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May 3rd
EXEC MEETING – JOHN'S HOUSE

May 15th
SENIOR DEPUTY NIGHT
(Spirit of America attire)
Chicken Dinner before the Meeting @6:00

May 31ⁿ
ROCKVILLE PARADE
PICNIC FOLLOWING @ GEVINSON'S @ 2:00

June 2-6
ANNUAL CONFERENCE – CHARLESTON, WVA

June 7th
EXEC MEETING – JOHN'S HOUSE

June 19th JUNIOR DEPUTY NIGHT – CEDARETTE STEAK DINNER

June 27-MDA PICNIC FOR CAMPERS AND FAMILIES @CAMP MARIA

ALL MEETINGS - 7:30 pm

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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 Saturday Attest:

Norman L. Clark, PGTC

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May 15, 2004-Rockville Masonic Temple June 19, 2004-Rockville Masonic Temple

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Be not slow to visit the sick, for that shall make thee beloved

Ed Rupert, PGTC of Prince Georges' Forest, had back surgery recently and later was transferred to Laurel Rehabilitation Center. If the information given to me was correct and there are no complications, he will be home by the time the ECHO is mailed to you.

2004

May 15 Senior Deputy Night (Spirit of America attire)

31 Rockville Memorial Day Parade (Picnic 2:00 @ Gevinson's)

June 2-6 Annual Conference

19 Junior Deputy Night -Cedarette Steak Dinner 27 MDA Picnic – Camp Maria

July 24 OAPOA

Sept. 4-6 Tall Cedar Foundation Rose – Labor Day Weekend

18 Shrimp Feast (\$20.00 ea.) 4:00 to 6:30 Past Officers Night (Sport shirt night) Open Meeting

Oct. 16 Regular Meeting (Food Tasting) Cedarette Halloween Dress-up

? OAPOA-COAPOA

Nov. 20 Regular Meeting – Elections – Dinner **Cedarette Birthday Party** End of the Year Celebration (TC of the Year Award)

Dec. 19 Installation of Officers for 2005 @ 3:00 PM

DISTRICT No. 20 Forest Meetings

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

Grand Tall Cedar: Donny Smith

2nd Saturday CAPITOL FOREST NO. 104 10610 Old Fort Rd., Fort Washington, MD 7:30 P.M.

Grand Tall Cedar: Ralph Connolly

MONTGOMERY FOREST NO. 134 3rd Saturday 612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, Md.. 7:30 P.M.

Grand Tall Cedar: Warren Baker., PGTC

4th Friday **TEMPLE FOREST NO. 136** Geo. Washington MNM, Alexandria, Va. 8:00 P.M.

Grand Tall Cedar: Bill Turner

GRAND TALL CEDAR'S MESSAGE

Brother Cedars and Friends,

Mark your calendars for August 21st as a day of Fun, Frolic and Fellowship on a bus trip to Monticello in Charlottesville, VA. On page 8 of this issue of the ECHO you will find a form to fill out and return with your check to make your reservation for this bus trip.

A lot of work has been done to bring the Forest By-laws up to date and into the 21st Century. Thank you Norm Clark for all the extras you do for our Forest.

March 20th was Master Mason Night. An Open Meeting was held to receive M.W. Lee Ferguson, PGTC of Montgomery Forest and Grand Master of DC this year, and his Line Officers. Over 20 of his line were in attendance in support of this special event. After the meeting, we held a Chinese Auction. We (I) had a lot of Fun and Frolic.

I would like to thank everyone for their support, especially the Cedarettes for their outstanding meal of Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner. Thank you, Marshall, for all the extras you do to keep me straight!

May 15th Meeting will be Senior Deputy Night. Please come and support SDGTC Sol Zeidman

May 31st, we will be marching in the Rockville Memorial Day Parade. A picnic potluck will be held at the Gevinsons' at @2:00.

Cedarly, Warren

The Scribe's Corner

GTC Warren Baker's column highlights upcoming activities for the Forest for the next few months including the bus trip to Monticello on August 21st.

Forty six attended the Pit Beef "All You Can Eat" Dinner at the Lodge, with entertainment, and a meeting afterwards. Those attending appeared to have a good time. Thanks to Marshall and the GTC for their efforts and all the other workers (you know who you are).

The next activity is the Shrimp Feast to be held at the Lodge on 18 September. Please put this date on your calendar and make plans to attend. I am sure that you will have a lot of Fun, Frolic and Fellowship as well as enjoying some excellent food

A few members have not paid their dues for 2004. Please check your membership card and if it is not green with a 2004 on the card, send a check to me made out to Montgomery Forest #134 0r contact me via cedarmen@verizon.net or by phone.

Cedarly,

Norm

Steak Dinner



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Montgomery Gedarettes

Saturday, June 19, 2004

Where:

Rockville Masonic Temple

612 Great Falls Rd.

Time

4:00 - 6:30

Cost

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Adults \$15.00 per person Children Under 12 \$7.50

ADULTS AT THE DOOR \$18.00

Feast Includes

Steak, Baked Potato Salad, Rolls, Dessert Coffee, Iced Tea

Shrimp Feast



Tall Cedars of Lebanon Saturday, September 18, 2004

Where: Rockville Masonic Temple

612 Great Falls Road

<u>Time:</u> 4:00 - 6:30

| Need a Head Count erson By Sept. 11

Cost: Adults \$20.00 per person

Children \$10.00

under 12

Feast Includes Steamed Spiced Shrimp,

Sloppy Joe's, Coleslaw Potato Salad Beverages

Contact the following for Tickets: Marshall Gevinson 301 871-1653
John Huff 301 946-1707

Make checks payable to: Montgomery Forest #134

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2004

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Members of Montgomery Forest, do you enjoy coming to our Pit Beef and Shrimp Feasts ?? Other Forests attend our Feasts, ..Do you enjoy the food?? Is the price Right ?? I believe we have the cheapest and best Pit Beef and Shrimp Dinners within the area!

Do you know how much food to order to feed all the people that will attend the dinner ?? I DON'T, Unless I get an accurate HEAD COUNT.... I can only get an accurate Head Count by the number of people that either call or buy tickets by the

DEAD LINE DATE ON THE FLYER

Not knowing the number of people, I have to order for,.. I have to guess. If I guess too HIGH, food is left over and we have to pay for it.

WE LOOSE MONEY. If we loose money, then the Trustees take a hit on their Fund, which results in lost revenue for the Forest

Think about this when you get a flyer with a Dead Line Date on it.

IT IS THERE FOR A REASON

Thank you for helping us help the Forest save money **AND** you get enough to eat at the feasts.

Thoughts from Marshall Gevinson

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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

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Dear Sister Cedarettes, The Sun is shining, the birds are singing, I think Spring is truly here. Thanks to all of you who have worked so hard on the projects we have completed thus far in 2004.

Our May meeting will be a regular meeting, however, it will also be Senior Deputy Night. S.D. Sol Zeidman has planned a Chicken Dinner before the meeting; \$6.00 at 6:00. Spirit of America will be our attire, so get out your RED, WHITE and BLUE.

He has asked us to provide dessert for him. We will discuss this at our Ex. Meeting on Monday, May 3, at 7:30 my house.

Monday, May 31st, Memorial Day, and once again the Clowns along with the Men will be marching in the Rockville Parade. Grand Tall Cedar Warren is having a picnic at 2:00, Guess Where? Yes, it is at the Gevinson's house. Everyone bring a dish to share and a chair. G.T.C. will supply the meat and drinks. Please let me know if you are coming and what dish you are bringing so we have a variety.

June is our annual Steak Dinner and I will be hosting President's night. Tickets will be available at our May Ex. Meeting. If you want any extra steaks for home you may order them at the June Ex meeting, which is June 7th at Yvonne's

Please remember to set aside your unwanted valuables for our Joint Yard Sale, which will be September 11th at the Rockville Lodge.

Cedarettely, Linda In case you hadn't heard Montgomery Forest is planning a bus trip to Monticello in Charlottesville, VA. The cost of bus transportation and entrance fee is \$30.00 per person. The bus will be leaving the George Washington Masonic National Memorial @ 8:00.The dinner meal will be at Mitchie's Tavern. Price of the meal depends on what you order to eat.

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MD CAMP MARIA THEME IS MEDIEVAL TIMES

The annual picnic at Camp Maria will be held on June 27th. The Cedars and Cedarettes of District 20 will be cooking and serving approximately 160 campers and family members. Your help would be appreciated and needed to prepare, cook and serve the food. Come and enjoy an afternoon with the MD children and their parents.

If you are coming to help with the preparations, please arrive around 3:00 PM If you are coming to meet the campers and have a burger or hot dog, you should arrive around 5:00 PM

Directions from I-95/495, take Penna. Ave. (Rte. 4) toward Upper Marlboro. After you cross Rte. 234, Rte. 4 becomes St. Andrew's Church Rd. Turn left on Breton Beach Rd., go 1 mile and look for a small Camp Maria sign. Turn right on a small road and follow it into the Camp

Marshall Gevinson, TCF Trustee District 20

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