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2020 Elected Officers

Grand Tall Cedar – Scott Lapp

Senior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – Robert Hunter

Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – David Dietz

Muscular Dystrophy Children Baltimore Forest:

Amanda Ashton – 2017 Middleborough Rd Essex, MD 21221 Birthday: June 26, 1998

Joey Stallings – 111 Forest Ave Catonsville, MD 21228 Birthday: March 19, 2000

Cedarettes of Baltimore:

Dustin Colgin – 410 Stemmers Run Rd Baltimore, MD 21221 (410) 780-9771 Birthday: July 18, 1993

A Message From the Grand Tall Cedar

Greetings from the Baltimore Forest of Tall Cedars # 45!

The temperature is warming up and so are we. We are starting to see more activity and events being planned and executed, making us one of the most active Forests in the region. And it's getting better every day. We still feel the pressures of the pandemic and still act under the guidelines set forth, but are doing the work



necessary to get back to somewhere close to normal. The Executive Board continually discusses ways to keep us safe but more active as well. Two things relating to that and the calendar, I do need to alert our Sidonians too; one good and one bad. The Bad news is that due to COVID impact, we are temporarily unable to provide Cedar saplings for our fundraiser. That being the case, we will push the activity to the fall, the second growth period of the year. The good news is that we might have found a way to reinstate and host the Coin tosses for the year, so although they don't show on the schedule yet as viable, that may soon change.

Postponing our fundraiser does mean that most of the funds raised for the forest this year will now come from food and dinner events. I urge you all more than ever, to be active and participate in any and all dinners that you can, as their impact now is critical. We are putting a lot of effort into making them even better and more fun than in the past, as you can tell from the flyers. So whether you see us every month, or haven't come out in a while, take this time when you are looking for a reason to stretch your legs, to come join us in our Fun, Frolic, and Fellowship!

Fraternally, GTC Lapp

A Message From the Senior Deputy

Greetings to all,

Hope you all are doing well and are staying safe. I want to thank everyone for coming to the 2nd annual senior deputy seafood dinner it was a great time. Don't forget about the crawfish boil and will be June 19th 1 pm to 5 pm and will be \$25.



We still have new members to bring in and I am sure we will bring them in the next few months along with any new petitions we get in. We are for to a great start bringing in new cedar and continuing what Matt started last year. So come out and show support for the new members. We are working on getting shirts and other Baltimore forest things as hoodie, hats, decals and much more.

Hope you all have a great summer and see you soon

Rob Hunter SDGT

A Message From the Junior Deputy

Brethren,

Baltimore Forest 45 continues to grow. At our last meeting we have welcomed in 4 new members. Let's keep this trend going. If you know a brother that may be interested in joining Tall Cedars; present him a petition and bring him to a meeting to join in on the fun. I look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming events.





Sincerely and Fraternally, JDGTC David Dietz

CEDARETTES OF BALTIMORE, INC. MAY/JUNE 2021 MARCY LAPP - PRESIDENT CAROLYN GREEN - VICE PRESIDENT

Greetings Cedarettes,

Hope everyone is doing well. Most of us should have our vaccinations by now so hope more of you will come out to the monthly meeting. Our meetings have been fun and fast moving. It has been so good getting back in the swing of things again.

A special thanks to Paula Wingate, Sharon Tumminello, Chris Dietz, Carol Sorrell and Marcy Lapp for making the annual Easter kids party special. Although it was lightly attended a good time was had by all. We truly appreciated your help and commitment.



May your day with blessed with family surrounding you and memories embracing you.

Our vendor's show and flea market is May 15th. The Cedarettes will have a white elephant table. If you would like to donate items in very good condition (no clothes) please give one of the officers a call to arrange to get items to them or bring by morning of the event. Please spread the word for this event. It is one of our big fundraisers for 2021 and we need your support. Chris Dietz is working on her Tall Cedar Foundation project and will bring you up to date soon. Remember all money raised under this committee (TCF) goes directly to MDA.

Our May meeting is scheduled for May 21, 2021. Dinner at 6:30 our meeting to start at 7:30. Hope to see you there.

Happy Memorial DAY—WE ARE GREATFUL.



With Honor & Gratitude We Remember

June 17th there is no business meeting for us but we will share dinner with the men and enjoy their meeting. Relax and enjoy this night. Just have fun, frolic and fellowship.



Happy Father's day to all the men in our life. Enjoy your day and your family.

June is our last meeting get together until the September 16th, meeting and officially kicks off our summer break, even though June 20th is the official day of summer.



The executive board and the audit committee will meet over the summer, date to be determined.

Our III and distressed update is as follows;

Bettie Hendrickson passed away in March.

Florence Littleton is dealing with a serious leg condition

Kathy Florien is on the mend from her knee and hip surgery

Julie Pierce is still in a nursing home

Please remember to keep each of these ladies in your thoughts and prayers. Also, let me know if you hear of any of our members ill or distressed.

Have a wonderful summer, stay safe and hope to see many of you throughout the summer.

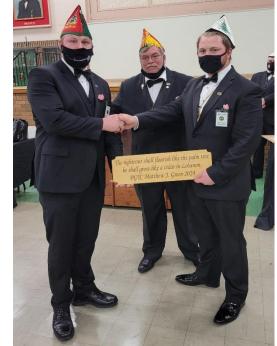
Until next time,

Brenda Vogel PP, Secretary 2021 Kenmore08@gmail.com 410-879-2438



PGTC Matthew Green receives Past Grand Tall Cedar award for his service in 2020.

Award is engraved with Psalm 92:12 "The righteous shall flourish like a palm tree, he shall grow like a cedar of Lebanon"





Baltimore Forest Boosters – 2021

Brothers and Friends, below are the names of our 2021 Cedar Tree Boosters. Their donation of \$3 offset some of the Cedar Tree printing expenses for the entire year. Join the list by pledging your \$3! Mail checks made payable to Baltimore Forest #45 to our Scribe.

Arthur Pulket	Judy Pulket	Michael Green
Matt Green	Karl Green	Joseph Green
Thomas L Green	Thomas M Green	Paula Wingate
Ray Wingate	Noah Luther	Don Williams
John Caudle	Greg Hammond	Barry Lester
Eric Wieciech	Homero Eraso	Richard Melvin
Lewis Madison	Mary Madison	Diane Oliphant
Toni Jo Naegele Delano	Howard Seltzer Sr.	Howard Seltzer Jr.
Cheryl Schmidt	Karen McLaughlin	Tony McLaughlin
Henry Chaudron Stinchecum	Henry Chaudron III	Dalton Chaudron
Lyric Menzter	Paxton Mentzer	Charlie Stinchecum
Andrew CHaudron Cristina Dietz	Gage Stinchecum	Mattie Chaudron

Retired Men's Club

The Retired Men's Club meets every Tuesday at 9:00 am to play poker and pinochle. We serve a continental breakfast for \$1.00 per person. We are in need of new members. Please join us when you can play!

Upcoming Dates of Importance

May 4th – 45 Association Meeting May 6th – Executive Board Meeting May 7th – 9th – Annual Convention May 15th – Cedarettes Vendor Event May 20th – Forest Meeting

June 1st – 45 Association Meeting June 3rd – Executive Board Meeting June 5th – GLMD Family Picnic June 17th – Forest Meeting June 19th – Crawfish Boil June 26th – Boumi Pancake Day June 26th – Sidonian Degree and Dinner

Brethren in Our Thoughts

PGTC Ray Vogel, PSTC and Family

Many times the news of a distressed or deceased Brother comes too late for us to respond appropriately. Please report this information as soon as possible to Reverend Ulmer at (410) 229-8712 or contact the Baltimore Forest office at (410) 668-4545.

COVID-19 Procedures

Brothers, in order to hold meetings safely, and in line with local restrictions and regulations, the following procedures are in effect:

Masks are required at all times when not seated and eating. Please observe 6ft of social distance at all times. There will be a sign-in sheet and waiver that must be signed by those in attendance for contract tracing purposes. Hand sanitizer will be available for all. These rules will be followed and enforced with NO EXCEPTIONS.

REGULAR MEETING OF BALTIMORE FOREST #45 TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON

Meeting – Memorial Day Thursday, May 20th, 2021 Dinner: 6:30pm Meeting: 7:30pm Dinner: Meatloaf, Green Beans, Potatoes. Berry/Apple Pie Dinner reservations are required. Contact: Ray Vogel (410) 952-9373

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Supreme Forest, Tall Cedars of Lebanon of North America, I do hereby call a meeting of Baltimore Forest #45, T.C.L., at 2501 Putty Hill Avenue, on Thursday, May 20th, 2021, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding a regular business meeting of the Forest.

BALTIMORE FOREST #45 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING FOREST TEMPLE BOARD ROOM

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me by Baltimore Forest #45 Tall Cedars of Lebanon, I do hereby call a meeting of the Executive Committee for the purpose of discussing any business as may come before the Committee, to be held at 2501 Putty Hill Avenue, Thursday, May 4th, 2021, at 6:30 p.m.

J. Todd Pauliny Financial Consultant 116 Hays St. Bel Air, MD 21014 Phone: (443) 277-7574 Fax: (410) 588-5920 tpauliny@janney.com

REGULAR MEETING OF BALTIMORE FOREST #45 TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON

Meeting – Game Night

Thursday, June 17th, 2021 Dinner: 6:30pm Meeting: 7:30pm Dinner: Hamburgers and Hot Dogs Dinner reservations are required. Contact: Ray Vogel (410) 952-9373

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Brothers and Sisters,

Thank you!

In an effort to save paper, and our budget, we now offer The Cedar Tree electronically. To sign up to receive our Cedar Tree right in your email, visit www.baltimoreforest.org.

2021 Calendar of Events

DATE	_	EVENT		CONTACT
1/5/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
1/7/21		executive board meeting		Mike Green
1/21/21		forest meeting		Scott Lapp
1/21/21		(7pm dinner / 8pm installation)		
2/2/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
2/4/21		executive board meeting		Mike Green
2/18/21		forest meeting		Scott Lapp
2/10/21		(memorial service)		Scott Lapp
2/27/21		Stag Roast for Crystal Charities - RSVP by 2/11		John Vogel
3/2/21	_	executive board meeting		Mike Green
3/4/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
3/18/21	-	forest meeting		
5/ 10/ 21		(Cedar Week / Arbor fundraiser)		Scott Lapp
4/1/21		executive board meeting		Mike Green
4/3/21		Easter Party (tentative)		Scott Lapp
4/6/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
4/15/21		forest meeting		Dave Dietz
		(topic - tree pick up & three youth		
. /		presentations)		-
4/23/21		SDGTC Seafood Banquet		Robby Hunter
5/4/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
5/6/21		executive board meeting		Mike Green
5/7/21 -		Annual Convention (NJ)		Matt Green
5/9/21				
5/20/21		forest meeting		Scott Lapp
		(topic - Memorial Day)		Scott Lapp
5/15/21		Cedarettes Vendor Event & Cedars		Scott & Marcy
	_	MDA Coin Toss #1		Lapp
6/1/21		45 meeting		Matt Green
6/3/21		executive board meeting		Mike Green
6/5/21	1	GLMD Family Day Picnic @GL		Scott Lapp
6/17/21		forest meeting		Matt & Carolyn
				Green
		(casual attire game night)		
6/19/21		Saturday - Coin Toss #2	Saturday - Coin Toss #1	Robby Hunter
6/19/21		Crawfish Boil		
6/26/21	Scidonian	Sidonian Degree & Dinner		Matt Green
7/31/21		Color Guard Annual Crab Feast and Bull Roast (tentative)		Mike Tuminello
0/1/24		* Carrat in Dank *		N/0
8/1/21	_	* Forest is Dark *		N/A

9/2/21	executive board meeting	Mike Green
9/4/21	Coin Toss #3	Dave Dietz
9/7/21	45 meeting	Matt Green
9/16/21	forest meeting	Scott Lapp
	(topic - MDA presentations)	
9/24/21	forest Luau	Robby Hunter
10/5/21	45 meeting	Matt Green
10/7/21	executive board meeting	Mike Green
10/16/21	Royal Court Degree (tentative), (a/o Sidonian)	Matt Green
10/16/21	forest meeting	Dave Dietz
	(topic -youth groups Halloween party - casual attire or costume)	
11/2/21	45 meeting	Matt Green
11/4/21	executive board meeting	Mike Green
11/6/21	Pancake Day	Henry Chaudron
11/18/21	forest meeting	Scott Lapp & Marcy Lapp
	(elections / holiday party)	
11/20/21	GLMD Grand Communication @GL	Scott Lapp
12/2/21	executive board meeting	Mike Green
12/7/21	45 meeting	Matt Green
12/11/21	Christmas Party & Bazaar (tentative)	Scott Lapp & Marcy Lapp
12/16/21	forest meeting	Scott Lapp
	(Installations)	
NOTE:all		
events		
subject to		
change due		
to COVID		
restrictions		

Baltimore Forest Past Grand Tall Cedars

Year	Name
1919	*Archey C. New, PSTC-1925
1920	*Dr. Leonard A. Richardson
1921	*Dr. Leonard A. Richardson
1922	*William A. Gutterman
1923	*George H. Hensler
1924	*Samuel T. Griffith
1925	*Guy D. Taber
1926	*Roy A. England
1927	*Preston W. Wright
1928	*Thomas Urspruch, PSTC-1935
1929	*Bray Washington
1929	*Henry Dusch
1930	*George A. Deatel
1931	*J. Warren McClellan
1932	*Edward H. Warr
1933	*Alfred C. Collins
1934	
	*Irvin L. Ludloff
1936	*George S. Thorton
1937	*William D. Wilkerson
1938	*Harry D. Davids
1939 1940	*Walter A. McClean, PSTC-1943 *John H. McFaul, PSTC-1951
1940	*Dr. R. Roswell Sullivan
1941	*A. Frank Owens
1942	*Joseph C. Sippel, Jr.
1943	*William D. Senger
1944	*G. Ernest Bowers
1945	*Howard A. Hughes
1947	*Harry C. Heuisler, Jr.
1948	*William Single, Jr.
1949	*Norman Strippy
1950	*John Muth
1951	*N. Chester Phillips
1952	*Harry I. Rogers, Sr.
1953	*Charles H. Cover
1954	*Paul M. Dunlap
1955	*John H. Stein
1956	*Edward P. Early
1957	*Harry E. Lesher
1958	*James H. Ely, Jr.
1959	*Earl H. Hammond, PSTC-1965
1960	*Walter S. Leonberger
1961	*Joseph L. Heston
1962	*Paul E. Chenoweth, Jr.
1963	*O. Richard Liberto, PSTC-1974
1964	Donald R. Garlock
1965	*John M. Smith, Jr., PSTC-1979
1966	*J. Edward Bullen
1967	*Louis L. Fleischer
1968	*Harold J. Littleton
1969	*Louis A. DeWitt

Year	Name
1970	*John P. Kimball
1971	*William J. Davis, Jr.
1972	*Leonard E. Carnes, Jr.
1973	*Vernon O. Lutz, Jr.
1974	Wm. Raymond Bosley, PSTC-2005
1975	*Robert C. Herrmann
1976	Edward C. Burkhard
1977	*George H. Winterstein
1978	* James A. Marshall
1979	*Joseph M. Doerfler
1980	*John B. Saffer
1981	*Allen L. Mitzel, Jr.
1982	*Basil W. Holman
1983	*Leo A. Frantz
1984	*Raymond S. Milburn
1985	*John W. James
1986	*James M. Baldwin
1987	*Charles E. Newberry
1988	*Frederick C. McDonough
1989	Raymond J. Vogel, Jr., PSTC-2001
1990	*Kenneth E. Marsh
1991	Lawrence A. Daugherty
1992	John H. Doerfler, Jr.
1993	Frederick M. Gould, Jr.
1994	*Gregory A. Harthausen, Jr.
1995	*Harry D. LaBonte, III
1996	*Thomas B. Griffiths
1997	Donald R. Williams
1998 1999	Irvin R. Hopkins
2000	Timothy R. Scott
2000	Joseph J. Sonntag Paul L. Huber
2001	*William E. Champness
2002	Edward F. Jakubik
2003	*John W. Hooks
2004	Morris Lee Bohlayer
2005	Jonathan Scott King
2000	Michael J.Tumminello
2007	Wayne C. Penley, Sr.
2009	James A, Murphy
2010	Darren M. Jones
2011	*George L. Mackley
2012	J. Todd Pauliny
2013	*Raymond T. Hennighausen
2014	George B. Little
2015	Dennis Ewing
2015	Joseph Green
2017	Ron Metzger
2018	Eric Weiciech
2019	Tom Green
2020	Matt Care

2021 Baltimore Forest #45 Officers

ELECTED

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GTC	Scott Lapp	(410) 967-8745
SDGTC	Robert Hunter	(410) 258-0130
JDGTC	David Dietz	(443) 928-4211
Scribe / Treasurer	Michael Green	(410) 683-3139
Trustee-2021	Don Long	(443) 248-4281
Trustee-2022	John Bessent	
Trustee-2023	Dick Melvin	
<u>APPOINTED</u>		
Royal Rangers	Mike Tuminello	(410) 574-6892
Stewards	Keith Warner	(443) 547-8040
Stewards	Homero Eraso	
Parade Marshall	Denis Ewing	(443) 621-2846
By-Laws Chairman	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Master of Property	Mike Tuminello	(410) 574-6892
PGTC	Matt Green	(443) 934-3889
PGTC	Tom Green	(410) 467-2593
PGTC	Joe Green	(410) 961-6083
<u>ALTERNATES</u>	As needed to fill above positions.	
Guide	Dennis Ewing	
Chaplain / Clowns	Kyle Bragg	(443) 803-9453
MDA Coordinators	Mike Tuminello	(410) 574-6892
Preceptor	Henry Chaudron	(443) 520-8541
TCF		
Cedar Tree Editor	Don Long / John Vogel	(443) 248-4281
Sentinel	Joe Green	
Financial Advisor	Todd Pauliny	
Housing	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Parliamentarian	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Advertising Manager		
Pan Cake Day Chm.	Henry Chaudron	(443) 520-8541

2020

Matt Green