabilitation exclusively for wounded, ill and injured veterans.

Founded and funded by The Warrior Alliance – a Georgia based 501(c)3 - Operation Double Eagle offers veterans the opportunity to apply their military skills to new private sector careers, educating them in the many facets of construction, engineering, landscaping, maintenance and management. Veterans will transform the iconic 1926 Donald Ross designed course from its current rundown condition to the masterpiece it was intended to be.

In partnership with the Technical College System of GA and the GA Vocational Rehabilitation Agency, veterans employed by Operation Double Eagle will have access to benefits for Georgia's most established technical training and vocational rehabilitation programs. Upon completion, they may choose to work at the new Warm Springs Golf Club or secure cross-industry career opportunities that will enable successful integration back into civilian life.

“Every man has a right to life. That means that he also has a right to make a comfortable living.”

– Franklin D. Roosevelt



Operation Double Eagle is the first of its kind program, offering a unique solution for our nations veteran employment problem.

63%

of veterans reported income \$20k or less

30%

of veterans from the most recent wars are unemployed

40%

of the nations homeless population are veterans

61%

of veterans have physical disabilities

107,000

More than 107,000 veterans of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom diagnosed with PTSD.

19

Veterans of the most recent wars have an average suicide rate of 19 per day, with an average 58 attempts per day

**VETERANS
NEED OUR
SUPPORT**

Additional Partners

- Troy Vincent, Vincent Designs, and former Design Associate for Jack Nicklaus
- Landscapes Unlimited, world's largest golf course construction company
- GA Veteran Employment "VECTR" Center
- State of Georgia Operation Workforce
- University of Georgia Turf Team
- Georgia Golf Course Superintendents Association

Additional Support for the program:

- Governor Deal signed a 10-year resolution to lease the Roosevelt Golf Course to The Warrior Alliance
- Advocated by the Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency, which is committed to securing federally matched funding
- Approved by the Warm Springs Board of Directors
- Endorsed by the Donald Ross Society



"The Warrior Alliance has created an innovative solution for addressing our nation's veteran unemployment crisis. By incorporating vocational rehabilitation as a key element for re-tooling veterans for private sector careers, the chances for successful reintegration are substantially increased."

- US SENATOR (GA) JOHNNY ISAKSON

"Two initiatives joined together to solve a problem - restoration of a historical golf course utilizing skilled military veterans. The 1926 Donald Ross vision and the Franklin D. Roosevelt mission to provide opportunities for people with disabilities are alive again in Warm Springs, GA."

-MICHAEL MILLER, PRESIDENT,
DONALD ROSS SOCIETY

"Operation Double Eagle enables veterans to heal from their military wounds while acquiring new job skills in one of the best environments for decompressing - a landmark golf course. Anyone with a passion for golf and our nation's heroes should invest in Operation Double Eagle."

- RETIRED 4-STAR GENERAL
(ARMY) LARRY ELLIS