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Cabarrus College Celebrates 70th Anniversary

Concord, N.C. — Cabarrus College celebrated its 70th anniversary and homecoming in style on October 20 with a fun filled day on a sun drenched Saturday afternoon. Over 200 alumni, faculty, staff, students, friends and adventure seeking kids of all ages soaked up all the fun. The class of 1967 won the prize for the most graduates attending with eight, celebrating their 45th anniversary of graduating.

The celebration was designed to entertain all ages and did not disappoint. Activities for the young and young at heart included carnival games, face painting, a cake walk, corn hole, Bouncy House, live music provided by DJ Barry Nix, and cars



representing each decade since the 1940's. Barbara Lockman, author of a book on the 75th anniversary of CMC-NorthEast shared with the crowd information about the book and the history of the medical center. A tour was also offered of the History Wall at CMC-NorthEast. A delicious lunch was catered by local favorite Gary's Barbeque of China

Grove. Janet Wright '66 described the homecoming "as a special day for all of the alumni that attended. We all enjoyed reminiscing with classmates and friends, many of whom we had not seen since graduation."



Melanie Gass, coordinator of alumni affairs stated, "This is the first time that we have held such an event that includes, alumni, students, faculty, staff and friends of the College. I am thrilled with the attendance we had, which reached well over 200! Our hope is that by making our Homecoming Celebration an annual tradition, the attendance will grow each year. We want this Celebration to be an event that everyone in our College family looks forward to each year. The success of this event has invigorated myself and many others at the College to continue to create meaningful traditions that will reinforce the connection that our alumni and students have to Cabarrus College of Health Sciences."

For information about alumni activities at Cabarrus College contact Melanie Gass at 704-403-1613.

Scenes from Cabarrus College's 70th Anniversary Celebration



About Cabarrus College of Health Sciences

Cabarrus College of Health Sciences, an affiliate of Carolinas HealthCare System, is located on the campus of Carolinas Medical Center-NorthEast in Concord, N.C. Five hundred and fourteen students are enrolled in six associate degree and three baccalaureate completion programs. Associate degree programs include medical assistant, nursing, occupational therapy assistant, pharmacy technology, surgical technology and associate in science. Baccalaureate completion programs include health services leadership and management, medical imaging and nursing. The College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. For additional information, visit www.cabarruscollege.edu.

About Carolinas HealthCare System

[Carolinas HealthCare System](http://www.carolinashealthcare.org) (www.carolinashealthcare.org), one of the nation's leading and most innovative healthcare organizations, provides a full spectrum of healthcare and wellness programs throughout North and South Carolina. Its diverse network of more than 650 care locations includes academic medical centers, hospitals, healthcare pavilions, physician practices, destination centers, surgical and rehabilitation centers, home health agencies, nursing homes and hospice and palliative care. CHS works to improve and enhance the overall health and wellbeing of its communities through high quality patient care, education and research programs, and numerous collaborative partnerships and initiatives.

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