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Nov. 1st EXEC MEETING – JOHN'S HOUSE

Nov. 20th
REGULAR MEETING
CEDARETTE BIRTHDAY DINNER @ 6:00 PM
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

DEC. 6th
EXEC MEETING – JOHN'S HOUSE

DEC. 19th
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
3:00 PM

ALL MEETINGS - 7:30 pm

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PROCLAMATION

By virtue of the power and authority in me vested by the Supreme Forest, Tall Cedars of Lebanon of North America, I hereby call a meeting of Montgomery Forest No. 134 to be held at the Rockville Masonic Temple, 612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, MD 20850, for the purpose of transacting such business as may come before the Forest on:

Saturday

Sunday

Attest:

Norman L. Clark, PGTC

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Nov. 20, 2004-Rockville Masonic Temple Dec. 19., 2004-Rockville Masonic Temple

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Consists of all Elected Officers, Past G.T.C.'s, Past Scribes, Past Treasurers, Past
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Be not slow to visit the sick, for that shall make thee beloved

PP Ann Atwood passed away on October 26. She had been in the Shady Grove Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. PGTC Nate has left Shady Grove Nursing and Rehabilitation Center and will live with his Son Jim Potter @ 8122 Lockney Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20903. Phone number is 301-434-2353.

PGTC,PSD Robert Thomson has been diagnosed with Lymphoma. He has started his 2nd chemotherapy treatment and is in good spirits. According to Mary, he needs prayers and cards. He has requested that visits not be made at this time.

I saw Brother Tom Rutherford at Silver Spring Lodge recently and he informed me his Father had passed away. I expressed our condolences.

2004

Nov. 20 6:00

Regular Meeting –
Elections – Dinner
Cedarette Birthday Party
End of the Year Celebration
(TC of the Year Award)

Dec. 19 3:00 PM

Installation of Officers for 2005

DISTRICT No. 20 Forest Meetings

PRINCE GEORGES FOREST NO. 139 10800 Edmondston Road, Beltsville, Md. Grand Tall Cedar: Donny Smith 1st Saturday 7:30 P.M.

CAPITOL FOREST NO. 104
10610 Old Fort Rd., Fort Washington, MD
Grand Tall Cedar: Ralph Connolly

2nd Saturday 7:30 P.M.

MONTGOMERY FOREST NO. 134 612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, Md. Grand Tall Cedar: Warren Baker., PGTC 3rd Saturday 7:30 P.M.

TEMPLE FOREST NO. 136 Geo. Washington MNM, Alexandria, Va. Grand Tall Cedar: Bill Turner 4th Friday 8:00 P.M.

GRAND TALL CEDAR'S MESSAGE

Brother Cedars,

Throughout a person's life, there are some occasions that seem to stand out above others. This is one of those moments for me.

I feel very humbled by your support. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve as your Grand Tall Cedar for 2004. Thank you to each and everyone of you.

I would like to give a very special thank you to Linda Gevinson, President of the Cedarettes for all her help and support (meals) this past year and for all the Cedarettes' support. I believe we had a Fun - Frolic - Fellowship year. I hope you all had some fun, I know I did, and lot forward to supporting the Forest anyway I can this coming year.

Mark your calendar for Saturday – November 20, TC of the Year night, Regular Meeting and Election for Officers of 2005. That's right, you read it correctly Tall Cedar of the Year Appreciation night. I think I can make something of it. It will be live and on stage.

Please mark your calendar for Installation of Officers for 2005 on December 19th, 2005 - <u>Sunday at 3:00 pm.</u> **Yes, Sunday**.

Cedarly,

Warren Baker GTC

The Scribe's Corner



The following Officers have been nominated for 2005:

Grand Tall Cedar: Sol Zeidman Senior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar: Martin Lasker Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar:

Warren Baker PGTC,
Marshall Gevinson PGTC,
Duncan Jerman, PGTC;
Scribe: Norm Clark, PGTC
Treasurer, John Huff PGTC

Trustees: Cloyd Bittner and

Roy Trimmer PTrustee (one year).

Any member desiring to run for the bottom of the line or any other position, please contact me at cedarmen@verizon.net. The e-mail address stated in the last Echo was incorrect.

Reminder that Convention will be held in Nashville, TN Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center, 1-5 June 2005. For those Members not able to attend the Forest meetings and desire more information about convention, please contact me by e-mail or phone.

Tall Cedars and Cedarettes, please Join Brother Solomon Zeidman at installation on Sunday 19 June at 3 PM. This will be the Forest first installation held on Sunday afternoon and hopefully you will be able to attend.

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Cynthia Tice
President Elect
Montgomery Cedarettes

2004 BOOSTERS

Helen Atkinson, PP #136 Samuel Atkinson, PGTC #136, PSTC Warren Baker, PGTC #136 (3), GTC John W. Blalock, Jr. Lorraine Blalock Winston Blalock, PGTC Frederick Butler Kenneth Collins Jeanne Dickinson, PP #104 Lemovne Dickinson, PGTC #104, PSTC Joe Edwards, PGTC #139, DDSTC #20

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Beverly Burns Robert Burns Richard Crawford Elizabeth Ferguson Richard Goering

365 Club

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PRESIDENTS' LUNCHEON CEDARETTE PRESIDENTS OF DISTRICT 20

NOVEMBER 20, 2004

PHILLIPS FLAGSHIP RESTAURANT Hosted by the Prince Georges Cedarettes

DOORS OPEN: 11:30 a.m. CASH BAR

BUFFET OPEN: 12:00 p.m.

PRICE \$22.00 (includes tax, gratuity, tea & coffee

The luncheon is open to all Cedarettes and their spouse or significant other. Come out and participate in good food and enjoyment to honor the Cedarette Presidents of District 20 for the year 2004.

365 Club and BOOSTERS

Judy Alexander Robert Alexander, PTreas Cloyd Bittner, Trustee Paul Carruthers, PGTC Janet Clark, PP

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PDDSTC #20 and #23, PSD #8

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Solomon Zeidman, PGTC #139,

SDGTC #134

The Tall Cedar Foundation is again selling, through the Foundation Trustees, the Tall Cedar Bears - this one is pink. It has the Tall Cedar logo and the number 25 on its stomach. The number 25 between two roses is to signify the Cedars have been selling roses for 25 years and the year 2004 is on one foot. They still cost only \$10.00 and \$5.00 goes to the Foundation. If you are interested in purchasing one, contact Marshall Gevinson at 301-871-1653.



MONTGOMERY CEDARETTES CHARTERED NOVEMBER 2, 1978 ELECTED OFFICERS FOR 2003

Linda Gevinson, PP, President VP Sue Merritt. 2nd VP

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Janet Clark, PP Mirtha Stadler, PP Diane Huff, PP
Trustees

Hello I guess the old saying is true, "Time flies when you are having fun". Because I can't believe this year is almost over. I have been lucky to have Warren Baker as my Grand Tall. He has been a wonderful partner to work with and a great friend.

The members have been supportive and have helped accomplish our financial and Muscular Dystrophy. goals, while having Fun, Frolic and Fellowship. Our October meeting was great fun. It was our Halloween meeting with many of us dressing in costume. Prince George's Ann Edwards and Nancy Smith and our own Maria Lenahan and Diane Huff won prizes for Best Costumes.

Prizes were also given to our guests under 15 years of age; who were in costume. Congrats to Samantha and Rachael Stadler and Sydnee Myers.

After our meeting we had a Tasting Party by Karen and Cynthia from Tastefully Simple. Everyone had a great time and *Warren* ate the MOST. No prizes awarded.

November's Exec-Meeting is at Yvonne's house 7:30 on Nov. 1st. It is important to attend Exec Board Meetings, as this is where our business is discussed.

Thanks Yvonne!

Our November meeting will be Elections, Montgomery Cedarette's 26th Birthday Celebration, Past President Night and our End of Year Celebration

We will begin with a Dinner at 6:00 pm. The menu is Bar-B-Q Chicken and Ribs, Baked Potato, Salad and Vegetables and after our meeting we will have Birthday Cake and a few surprises.

I hope to see everyone on Nov. 20th for Food, Fun, Frolic and Fellowship.

Cedarettely,

Linda.

President

MDA Christmas Party Saturday, December 11th Birmingham Masonic Lodge Beltsville, MD

The Tall Cedars are responsible for providing cookies and punch for all the children and guests.

We also provide a Goodie bag of candy and fruit.

We need volunteers to provide cookies and help prepare the goodie bags.

Those who would like to help should be at Birmingham Masonic Lodge between 12:00 and 1:00 PM

If you have any questions about the Christmas Party, contact Marshall Gevinson, TCF Trustee for District 20 301-871-1653 or mgevins@bechtol.com

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