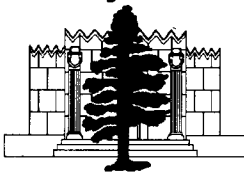


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**No. 2**

**March 5<sup>th</sup>  
Executive Board**

**March 15th  
Regular Meeting  
Dinner Before the Meeting \$6.00**

**April 2nd  
Executive Board**

**There will be no April Meeting  
due to the Jewish Holidays**

**Exec Board and Meetings will be held at  
Montgomery-Cornerstone Lodge**

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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:

**March 15, 2008**

**Rockville Masonic Temple**

**No meeting in April due to Jewish Holidays**

Attest: Norman L. Clark, PGTC  
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**Be not slow to visit the sick,  
for that shall make thee beloved**

# 2008

**March 5<sup>th</sup>.Exec Meeting**

**15<sup>th</sup>.Reg. Meeting**

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>.Exec Meeting**

**April – No Meeting due to the Jewish Holidays**

**May 7<sup>th</sup>-Exec Meeting**

**17<sup>th</sup>-Reg. Meeting**

**June 4<sup>th</sup>-Exec Meeting**

**21<sup>st</sup>- Reg. Meeting**

**(Senior Deputy Meeting)**

**September 3<sup>rd</sup>-Exec Meeting**

**September 20<sup>th</sup> No Meeting SHRIMP FEAST**

**October 1<sup>st</sup>- Exec Meeting .**

**18<sup>th</sup>-Reg.Meeting**

**(Junior Deputy Night)**

**November 5<sup>th</sup>-Exec Meeting**

**15<sup>th</sup>-Reg. Meeting**

**Past Presidents' Night**

**Cedarettes' Birthday**

**December 3<sup>rd</sup>-Exec Meeting**

**20<sup>th</sup> Installation**

## DISTRICT No. 20 Forest Meetings

**CAPITOL FOREST NO. 104**

**2<sup>nd</sup>. Saturday**

*10610 Old Fort Rd., Fort Washington, MD*

**Lunch @12-Meeting afterward**

*Grand Tall Cedar: Bill Chaney, PGTC*

**MONTGOMERY FOREST NO. 134**

**3<sup>rd</sup>. Saturday**

*612 Great Falls Road, Rockville, Md..*

**7:30 P.M.**

*Grand Tall Cedar: Doug Stadler, PGTC*

**TEMPLE FOREST NO. 136**

**4<sup>th</sup>. Friday**

*Geo. Washington MNM, Alexandria, Va.*

**8:00 P.M.**

*Grand Tall Cedar: Giles A. Light Jr., GTC*

**PRINCE GEORGES FOREST NO. 139**

**1<sup>st</sup>. Saturday**

*10800 Edmondston Road, Beltsville, Md.*

**7:30 P.M.**

## **GRAND TALL CEDAR'S MESSAGE**

**WINTER HAS COME & GONE AND WE ARE READY FOR SPRING . FOR THE MEMBERS THAT DID NOT GO YOU MISSED A GREAT TIME AT MID-WINTER .**

**THERE WAS A LOT TO LEARN AND PLENTY TO DO !! DON'T FORGET ELVIS IS COMING BACK TO DO ANOTHER SHOW AT OUR MARCH MEETING.**

**THIS IS ALSO MASTER MASON NIGHT. ALL MASTER MASONS WHO ARE NOT TALL CEDARS & THEIR LADIES ARE OUR GUESTS FOR DINNER . IF YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO COME, PLEASE GIVE THEM AN INVITE .**

**I WILL NEED A HEAD COUNT FOR DINNER PLEASE CALL ME AT 301-785-9387 or e-mail @ memoriesdjs@verizon.net for reservations.**

**WE NEED AN ACCURATE COUNT FOR DINNER . THERE WILL BE NO MEETING IN APRIL BECAUSE OF PASSOVER!!**

**REMEMBER, MONEY WILL BE DUE AT OUR MARCH MEETING FOR CONVENTION, YOU CAN'T GET A BETTER PRICE ANYWHERE FOR AN OCEAN FRONT SUITE !!!!!!**

**SEE YOU THERE !**



## *The Scribe's Corner*

The Forest got off to a slow start this year with January meeting cancelled because of Mid-Winter and February Executive Committee. The Annual Memorial Service was held in February honoring five members who passed away in 2007.

At the March Meeting, the Grand Tall Cedar is having an Elvis performer and I am sure that all who attend will enjoy the entertainment.

The Annual Shrimp Feast will be held on Saturday, 27 Sept. at the Rockville Masonic Temple. Those members living in the area should be sure to put this date on your calendar and enjoy the Fun, Frolic, Fellowship and good food.

Brother James Stargel sat in the East as the JDGTC for the first time and was welcomed by all members present.

Claire Menke, age 12, has been selected as the Forest Ambassador. She lives with her parents, Jay and Daeen, sisters Emily and Amanda and brother Alex. She has been diagnosed with SMA III and has a service dog named Xavier. She is also the Supreme Forest Ambassador for 2008 and I am her escort. Cedarly, Norm

**The Grand Tall Cedar has made arrangements for the Forest to be housed at the Water's Edge Resort Hotel. The Forest has had a very good relationship with the Water's Edge since 1998.**

**The rooms are well kept with daily maid service. The hotel is within walking distance from the Convention Center which means you can stretch your legs on the walk to the hotel and remove any kinks you might have picked up on the bleachers in the Center.**

**The room rates are  
\$70.00 for the ground floor  
\$75.00 for the hotel rooms with two beds  
\$85 for one bedroom suites**

**All rooms are ocean front.**



**TALL CEDAR WEEK  
MARCH 18-24, 2008  
DISTRICT 20, TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON**

**Annual Wreath Laying Ceremony**

**at the tomb of**

**Worshipful Brother George Washington**

**Sunday, March 16, 2008**

**Photo Session at 1:30PM**

**Assemble at the Main Gate 1:45 PM**

**Procession to the tomb 2:00 PM**

**Social Hour with hot and cold hors d'oeuvres  
Beverages (hot and cold) and a lot of  
Fun, Frolic and Fellowship at**

**Collingwood Library and Museum  
8301 East Boulevard Dr., Alexandria, VA**

**Collingwood signs will be placed on the  
George Washington Memorial Parkway**

## **2008 Boosters**

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Lemoine Dickinson, PSTC  
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Matthew Haley  
Larry Heyson  
Bruce Kosian  
Ronald Perkins, DDSTC #20,  
PGTC #139

## **2008 365 Club**

Ed Berardi, PGTC  
William Edwards  
Birna Lenahan  
William McGrath

Joanne Robinson  
Walter Robinson  
Roy Trimmer, PTrus

## **365 Club and BOOSTERS**

<b>Judy Alexander</b>	<b>Duncan Jerman Jr, PGTC(2)</b>
<b>Robert Alexander, PTreas</b>	<b>Robert Jones</b>
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<b>Cloyd Bittner, PTrus</b>	<b>Theodore Kahn, PGM</b>
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<b>Paul Carrothers, PGTC</b>	<b>William McGrath</b>
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<b>Al Fleisher, PGTC #134 &amp; 193</b>	<b>Charles Ware, PGTC, Trus</b>
<b>Linda Gevinson, PP</b>	<b>Royce Watson</b>
<b>Marshall Gevinson, PGTC (2),</b>	<b>Ellen Wright</b>
<b>TCF Trustee</b>	<b>Charlotte Zeidman</b>
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<b>John Huff, PGTC, Treas</b>	<b>PGTC #134(2)</b>

**Congratulations**  
**Marshall Gevinson for receiving**  
**The Supreme Tall Cedar's Award**  
**at Mid-Winter for all his help throughout 2007**



**MONTGOMERY CEDARETTES**  
**CHARTERED NOVEMBER 2, 1978**  
**Elected Officers for 2008**

**Mirtha Stadler, PP**

**Charlotte Zeidman, 1<sup>st</sup> VP**

**Vicki Krouse, Treas.**

**Marilyn Stadler PP, Sec.**

**Trustees**

**Diane Soldano**

**Diane Huff PP**

**Janet Clark PP**

**Hi Ladies,**

**It was nice to see everyone this past Saturday night at our Regular Meeting. I want to thank everyone for coming a few minutes early so we could meet before the Regular Meeting.**

**Our next meeting is Executive Board Meeting will be Wednesday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at the Lodge Hall and Diane Soldano is in charge of bringing refresh-ments to the meeting. The ladies' meeting will start at 7:15, no later than 7:30. We are looking forward to Convention. If you can not make it please e-mail or call me. My e-mail is [mirtha20866@yahoo.com](mailto:mirtha20866@yahoo.com) and my cell phone is 301-785-9798.**

**Our next Regular meeting is March 15 and you will not want to miss this meeting. It is an open meeting. It is Master Mason night and for dinner we are having an Italian night and after dinner and our meeting – get ready for “Elvis”.**

**If you need a ride to the meeting please give us a call, we would like to have you all attend.**

**Cedarettly,**

**Mirtha Stadler, President**

# **5<sup>th</sup> Annual MDA *Stride & Ride***

**Your local MDA office is currently recruiting teams to participate in this fun and unique walking event.**

(The teams will walk a pre-determined path INSIDE )

We invite everyone to join us. Please call  
*Linda Gevinson , PP 301-871-1653*

*Linda has the Stride-N-Ride packets.*

Last year the Men, signed on as part of the Cedarette Walking Team. We all had a good time and raised a lot of money for MD.

The goal of each team member is to raise at least \$62...that's one minute of vital research

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