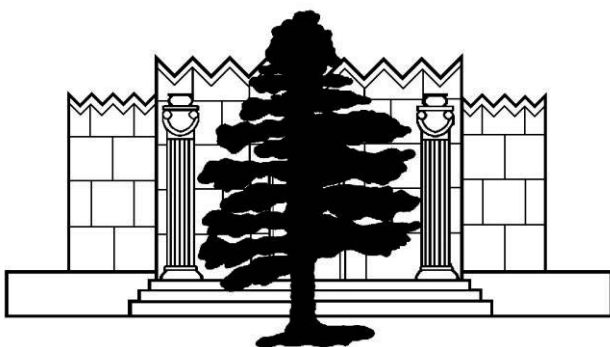


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## **2019 Elected Officers**

Grand Tall Cedar – Thomas Green

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Senior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – Matthew Green

[mattgreenredbeard@gmail.com](mailto:mattgreenredbeard@gmail.com)

Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar – Scott Lapp

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## **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**

Hello and Seasons Greetings from Grand Tall Cedar of Baltimore Forest #45. This sure is an exciting time of year and we still have several more fun events coming up before we close out 2019. I would first like to comment how quickly this year has passed by. Holding this position in the Forest has been one of the most rewarding experiences of my life as well as one of the more eventful years of my life and I want to thank this Forest again for allowing me to be in this position.

I also want to thank everyone that came out on October 26th for the Coin Toss. We set a goal of \$1,500 dollars and I am thrilled to say that we reached that goal. And a special thanks to the MD families that came out to help raise awareness and collect money for the fight against Muscular Dystrophy. I also want to thank the people that stayed or attended the Sip and Paint that happened that afternoon as well. Creating fun, frolic and fellowship should always be a priority within the organization.

With Christmas coming up I want to remind everyone that we are having a Christmas Party for anyone who would like to attend. This event is open to the public and I have a good feeling that Santa might be joining us that day as well.

As a final reminder our meetings are on the third Thursday of the Month and Meetings are open to the public. If you know any current who have not been in a while, give them a call and see if they would like to attend. The food is always good, the drinks are cold and the company is fantastic. Thank you for taking some time to read this and have a wonderful day!

Thomas Green  
Grand Tall Cedar, Baltimore Forest #45

## **A Message From the Senior Deputy**

Greetings from the Senior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar, as the holidays come and go let's all be sure to take the time to appreciate the loved ones in our lives, be it the ones here with us or the ones who have departed from this world and into the next chapter of eternity.

As the day draws closer and closer to taking the big step and becoming the Grand Tall Cedar I will be asking for your support, feedback, ideas and most importantly your presence at the meetings and functions. Muscular dystrophy being our main objective, I have many fundraisers in mind to help us with our fight but will require all the help we can get. I look forward to seeing and speaking with you all very soon.

-Happy Holidays

Sincerely: Matthew J. Green

## **A Message From the Junior Deputy**

Happy Holiday Greetings from the Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar of Baltimore Forest Number 45. I am so excited about all of these holidays that are coming up. Between Thanks Giving and Christmas I know that my wife and I are going to be very busy! I do want to say that it was wonderful to see all of the Tall Cedar Masons out at Harvest Home day. At Harvest Home Day and raised over \$110 dollars for the Sports Raffle. I would also like to give a special thanks for the DeMolay boys who came out to give us a hand selling raffle tickets and raising awareness to Tall Cedars as well as muscular Dystrophy. If you were at the Coin Toss on the 26 then you know that we had a good time as well. It is really nice when we can get together to raise money and do it as part of a team makes it even better.

I look forward to seeing brothers and their families at meetings for the remainder of the year and I am also looking forward everything that we have coming up. Thank you again and have a happy and wonderful holiday season.

Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar

Scott Lapp

**THE CEDARETTES OF BALTIMORE, INC.**  
**NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2019**  
MARCY LAPP - PRESIDENT  
CAROLYN GREEN - VICE PRESIDENT

Hello Cedarettes,



DO NOT FORGET TO RESET 11/3/19

Hope all of you are well and getting use to this cooler/colder weather. Past President's night in September was very well attended with 9 past presidents. Thank you ladies for coming out. A good time was had by all.

Our month of October was busy with Boscov's fundraiser on October 16<sup>th</sup>. Over \$200 was raised. Thanks Sherry and Brenda for chairing and working the event.

Carolyn's vice president Paint/Wine event on October 27<sup>th</sup> was also a well-attended event and so much fun. Even though most of us are not artist it was fun to pretend and the pictures did turn out well.

Our flea less flea market appeals letter is slowly receiving donations. Please take a minute and drop your donation in the mail. It is so appreciated and helps us to support our day in and day out activities and expenses.

Update on our ill and distressed. As most of you know we lost Betty Herb in September. She was 96 years old and was currently living at Bonnie Blink. Several of us were able to make her service and said it was very well attended. I have heard that Julie Pierce is still in rehab and Joyce Champness is having some medical issues but not sure what. Please keep these ladies in your prayers and a card is always appreciated.



REMEMBER OUR VETERANS 11/11/19

NOVEMBER IS A BUSY MONTH!! Our Holiday dinner is November 21th at 6pm. Please let me know if you are attending, you must RSVP for this event since we must give a head count to the caterer. It is going to be a fun night. Good food, great company, singing and maybe a surprise visitor.

November 2<sup>nd</sup> is Pancake Day. We need bake goods please. We will not be having a craft table this year since we do not have any crafts to display. However, Kathy Florian, out Tall Cedar Foundation chairman, will be selling raffles for a chance to win a Raven or Oriole basket of goodies. She will be set up at the bake table.

Come by and get yours. She is drawing the winner that day and someone will be getting a fabulous basket, why not you? Remember all proceeds from this raffle go to Muscular Dystrophy.



MAY YOUR FAMILY BE BLESSED THROUGHOUT  
THE YEAR

December as always is also a busy month. December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 is our installation of officers. We will combine our installation with the men that evening and it starts around 6pm for dinner with installation to follow. Please join us.

The annual Tall Cedar Children's Christmas party is December 21<sup>st</sup> at 10am at the Cedar hall. We have been having a lite crowd so please encourage your neighbors, friends and family to come out and join us. It is a wonderful day for the families with games, crafts, and food and of course Santa.

Marcy Lapp, our President would like to thank each of you for your support and guidance over this past year. She learned a lot and really enjoyed her year.



WISHING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS.



As we close another year just a reminder that your dues are still only \$15 and can be sent directly to me or see me at one of our meetings. If you need an updated roster let me know.

Our next meeting will be January 17<sup>th</sup>. We have become small but are still mighty always fighting for ways to raise funds for our charity, Muscular Dystrophy. Please keep all those who suffer from this disease in your prayers especially as we embrace a new year. Stay safe and enjoy the small things in life they can lift you up.



ENJOY YOUR NEW YEAR'S EVE.

CEDARETTLY YOURS,  
Brenda Vogel pp  
Secretary  
410 879-2438  
79 Crystal Ct  
Bel Air, Md., 21014  
Kenmore08@gmail.com



CEDARETTES PAINT EVENT OCTOBER 27TH CHAIRED BY CAROLYN GREEN



CEDARETTES PAST PRESIDENT'S NIGHT SEPTEMBER 2019





**SAMPLE BALLOT BALTIMORE FOREST #45 2020**

**GRAND TALL CEDAR**

MATTHEW GREEN \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

**SENIOR DEPUTY GRAND TALL CEDAR**

SCOTT LAPP \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

**JUNIOR DEPUTY GRAND TALL CEDAR**

ROBERT (ROBBIE) HUNTER \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

**SCRIBE /TREASURER**

RAY WINGATE \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

**TRUSTEE**

JOHN BESSENT \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

WRITE IN \_\_\_\_\_

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**BALTIMORE FOREST 45  
TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON  
2501 PUTTY HILL AVE PARKVILLE MARYLAND**

**CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY  
SATURDAY DECEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup> 10AM TO NOON**

**MEET SANTA!**



**HOT DOGS...SODA...ICE CREAM  
ENTERTAINMENT...GAMES...GIFTS**

**FREE TO ALL TALL CEDARS, RELATIVES, FRIENDS, CHILDREN  
AND GRANDCHILDREN**

# 2020 TALL CEDARS MID-WINTER CONFERENCE

January 16<sup>th</sup> thru 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020



95 Presidential Circle, Gettysburg, PA

Reservations are to be made directly with the Wyndham Gettysburg Hotel. Call 717-339-0020, then press "0" and ask for the "Tall Cedars of Lebanon of North America 2020 Conference."

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS – December 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## PACKAGE PLAN RATES PER PERSON

<u>Room Occupancy</u>	<u>Friday night only</u>	<u>Saturday night only</u>	<u>Friday &amp; Saturday nights</u>
Single	\$ 169.00	\$ 176.00	\$ 345.00
Double	\$ 126.00	\$ 133.00	\$ 259.00
Triple	\$ 112.00	\$ 119.00	\$ 230.00
Quad	\$ 105.00	\$ 112.00	\$ 217.00

**Friday/Saturday (1 Night) Package:** Includes Friday evening buffet and the following morning Breakfast. *Tickets will be collected.*

**Saturday/Sunday (1 Night) Package:** Includes the Saturday evening dinner and the following morning Breakfast.

**2 Night Package:** Includes both evening meals and the two following morning Breakfasts.

**All packages** include beer, wine, and soda prior to dinners and in Hospitality rooms; cash bar during dinners.

**Children 5-11:** Identify the number and age of Children at registration. No additional charge for hotel room when shared with adults. Single Night Package: \$ 35.00; Two Night Package: \$ 79.00.

**Children 12 & over** will be considered an adult and the Double, Triple or Quad pricing will apply.

**Come Early / Stay Over Rates** – \$ 79 + tax per night. *Explore Battlefield Sites, Eisenhower Farm, Historic Walking & Ghost Tours, Museums, Pour Tours & so much more...*

**Commuter meal rates:** Breakfasts per person \$ 24.50 inclusive; Friday and/or Saturday Dinners: \$ 50 inclusive of service fees and taxes; excludes beer, wine, and soda – cash bar only.

Contact PSTC Barry L Sheaffer at (717) 432-5150 to make reservations for Commuter meals.





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**"Stag"**

# **Deluxe Bull & Oyster Roast**

**Saturday, February 29th, 2020**

**Noon – 5:00 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: **\$48.00 Per Person, Credit price-\$55.00**

R. John Vogel or Ray Vogel NO MINORS, NO REFUNDS

410.952.9373

Deadline 2/20/2020

(johnvogel23@gmail.com) (ccinc45678@gmail.com)

**After 2/20/2020, Price \$55.00**

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

## **Baltimore Forest Boosters – 2019**

Brothers and Friends, below are the names of our 2019 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.

Craig Benson	Arthur Pulket	Judy Pulket
Ray Scheaffer	Deb Scheaffer	Chris Scheaffer
Alexa Scheaffer	Caylee Scheaffer	George Little
Dale Little	Rev. Ulmer	Dennis Ewing
Mary Ewing	Ray Wingate	Paula Wingate
Evelyn Hartig	George Hartig	Dick Melvin
Larry Daugherty	Charlotte Daugherty	Michael Tumminello
Sharon Tumminello	Bobby Tumminello	Michael Tumminello
Kyle Tumminello	Sienna Tumminello	Gizmo Tumminello
Beata Brodbeck	John Brodbeck	Ron Metzger PGTC
Matt Green SDGTC	Tom Green GTC	Lapp Family
Lewis Madison	Irene Madison	

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## **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!

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## **Upcoming Dates of Importance**

November 2<sup>nd</sup> – Pancake Day

November 5<sup>th</sup> – 45 Association Meeting

November 7<sup>th</sup> – Executive Board Meeting

November 21<sup>st</sup> – Forest Meeting

December 3<sup>rd</sup> – 45 Association Meeting

December 5<sup>th</sup> – Executive Board Meeting

December 19<sup>th</sup> – Forest Meeting, Installation

December 21<sup>st</sup> – Christmas Party

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## **Brethren in Our Thoughts**

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.

**REGULAR MEETING OF BALTIMORE  
FOREST #45 TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON**

**Meeting**

Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019

**Dinner: 6:30 Meeting: 7:30**

**Dinner: Deli Platter**

***Dinner reservations are required. Contact:***

*Ray Wingate (410) 596-1124 or 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 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding a regular business meeting of the Forest.

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**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 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019, at 6:30 p.m.

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**J. Todd Pauliny**

**Financial Consultant**

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Bel Air, MD 21014

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**REGULAR MEETING OF BALTIMORE  
FOREST #45 TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON**

**Meeting – Installation**

Thursday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**Dinner: 6:30 Meeting: 7:30**

**Dinner: Crab Cake, Baked Chicken, Asparagus, Au Gratin Potatoes**

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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](http://www.baltimoreforest.org).

Thank you!

# Baltimore Forest Past Grand Tall Cedars

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

# 2019 Baltimore Forest #45 Officers

## ELECTED

GTC	Thomas Green tgreen0164@gmail.com	(443) 827-2707
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JDGTC	Scott Lapp Ray Wingate*	(410) 967-8745
Scribe / Treasurer	rayw3988@comcast.net	(410) 795-2989
Trustee-2019	Joe Green	(410) 961-6083
Trustee-2020	Wayne Penley	(410) 668-1522
Trustee-2021	Don Long	(443) 248-4281

## APPOINTED

Royal Rangers	Mike Tumminello	(410) 574-6892
Stewards	Paul Miller	(410) 420-8804
Stewards	Keith Warner	(443) 574-8040
Parade Marshall	Mike Tumminello	(410) 574-6892
By-Laws Chairman	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Master of Property	Joe Green	(410) 961-6083
PGTC	George Little	(410) 259-0226
PGTC	Larry Daugherty*	(410) 866-1485
PGTC	Dennis Ewing	(443) 621-2846

## ALTERNATES

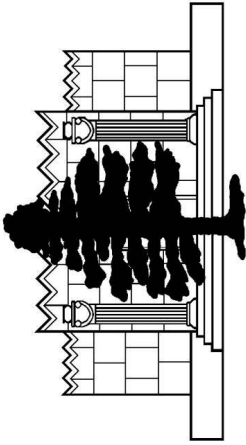
*As needed to fill above positions.*

Guide	Larry Daugherty	(410) 866-1485
Chaplain / Clowns	Ellwood Ulmer	(410) 229-8712
MDA Coordinators	Jay Sonntag	(410) 529-8575
Preceptor	Henry Chaudron	(443) 520-8531
TCF	Joe Green	(410) 961-6083
Cedar Tree Editor	Don Long / John Vogel	(443) 248-4281
Sentinel	Don Ciento	
Financial Advisor	Todd Pauliny	(443) 402-2226
Housing	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Parliamentarian	Ray Vogel	(410) 952-9373
Advertising Manager	Mike Tumminello	(410) 574-6892
Pan Cake Day Chm.	Henry Chaudron	(443) 520-8541

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