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**JANUARY 11-14,  
MIDWINTER CONFERENCE**

**JANUARY 20  
EXEC. MEETING @ 6:30  
REGULAR MEETING  
JOINT MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**FEBRUARY 5  
EXEC. MEETING**

**FEBRUARY 17  
REGULAR MEETING  
"ALL AMERICAN NIGHT"**

**ALL MEETINGS – 7:30 PM**

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## PROCLAMATION

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**

**January 20, 2001**  
**February 17, 2001**

**at Rockville Masonic Temple**  
**at Rockville Masonic Temple**

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Helen Hubbard	Charles Thaden

*Death can have no terrors, for it means being with God*

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*Be not slow to visit the sick,  
For that shall make thee be beloved*

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## 2001 Proposed Schedule

January	11-14	Mid – Winter Conference	
	20	Regular Meeting-Joint Memorial with Cedarettes	7:30 pm
February	17	All American Night – Regular Meeting	7:30 pm
March	17	Family Night – No Meeting	Dinner 7:30 pm
	18	Wreath Laying @ Mt. Vernon	1:00 pm
April	21	Past Officers Night	7:30 pm
May	19	Regular Meeting	7:30 pm
	28	Memorial Day Parade	
	30-June 4	Convention @ Niagara Falls, NY	
June	16	Cedarette Steak Dinner	5:30 pm
		Sr. Deputy Night -Sport Shirt - Open Meeting	7:30 pm
September	15	Cedarette VP Night - Pot Luck Dinner	6:00 pm
		Jr. Deputy Night – Sport Shirt – Open Meeting	7:30 pm
October	20	Regular Meeting – Nominations	7:30 pm
November	17	Cedarette Birthday Dinner	6:00 pm
		Elections – End of Year Celebration – PP Night	7:30 pm
December	15	Joint Installation with Cedarettes	7:30 pm

### DISTRICT No. 20 Forest Meetings

<b>PRINCE GEORGES FOREST NO. 104</b> <i>10800 Edmondston Road, Beltsville, Md.</i> <i>Grand Tall Cedar: Donald Hall</i>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Saturday</b> <b>7:30 p.m.</b>
<b>CAPITOL FOREST NO. 104</b> <i>108 Arapahoe Dr. Forest Heights, Md.</i> <i>Grand Tall Cedar: John "Sam" Harris</i>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday</b> <b>7:30 p.m.</b>
<b>MONTGOMERY FOREST NO. 134</b> <i>612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, Md.</i> <i>Grand Tall Cedar: Karl A. Stadler, PGTC</i>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday</b> <b>7:30 p.m.</b>
<b>TEMPLE FOREST NO. 136</b> <i>Geo. Washington MNM, Alexandria, Va.</i> <i>Grand Tall Cedar: Warren Baker, PGTC</i>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Friday</b> <b>8:00 p.m.</b>

# **Grand Tall Cedar's Message**

**BROTHER CEDARS,**

It is a pleasure and honor to serve as Grand Tall Cedar of Montgomery Forest, but I will need a lot of help this year. Our members are falling away in numbers. We have not had a new member in quite a while, and the members we have need to come to their Forest Meetings and support the Forest so it does not fold up.

For those that have Lee's last message, I echo the thoughts about the Forest.

If anyone has any ideas to help attendance or any thing you would like to see done, see that I get it. You need not sign it.

So let's all pull together in 2001 for a bigger and better Forest, **FUN, FROLIC AND FELLOWSHIP.**

Cedarly,

Karl

### *The Scribe's Corner*



Please see page 7 for information on the 2001 Convention at Niagara Falls, NY.

District Twenty and Twenty-Two are tentatively scheduled to be placed in the Ramada Inn in Niagara Falls. We need to have the reservations in to Supreme Forest by February 15, 2001. Also our final payment will be due prior to Convention. Please contact me for additional information.

GTC Karl Stadler and PGTC John Killian have been discussing the possibility of running a bus from the Washington, D.C. area to the Niagara Falls Convention. The bus would leave on Wednesday and return on Sunday. The approximate cost would be \$65.00 per person round trip based on a full bus load (40) persons. The cost would be higher for less than 40 persons.

Congratulations to the Forest Officers installed on Friday, 15 December . They are: GTC: Karl Stadler; SDGTC: Frank Colt; JDGTC: Doug Stadler; SCRIBE : Norm Clark; TREASURER: Emile Joseph and TRUSTEE: Tom Rutherford. The other Trustees are Roy Trimmer and Don Manley. PGTC Gordon Lee Ferguson was ESCORTED OUT IN TRUE MONTGOMERY FOREST FASHION.

I will be on vacation from 27 December til 3 January.

Cedarly, Norm

**2001**

**ANNUAL**

**CONVENTION**

**MAY 31 - JUNE 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2001**

**NIAGARA FALLS, NEW YORK**

**SINGLE - TWO NIGHTS \$225**

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**WE'LL HAVE FUN IN 2001**

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FEBRUARY 15, 2001 TO NORM CLARK  
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**DISTRICT TWENTY IS TENTATIVELY  
SCHEDULED TO BE HOUSED IN THE RAMADA  
INN.**



## **DO YOU LOVE LONG DRIVES ?**

**THERE IS A POSSIBILITY  
OF A BUS FROM THE DC AREA  
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CONVENTION**

**THE APPROXIMATE COST  
WOULD BE \$65.00 PER PERSON  
ROUND TRIP IF WE CAN FIND  
40 PEOPLE WHO  
DO NOT WANT TO DRIVE.**

**CONTACT GTC KARL STADLER  
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.  
301.699.9665**

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Bryan Troutman  
Kenneth Warner  
Donald White, PGTC #126, SD Reg. #2

**OAPOA / COAPOA Installation**  
**Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>**  
**11:00 Cash Bar**  
**11:30- 2:30 Lunch /Installation**  
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Linda Gevinson, PP  
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Savilla Hockman  
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Yvonne Jerman, PP, Sec.

Dorothy Betcher

Janet Clark PP  
Trustees

Nancy Smith PP

**Hello, Cedarettes:**

**I want to thank all who helped with the installation on December 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**It was a great success and from the bottom of my heart I want to thank you all. To my installing officers, you all did a wonderful job, I couldn't have been prouder to have you install me and my officers. I want to thank all the Ladies who took offices and committees, a big thank you for all the help.**

**I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season. I know I did.**

**This coming year we will be having Secret Pals. The drawing for your secret pal will be at our January 20<sup>th</sup> meeting. So if you want a secret pal, come on out to this meeting. Following this meeting will be a Joint Memorial Service for our members who have passed away. To our Past Presidents, please wear the Rose that Ginny had for you this year.**

**Our Executive Board will be on January 3<sup>rd</sup> at the home of Mirtha Stadler. If anyone needs directions, please call Mirtha at 301-549-1723. Our February 7<sup>th</sup> Executive Board will be at the home of Sonja Lumpkin.**

**Our meeting in February will be a regular meeting.**

**Cedarettely,**

**Marilyn**

## BY LAW CHANGES

The By-Laws Committee has recommended the following changes to the Forest By-Laws.

ARTICLE VII(a) Change meeting time from 8:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.

ARTICLE VII(d).states: Change from Ten (10) to Seven (7) members to constitute a quorum in all meetings of the Forest.

These By Law changes were recommended by the Committee, approved by the GTC, posted in the Echo and **approved** by the Membership at the Forest General meeting on Nov 18, 2000.

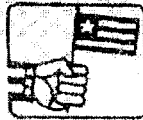
These changes were scheduled to be voted on during the October 21<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Forest. This was not possible due to the lack of a quorum.

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1973	J. Winston Blalock, Sr., PGTC	Union Bridge, MD 21791	301-898-7203
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