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Muscular Dystrophy Children

Baltimore Forest:

Amanda Ashton – 2017 Middleborough Rd Essex, MD 21221

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(410) 780-9771

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A Message From the Grand Tall Cedar

Greetings cedars and cedarettes, I hope you are well and staying safe. Covid-19 has taken a toll on us but it is important that we keep moving forward and look to the future with hope. This isn't the year we had planned but it is the year we got and we still have time to make the most of it.

October 10th we are planning a coin toss, October 15th we are opening back up in the forest and plan on making 9 new cedars! October 24th we are planning for a crab feast and hope to see you all there.

As the year is drawing to an end I hope that you all will come out and show support for you Forest and for our young officers looking for guidance during this time. We are still planning a Christmas party but are keeping on our toes about to make sure we take the right steps to keep the kids and ourselves safe. Not much has been going on here during the pandemic however at our most recent executive board meeting we had a lot of new ideas and are planning for an outstanding 2021.

With all that being said I would like to wish you a happy Halloween and a happy Thanksgiving! I hope you take the time to appreciate the loved ones in your life and perhaps reach out to a friend you haven't heard from in a while. I hope to see you all very soon.

Fraternally,

Matt Green – Grand Tall Cedar

A Message From the Senior Deputy

My fellow Tall Cedars,

As fall approaches, we find that some of our Masonic events are starting to come through. With the leadership of the MWGM and our own GTC, we are finally getting to get out and be at least guidedly social again. I am looking forward to assisting him and our JDGTC in putting together more events as we are allowed. I'm sure most of us are looking forward to that as well, as it sorely impacts our Fraternity when we can't Fraternize!

That said, we still must remain cautious and follow the guidance of our leadership. And if you are high risk, it is well understood if you limit your time out in public. But whatever time you CAN make for us, we will be glad to share time with you again. Soon, we will put this behind us and persevere, and get back to full business! I'm already lining up some ideas for next year as GTC (hopefully) and hope we get to take advantage of them,

In the meantime, everyone be safe and remember our brethren in our prayers and in deed where possible. None of us should feel alone during this crisis.

God Bless,

Scott Lapp, SDGTC

A Message From the Junior Deputy

Greetings to all,

Hope you all are doing well and are staying safe. We have a meeting coming up on October 15 hope you come out we have new candidates coming in and hope to have a good turn out! We also are having a coin toss on October 10. Hope everyone has a great holidays and look forward to seeing you all soon

Rob Hunter

Junior Deputy Grand Tall Cedar

CEDARETTES OF BALTIMORE, INC.
OCTOBER/NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2020
CAROLYN GREEN-PRESIDENT
MARCEY LAPP-VICE PRESIDENT

Hi Cedarettes,

It has been a while. Wow, Covid 19 knocked us for a loop but we are trying to safely get back on track.

We have not meant since January 2020 and have not have any events so this article is limited.

However, good new, we are having our first meeting in October (mask required and covid protocol required). You will receive this Cedar Tree after the October meeting so I will let you know what is going on via e-mail. At October meeting we plan to discuss the rest of the year. Per your officers we will be having a holiday dinner in November. Details TBA. That meeting is scheduled for 11/19th, 6pm for dinner, meeting to follow. We will have nominations at that meeting. All officers' seats are covered but we still welcome nominations from the floor if someone would like to throw their name in the ring.

December we will be sharing the installations of officers with the men on December 10th. Please RSVP if attending. It will be a wonderful night to kick off the holidays.

The Kids Christmas Party will be December, date TBA.

Ill and Distressed has been pretty quiet but here is what I have been made aware of:

Julie Pierce is still in nursing home.

Kathy Florian needs knee and hip surgery

My husband Ray was diagnosed with lymphoma cancer and we are working through this now.

Please for pray all our members and their families.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving and Christmas season. Stay safe and hope to see you at the next meeting.

Until next time,



Brenda Vogel pp/secretary 2020

Even in Covid 19 time we were able to get together safely for a small crab feast at the Cedar Hall.



Baltimore Forest Boosters – 2020

Brothers and Friends, below are the names of our 2020 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.

Barry Sheaffer	Henry Chaudron III	Mattie Chaudron
Dalton Chaudron	Lytic Metzger	Paxton Metzger
Charlie Stinchecum	Maureen Stinchecum	Haily Stinchecum
Gage Stinchecum	Tim Scott	Lois Scott
Ray Sheaffer	Deb Sheaffer	Chris Sheaffer
Alexa Sheaffer	Caylee Sheaffer	

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!

45 Association

The annual meeting of the 45 Association will be held at the November 19th Forest meeting. The Forest will be placed at rest while the 45 meeting is presented.

SAMPLE BALLOT BALTIMORE FOREST #45 2020

GRAND TALL CEDAR

SCOTT LAPP _____

WRITE IN _____

SENIOR DEPUTY GRAND TALL CEDAR

ROBERT(ROBBIE)

HUNTER _____

WRITE IN _____

JUNIOR DEPUTY GRAND TALL CEDAR

DAVID DIETZ _____

WRITE IN _____

SCRIBE /TREASURER

MICHAEL GREEN _____

WRITE IN _____

TRUSTEE

DICK MELVIN _____

WRITE IN _____

**BALTIMORE FOREST PANCAKE DAY
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 7TH 2020**

**SERVING 8AM TO NOON AT THE TALL CEDAR TEMPLE
2501 PUTTY HILL AVE PARKVILLE**



**TICKETS: \$7.00 ADULTS CHILDREN: \$4.00
HELP US HELP CHILDREN WITH MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY**

**TICKETS AND INFORMATION [410-668-4545](tel:410-668-4545)
PLEASE LEAVE MESSAGE
CURBSIDE PICKUP AVAILABLE**

Upcoming Dates of Importance

October 10th – Coin Toss

October 24th – Crab Feast

November 7th – Pancake Day

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.

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

Meeting

Thursday, October 15th, 2020

Dinner: 6:30 Meeting: 7:30

Dinner: Pending Grand Tall Cedar Approval

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, October 15th, 2020, 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, October 1st, 2020, at 6:30 p.m.

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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 5th, 2020, at 6:30 p.m.

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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

2020 Baltimore Forest #45 Officers

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 J. 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

ELECTED

GTC	Matthew Green	(443) 934-3889
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Trustee-2021	Don Long	(443) 248-4281
Trustee-2022	John Bessent	

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	Don Williams	
PGTC	Larry Daugherty*	(410) 866-1485
PGTC	George Little	(410) 259-0226

ALTERNATES

	As needed to fill above positions.	
Guide	Larry Daugherty	(410) 866-1485
Chaplain / Clowns	Ellwood Ulmer	(410) 229-8712
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