

# ALUMNI CORNER



**Alumni Reunion 2015 "Silver Jubilee"**– this year set many records for the CCS Alumni. The whole community of Cincy and surrounding towns came alive as alumni returned for their reunions and records were set. A beautiful summer day that began at 10 am with the soccer game (**record turn out to date and the most female players ever attending**).

Visitors continued their day with meetings and individual class gatherings, enjoying the display at Heritage Hall, and of course visiting the Kellogg Free Library followed by the fantastic music provided by the Old Timers Band (**record audience attending**). All events at the Library are offered in recognition of Founders Day and very appreciated by us all.



The clock striking 3:30 pm saw many alumni and community members coming in for the tour of the school. Many alumni had not been here for 50 years were very surprised and pleased.

Following the tour, our guests, anticipating the Annual Alumni Program, filled the Wilbur Auditorium. They were not to be disappointed. Such fun and emotion was shared by us all.

Several retired teachers attended the program this year. We were pleased to welcome retired teachers Donna Marsh, Joanne Holcomb, Sally Swisher and husband Bill Swisher, Larry McFarland and wife Connie, Janet Hanna, Jim Nord and class of 65 guests Mary Bickford, and John Samsel.



**Cincinnatus Class of 1965**

This year saw the 50 year graduates of the Class of 1965 take center stage for their class roll read by Eric King , (**with a record number of classmates attending**). Picture at left shows the Class of '65 out to a BBQ the night before Alumni Dinner at school.

Also during the program, Mrs. Betty (Daily) Fish was presented with an award for being the oldest graduate there. Betty graduated 80 years ago in 1935 and is: sharp as a tack; sweet as an angel; and bright as a star. She is 96 years old and very well respected. She was escorted by her son, Dan, his lovely wife, and mother in-law.

One wouldn't think it could get any better, but it did as the most delicious ham and roast beef dinner was served to 300 people, (a record number).

We go on record, no pun intended, to say we had a wonderful weekend and look forward to another one the first Saturday of August 2016, when we celebrate "It Began with the Green and Gold". As we look forward to next year please remember, we always appreciate feedback, suggestion, and involvement, as we strive to make the Annual Alumni Program and Dinner enjoyable as best we can. Thank you!

....Till next time, Terena Loomis, Chairperson