

DEDICATION PROGRAM
Atlanta Stadium
April 12, 1966

Participants

- ok 1. ~~All those participating in the dedication of the Stadium have been invited to a reception at the Braves Offices in the Stadium at 5:45 p. m.~~
2. Each person has received a letter from Arthur Montgomery notifying them to assemble at the top of the down ramp at Gate K at 6:45 p. m. to be escorted down to the field. Sid Scarbrough, Jim Hay & Ann Moses will direct them.
3. ^{7:30} Ceremonies will begin at 7:15 p. m. - The plaque will be on the ^{between 1st & 2nd base} field and the ~~following people~~ ^{participants -} will go on the field and ^{line up on either side of it.} surround it:
- Governor Sanders
- Mayor and Board of Aldermen
- County Commissioners
- Stadium Authority Members
Reuben Smith
4. Milo Hamilton, Dr. Bevel Jones, Warren Giles, Bill Bartholomay, John McHale and Mayor Joseph M. Barr assemble at microphone.
5. Milo introduces ^{Pick} Dr. Bevel Jones, ^{Pastor} President, Greater Atlanta Council of Churches *St Mark Methodist Church*
6. Dr. Jones gives invocation. ~~(and can leave field)~~
7. Milo introduces as a body, Atlanta Stadium Authority, County Commissioners, Mayor and Board of Aldermen, ~~Governor Sanders~~, ending with Stadium Authority Chairman, Arthur Montgomery.
8. ^{We introduce who} Arthur Montgomery unveils plaque.
9. ~~Plaque is rolled off the field, followed by Stadium Authority, County Commissioners, and Board of Aldermen.~~
10. Governor Sanders, Mayor Allen, Commissioner Lindsey and Arthur Montgomery join Milo at microphone.
11. Milo introduces the following ~~for a 30 second or less speech~~ ^{John S} *who steps forward & take a bow*
- Governor Carl Sanders
- Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr.
- turn around & recognize entire stadium with and get crowd waves.*

Mayor Joseph M. Barr
of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Fulton Co. Commission Chairman Archie Lindsey

President of the National League, Warren Giles.

Milo: *Presents*

→ Arthur Montgomery

12. Montgomery makes presentation of ~~trophy~~ to Bill Bartholomay.
13. Bartholomay responds to Montgomery, ~~accepting the Stadium for the Braves.~~
14. Bartholomay introduces John McHale, Pres ident and General Manager
and Rankin Smith - Pres Atlanta
15. ~~McHale comments. . . and all leave field except Milo.~~
All participants remain on field.
16. Mayor Allen uses steps up above Braves dugout where he remains until he throws out ball.
17. Stadium is darkened, Milo introduces each player beginning with the Pirates and each is spotlighted as he comes on the field. 8 - 10 minutes.
18. Third Army Band ~~will be waiting at entrance to stadium, and just before introductions are finished. . . will assemble in formation on the grass in center field behind second base.~~ *field*
19. ~~Players return to dugout. . . Color Guard approaches flag staff. . . and Milo asks everyone to stand for the National Anthem.~~
20. *participants by steps over Braves dugout -*
~~All leave field - Milo returns to press box, and Warm up begins.~~
21. *PA* ~~Milo announces Mayor Allen will throw first ball - Joe Mauer catches~~
Jerry Sachs will cue Allen when to throw -
22. Ball game begins.
23. During the game, Milo will announce ~~any~~ special guests seated in the Stadium. *will be recognized on the message board*