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Grand Tall Cedar – Scott Lapp

Senior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – Robert Hunter

Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – Homero Eraso

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

Brothers and sisters of Forest #45,

As promised, a lot of things have been happening since our return from the summer hiatus. We've made our mark yet again at the Grand Lodge's Harvest Home Day, had a few great fundraisers over the last few months, and much more that I won't bore you with listing them all. These events were the culmination of the hard work of several of our active members, not just the Officers and representatives. And to each one I say thank you for getting involved and making a difference. The life of the Forest truly does hinge on the efforts put into it by all of us.



Although we only had one Coin Toss this year, it was very successful. Thanks to those who got out and worked the corners with us, and thanks to my own family for supporting me that day. Without you, it would not have been successful. Nor would it have been without Joey and Amanda's families who were here with us working hard. And thank you Sherry Tuminello for tallying all the funds raised; over \$900 in just a few short hours. Next year, I hope we are able to get more than one and that the generosity of those in the Parkville area is a staple.

The Golf tournament was a great success and we are already putting ideas together for more next year. Same for a lot of good events we have been blessed to have for our Forest. To that end, SDGTC Hunter and I, as well as the entirety of Officers, will be working hard to transition cabinets so that his year starts off with momentum and only builds it more. He has a lot of good ideas and his year should be, COVID willing, even more successful and fun!

Speaking of fun, we are working out the details of being in the Mayor's parade in early December. Robby has offered his trailer as a means to conduct our members and color guard through the parade. He will need some help decorating it however, and has asked if our youth or the Cedarettes would be able to assist us in some painting and such. We will discuss that with them very shortly.

And what about membership? This is one of the most important facets of staying a healthy and viable Forest. And with great effort from our brethren, we are still planning and executing initiations to bolster our ranks. In fact, we will be having an initiation during our Closed meeting in November, most likely right before we call for elections of the 2022 Officers.

Which reminds me.....time goes fast even in years where national tribulations and viruses seem to drag on. My year is winding down and will be over before we know it. I just want to make it known that I thank all those who assisted me this year in making it another good year to be a Cedar! You Bet! But I am happy to see the cohesion the Officers have and will no doubt run with the ball and do great things. Baltimore Forest has a reputation as the biggest and most active in the state, and by the looks of 2022's plan, it will not disappoint.

And with that I will say I am looking forward to the next few meetings of the year to have even more Fun, Frolic, and Fellowship!

GTC Lapp

A Message From the Senior Deputy

Greetings to all,

Hope you all are doing well and are staying safe.

We still have new members to bring it and I am sure will be bring them in the next few months along with any new petitions we get it



We are still working on getting shirts and other Baltimore forest things as hoodie, hats, decals and much more. I am also working on next year already we have get ideas and things planned as of now so keep an eye out for flyers!

The dinner for the December meeting will be pit ham, beef and turkey and oysters, salad along with a few other things! Trying to get entertainment for the night as well!

Don't forget about the chill cook off and pancake day the end of the year is coming up fast. The iron birds game was a great time and I am looking forward to doing it again in 2022. We are also looking for more stewards to help cook meals before the meetings. Also if you have any idea please share them! I am also trying to make my trailer in to a float for the Christmas parade and hopefully the 4 of July next year so will be looking for help with that Hope all are doing well and can't wait to see you all soon.

Rob Hunter
SDGT

A Message From the Junior Deputy

Greetings to My Fellow Tall Cedars:

I hope everyone had a safe, healthy, and enjoyable summer. While swimming pools are now closed and grills have gone cold, please remember our Tall Cedars of Lebanon #45 is open and doing all we can to raise money for muscular dystrophy research. We are counting on your help. Thanks to you, we had successful summer events. The Coin Toss was an amazing day. The Golf Tournament had beautiful weather and a great turnout of golfers. Harvest Day at the Grand Lodge was another success. To all our volunteers and participants, thank you so much.



Fall also promises much fun, fellowship, and progress toward our fundraising goals. We are excited to hold our first Chili Cook-off Contest in November. Come out to taste the family recipes of the contestants and vote for your favorite. I can't wait to discover who has the best chili - a mason, non-mason, or one of the women in our lives who enters the Cook-off. The Pancake Breakfast is another fantastic event in November where we are anticipating a big turnout of family and friends. Please invite them all! Most of all, plan on being a part of the success of these events. Success doesn't happen without you and you can't have fun with your fellow Tall Cedars if you are not there. Don't be afraid on Halloween, but you should definitely have Fear of Missing Out (FOMO) on our fall Tall Cedars events!

Enjoy watching the splendor of the autumn leaves, wearing a sweater for the cooler weather, and enjoying time with family and friends this fall.

Homero J. Eraso, Jr.
Junior Deputy Grand Tall

CEDARETTES OF BALTIMORE, INC.
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2021
MARCY LAPP - PRESIDENT
CAROLYN GREEN - VICE PRESIDENT

Hello Cedarettes,



November 7th, 2021

TIME TO GET YOUR SWEATERS OUT

We had a great day on November 6th for our annual pancake day. Our bake table did very well. Thank you ladies for your contribution. This money goes directly to MDA. Our jewelry did pretty well too. Remember to give us your old jewelry to sell at different events. You can give it to any officer.

Our Holiday Social is right around the corner. November 18th, 2021 at 6pm. A flyer was sent to each of you. If you need more information, please call. It is a little different format this year but should be a fun time being with everyone.

Our elections are also that night. We need a President and a Vice President. Please consider stepping into one of these roles. You will get plenty of help and it is a fun and rewarding experience.

Have a blessed Thanksgiving. Be safe and enjoy your families and friends.



December is our installation of officers. December 16th is the date at this time. The Tall Cedars Christmas party is still being deciding upon.

A special thanks to Tony Delano for her very successful clothing drive.

At this time our ill and distressed seems light. Good news. If you hear of any one that is ill, has moved or pass into the light please let one of the officers know.

Over the many years The Cedarettes have been involved with supporting and fund raising for Muscular Dystrophy we have seen many setbacks and miracles in the pursuit of helping to find a cure for this disease. I came across this poem and thought it hit home with many of its thoughts.

Don't quit

When things go wrong as they sometimes will,
When the road you're trudging seems all-uphill,
When the funds are low and the debts are high,
And you want to smile, but you have to sigh,
When care is pressing you down a bit,
Rest if you must, but don't you quit.

Life is queer with its twists and its turns,
As everyone of us sometimes learns,
And many a failure turns about,
When they might have stopped but they stuck it out.
Don't give up though the pace seems slow,
You may succeed with another blow.

Often the goal is nearer than,
It seems to a faint and faltering man,
Often the struggler has given up
When he might have captured the victor's cup
And he learned too late when the night came down
How close he was to the golden crown.

Success is failure turned inside out
The silver tint of the clouds of doubt
And you never can tell how close you are,
It may be near when it seems so far,
So stick to the flight when you're hardest hit
It's when things seem worst that you must not quit!

Author-unknown

Have a blessed and safe holiday.



Until next time,

Brenda Vogel pp

Secretary 2021 Kenmore08@gmail.com 410 879-2438

**September 19th Baltimore Forest 45 at Ironbirds game. Didn't win
but had a great day!**



**PAST PRESIDENT'S NIGHT AT OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING. WE WERE
JOINED BY THE FOLLOWING PAST PRESIDENTS: BRENDA VOGEL,
SHARON TUMMINELLO, SUSAN HENNIGHAUSEN, MARTIE SONNTAG
AND MARCY LAPP. THANK YOU LADIES FOR COMING OUT AND
CONTINUING TO SUPPORT OUR CEDARETTE GROUP AND THANK
YOU FOR YOUR PAST SERVICE.**





**Baltimore 45 Association
Annual Meeting
2501 Putty Hill Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21234**

To all members of Baltimore Forest.

The annual meeting for the 45 Association, Inc. will be held at the Cedar Hall on Thursday, October 21, 2021 when the Forest recesses for our meeting.

We will have nominations and election for board members. Regular business will be conducted and any questions will be answered.

Thanks and See You There.

The Board President,
Charles Frain.

November Meeting Service awards will be Presented to the Following Cedars:

25 Years

John Biggs
Edward Jakubik
Robert Brisco
David Slick

60 Years

Raymond Bosley Jr
James Tallagsen
John J Kitz Jr
James J Creamer
Robert L Seeger

WANTED !!!!!!!!!!!!!

Members to join the COLOR GUARD

Contact Mike Tumminello PGTC Captain

Join the 100 Club



JDGTC Robbie hunter being presented his 100 Club medal by Dave Dietz for his contribution to fighting Muscular Dystrophy



For more info on joining the 100 Club contact:
Matt Green at 443-934-3889 or
Dave Dietz at 443-928-4211

Brother Tall Cedars and Friends

The Tall Cedars, Baltimore Forest Golf Tournament was a complete success. I would like to thank all those who could take the time to play and to others who made donations and purchased tee signs. Even though this was the first tournament since 2018, we still had a strong showing with 40 golfers. Next year's goal will be 80 golfers. I am hoping all forest members start practicing their golf drive now, because you won't want to miss the opportunity to join in the fun, frolic, and fellowship for the 2022 tournament next fall.

Mike Green
Scribe / Treasurer



Tall Cedars Baltimore Forest #45

CHILLI COOK-OFF

**CONTESTANTS
\$20**

**Attendees
\$5**

**Sunday 1 pm
Nov, 14 2021**

**Tall Cedars Hall
2501 Putty Hill Ave**

**PRIZES FOR: PEOPLE'S
CHOICE BEST CHILI**

**1st Place: \$100 & Certificate
2nd Place: \$50 & Certificate
3rd Place: \$25 & Certificate**

**Beer and Soda
available for
Purchase also BYOB**

**CONTACT CHEF ROSCOE
410-458-7720**

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The 33rd Annual Pancake Day Baltimore Forest #45

**Tall Cedars of Lebanon
Help Find The Cure For Muscular Dystrophy**

**Saturday
November 6th
8am - 12pm**

**BALTIMORE FOREST HALL
2501 PUTTY HILL AVE**

**All You Care To Eat Pancakes
Sausage, Sausage Gravy, Coffee, Milk or Juice**

**Tickets: \$7.00 Adults | \$4.00 Children under 10
Vendor Tables
For Ticket Call 410-668-4545**



Reminder: Please mail in any donation Checks you have for pancake day. A letter should have been sent all members in August.



crystal charities, inc

presents it's annual

"Stag"

Deluxe

Bull & Oyster Roast

Saturday, February 26th, 2022

Noon – 4:30 p.m.

Place: Baltimore Forest Building
2501 Putty Hill Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21234

Food: By Atlantic Caterers, Inc.

Time: Food: **Noon –3:30 p.m.**

Fun: Wheels and Cards,

**Benefit: Muscular Dystrophy Assoc. of Maryland
Menu**

Charcoal Beef on the pit, Smoked Country Ham, Fresh Ham, Oysters on the Half Shell, Steamed Oysters with drawn butter, Oyster Stew, Maryland Crab Soup, German style Sauerbraten, Beef BBQ on rolls, Kielbasa & Sauerkraut, Whipped Potatoes, Hot Dogs, Sausages, German Potato Salad, Creamy Cole Slaw, Macaroni Salad, Assorted Cheeses and Crackers, Seasonal Vegetables with Dips, Bread and Rolls, Cake and Ice Cream Sandwiches (last hour of food), Coffee, Iced Tea, Beers (Budweiser, Miller Light, Yuengling) Soda, Potato Chips, and Pretzels

For Tickets and Information, Contact: **Price: \$55.00 Per Person, Credit price-\$65.00**
R. John Vogel or Ray Vogel NO MINORS, NO REFUNDS

410.952.9373

Deadline 2/19/2022

(johnvogel23@gmail.com)

(ccinc45678@gmail.com)

After 2/19/2022, Price \$60.00

Mail Checks To: Crystal Charities, Inc. 79 Crystal Court, Bel Air, MD 21014

Join the Tall Cedars Golf Club

Tall cedars golf club... we play various golf courses on Tuesdays from
April till October

Come join us next year whether you're a high handicapper or a
scratch player for a fun day of golf.

For More Information, Contact Rich Amato at Richieost@gmail.com



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 Wiecech	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
Hailey Chaudron Stinchecum	Henry Chaudron III	Dalton Chaudron
Lytic Menzter	Paxton Mentzer	Charlie Stinchecum
Andrew Chaudron	Gage Stinchecum	Mattie Chaudron
Cristina Dietz	Susan Hennighausen	

In Memory of Ray Hennighausen

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!

Tall Cedars Photographer Wanted!

Tall Cedar Brothers and friends,
We are looking for an in-house photographer
for our many events.

No experience necessary!

If interested, please call Scribe Mike Green at 443-683-3139
or email at MikeGreen2012@aol.com



Upcoming Dates of Importance

November 2nd – 45 Meeting
November 4th – Executive Board Meeting
November 6th – Pancake Day
November 18th – Forest Meeting – Elections

December 2nd – Executive Board Meeting
December 7th – 45 Meeting
December 11 – Christmas Party – Tentative
December 16th – Forest Meeting – Installation

Brethren in Our Thoughts

Ray Vogel - PGTC, 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**

Closed Meeting - Elections

Thursday, November 18th, 2021

Dinner: 6:30pm Meeting: 7:30pm

Dinner: Thanksgiving Dinner

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, November 18th, 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, November 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 - Installation

Thursday, December 16th, 2021

Dinner: 6:30pm Meeting: 7:30pm

Dinner: Carved beef, ham, turkey, Oyster bar

Dinner reservations are required. Contact:

Ray Vogel (410) 952-9373

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Brothers and Sisters,

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.

Thank you!

Baltimore Forest Past Grand Tall Cedars

Year	Name	Year	Name
1919	*Archey C. New, PSTC-1925	1970	*John P. Kimball
1920	*Dr. Leonard A. Richardson	1971	*William J. Davis, Jr.
1921	*Dr. Leonard A. Richardson	1972	*Leonard E. Carnes, Jr.
1922	*William A. Gutterman	1973	*Vernon O. Lutz, Jr.
1923	*George H. Hensler	1974	Wm. Raymond Bosley, PSTC-2005
1924	*Samuel T. Griffith	1975	*Robert C. Herrmann
1925	*Guy D. Taber	1976	Edward C. Burkhard
1926	*Roy A. England	1977	*George H. Winterstein
1927	*Preston W. Wright	1978	*James A. Marshall
1928	*Thomas Urspruch, PSTC-1935	1979	*Joseph M. Doerfler
1929	*Bray Washington	1980	*John B. Saffer
1930	*Henry Dusch	1981	*Allen L. Mitzel, Jr.
1931	*George A. Deatel	1982	*Basil W. Holman
1932	*J. Warren McClellan	1983	*Leo A. Frantz
1933	*Edward H. Warr	1984	*Raymond S. Milburn
1934	*Alfred C. Collins	1985	*John W. James
1935	*Irvin L. Ludloff	1986	*James M. Baldwin
1936	*George S. Thorton	1987	*Charles E. Newberry
1937	*William D. Wilkerson	1988	*Frederick C. McDonough
1938	*Harry D. Davids	1989	Raymond J. Vogel, Jr., PSTC-2001
1939	*Walter A. McClean, PSTC-1943	1990	*Kenneth E. Marsh
1940	*John H. McFaul, PSTC-1951	1991	Lawrence A. Daugherty
1941	*Dr. R. Roswell Sullivan	1992	John H. Doerfler, Jr.
1942	*A. Frank Owens	1993	Frederick M. Gould, Jr.
1943	*Joseph C. Sippel, Jr.	1994	*Gregory A. Harthausen, Jr.
1944	*William D. Senger	1995	*Harry D. LaBonte, III
1945	*G. Ernest Bowers	1996	*Thomas B. Griffiths
1946	*Howard A. Hughes	1997	Donald R. Williams
1947	*Harry C. Heuisler, Jr.	1998	Irvin R. Hopkins
1948	*William Single, Jr.	1999	Timothy R. Scott
1949	*Norman Strippy	2000	Joseph J. Sonntag
1950	*John Muth	2001	*Paul L. Huber
1951	*N. Chester Phillips	2002	*William E. Champness
1952	*Harry I. Rogers, Sr.	2003	Edward F. Jakubik
1953	*Charles H. Cover	2004	*John W. Hooks
1954	*Paul M. Dunlap	2005	Morris Lee Bohlayer
1955	*John H. Stein	2006	Jonathan Scott King
1956	*Edward P. Early	2007	Michael J. Tumminello
1957	*Harry E. Leshner	2008	Wayne C. Penley, Sr.
1958	*James H. Ely, Jr.	2009	James A. Murphy
1959	*Earl H. Hammond, PSTC-1965	2010	Darren M. Jones
1960	*Walter S. Leonberger	2011	*George L. Mackley
1961	*Joseph L. Heston	2012	J. Todd Pauliny
1962	*Paul E. Chenoweth, Jr.	2013	*Raymond T. Hennighausen
1963	*O. Richard Liberto, PSTC-1974	2014	George B. Little
1964	Donald R. Garlock	2015	Dennis Ewing
1965	*John M. Smith, Jr., PSTC-1979	2016	Joseph Green
1966	*J. Edward Bullen	2017	Ron Metzger
1967	*Louis L. Fleischer	2018	Eric Weiciech
1968	*Harold J. Littleton	2019	Tom Green
1969	*Louis A. DeWitt	2020	Matt Green

*Deceased

2021 Baltimore Forest #45 Officers

ELECTED

GTC	Scott Lapp	(410) 967-8745
SDGTC	Robert Hunter	(410) 258-0130
JDGTC	Homero Eraso	
Scribe / Treasurer	Michael Green	(410) 683-3139
Trustee-2021	Don Long	(443) 248-4281
Trustee-2022	John Bessent	
Trustee-2023	Dick Melvin	

APPOINTED

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

ALTERNATES

<i>As needed to fill above positions.</i>		
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