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Nov. 3rd EXEC MEETING JOHN'S HOUSE

Nov. 15th
REGULAR MEETING -CEDARETTE BIRTHDAY DINNER
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

Dec. 1 st EXEC MEETING – DOUG'S HOUSE

Dec. 19th
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

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 FRIDAY

Attest:

Norman L. Clark, PGTC

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Nov. 15, 2003 at Rockville Masonic Temple Dec 19, 2003 at Rockville Masonic Temple

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

We ask for your prayers for the ones listed below: G. Lee Ferguson – recovering from an infection

and all the relatives of Cedars and Cedarettes and for the Cedars and Cedarettes who have departed this mortal place as well as the ones who are in pain for their losses.

Brother George Mortimer Brother W. McGordon Ferguson

"We will cherish their memory in our hearts And commend their spirits to God who gave it"

Upcoming Schedule

November 15 – Cedarette Birthday Dinner - Regular Meeting - Elections and End of Year Celebration

December 19th-Installation of Officers for 2004

Note the date change from Saturday night to Friday night to allow Forest members to attend the Installation of **PGTC Gordon Lee Ferguson**

December 20th Installation of **RWDGM Gordon Lee Ferguson as** MWGM of the Grand Lodge of the **District of Columbia**

DISTRICT No. 20 Forest Meetings

PRINCE GEORGES FOREST NO. 139 10800 Edmondston Road, Beltsville, Md.

1st Saturday 7:30 P.M. Grand Tall Cedar: Phil Williams

CAPITOL FOREST NO. 104

10610 Old Fort Rd., Fort Washington, MD Grand Tall Cedar: Ralph Connolly

2nd Saturday 7:30 P.M.

MONTGOMERY FOREST NO. 134 612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, Md.. Grand Tall Cedar: Doug Stadler., PGTC 3rd Saturday 7:30 P.M.

TEMPLE FOREST NO. 136

Geo. Washington MNM, Alexandria, Va.

4th Friday 8:00 P.M.

Grand Tall Cedar: James Burns

GRAND TALL CEDAR'S MESSAGE

I hope that everyone enjoyed my year as Grand Tall Cedar. I hope it was a Fun, Frolic and Fellowship year for all who attended. It's hard to believe that my year is coming to an end. It has been my pleasure to serve our Forest and being the Grand Tall Cedar for 2003.

Although is seems my year as GTC has been shortened for one reason or another, I hope to be able to serve Montgomery Forest in the future.

I would like to thank my officers and The Executive Board for their help and assistance.

For all those who have not been in the Forest in a while, please come out to our November 15th End Of Year Celebration and see what you have been missing.

Cedarly, Doug Stadler

The Scribe's Corner

Mid-Winter Conference will be held 16-18 January 2004 at the Host in Lancaster. Details for registration for

the Conference are contained on page 8 of this issue of the Echo. I will send the registrations to the Supreme Forest prior to 23 November since I am leaving for Mexico on that date for a week's vacation. I always enjoy the mid-winter conferences and hope a large number of members and Cedarettes will attend. Please contact me if any one has questions regarding the Conference.

Two of our long-standing members passed away since the last issue of the ECHO. They are: Brother George Mortimer and Brother W. McGordon Ferguson, both in September. Our prayers are with their relatives and friends.

Nominations for Officers for 2004 were held at the October meeting and they are GTC-Warren Baker; SDGTC-Sol Zeidman; JDGTC-Martin Lasker; Scribe-Norm Clark-Treasurer: John Huff. Therefore, Montgomery Forest is assured of having a full line of officers for 2004. Nominations wll be reopened at the November meeting for any member desiring to run for any 2004 office.

Members should receive their 2004 dues notices and life membership cards shortly.

Cedarly, Norm

M. D. A. Christmas Party Saturday, December 8th Birmingham Masonic Lodge Beltsville, MD

The Tall Cedars are responsible for providing cookies and punch for all the children and guests

We also provide a Goodie bag of candy and fruit.

We will need volunteers to provide cookies and help prepare the goodie bags.

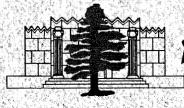
Those who would like to help should be at Birmingham Masonic Lodge between 12:00 and 1:00 P.M.

If you have any questions about the Christmas Party, contact Marshall Gevinson,

TCF Trustee for District 20

301-871-1653 or

mgevins@bechtol.com



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Installation of

Friday Decen 7:30



Warren Baker Grand Tall Cedar Elect Montgomery Forest #134

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Linda H. Gevinson President Elect

Montgomery Cedarettes



2003 Midwinter Conference

January 16, 17, 18, 2003

Lancaster Host Resort and Conference Center

\$370.80 per double occupancy (for other rates, contact Norm Clark, Scribe

Reservation fee of \$50.00 (make checks payable to Montgomery Forest) and send to Norm Clark not later than November 20, 2003

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2003

365 Club

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ANNOUNCEMENT

In case you haven't heard, Montgomery Forest's own PGTC (2), PDDSTC

G. Lee Ferguson will be

installed by the

Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia as

Most Worshipful Grand Master of D.C.

in the Scottish Rite Auditorium 2800 – 16th St. N.W. on Saturday, December 20, 2003

> at 6:00 PM

365 Club and BOOSTERS

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MONTGOMERY CEDARETTES CHARTERED NOVEMBER 2, 1978 ELECTED OFFICERS FOR 2003

Mirtha Stadler, President

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Dear Cedarettes,

It's hard to believe that my year is almost over. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Nominating Committee. I also want to congratulate all the new officers for the coming year. You have my full support for next year.

Our November Meeting is our Birthday Dinner. We will be having a Pot Luck Dinner. Please bring a dish to serve at least 6 people.

The December Executive Board Meeting will be held at my house. As many of you have heard, Doug and I are moving to Gaithersburg, MD. Please call me for directions to the new house (301-549-1723) work phone number (410-448-4300x7148.

On December 17, 2003 we will be meeting at the Hall to practice for Installation.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our November Meeting.

Thank you,

Sincerely, Mirtha

COAPOA/OAPOA

Installation of Officers

Buffet

You are cordially invited to Attend the

COAPOA/OAPOA Installation

WHEN: Saturday, January 24, 2004
WHERE: Phillip's Flagship Restaurant

900 Water St., SW, Wash., D.C.

TIME: 11:00 - 11:30 AM Social Hour

11:30 - Buffet and Installation

COST: To Be Determined

Cash Bar

ALL RESERVATIONS AND CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 11, 2004

Buffet includes: steamed spiced shrimp, clams, mussels, Baked, broiled, fried and blackened fish, jambalaya, pastas & other entrees, fresh soups and salads, vegetables, starches, and desserts, variety of breakfast foods, plus coffee and tea

Adults \$22.00 Children \$11.00
Please mail all reservations with checks to Jane Weaver.
Make all <u>CHECKS</u> payable to COA/POA and mail to:

Jane Weaver 4714 Muskogee St. College Park, MD 20740 Telephone 301-474-0837

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