



An event plagued by rain the year before, this year's Student Council Carnival was again threatened to be reluctantly moved indoors. But luckily the weather cooperated and the event was held out on the front lawn. "This was the first year the carnival was outside - we tried to do it outside last year but it rained. I think it went really well. We were contemplating on moving it inside but then we wouldn't have been able to tie dye and have some of the inflatables," said Rachel Kolb ('16), a co-chair of the event.

Made enjoyable by the inclusion of most of the clubs, students were able to walk from booth to booth and participate in activities put on by their fellow students. Jessica Olson ('18) remembered "activities like dunking teachers in a tank, tie-dye, live music, and they gave away cotton candy and it was actually pretty good." Evident by the line of students spanning across the parking lot, the free cotton candy was a hit with the students.

Perhaps unsurprisingly, the most popular event was the tie-dye spring fling t-shirts hosted by student council. "I think tie dying was also a huge success because you could create your own shirt and personalize it, also student council has never done anything like that before so it was different."

Just a few booths down was the Red Kettle Club table, where club treasurer Lucy Kwiatkowski ('16) was handing out snow cones, "We went with red snow cones because it's red kettle club." The group was attempting to draw in more members, and strangely enough, meeting attendance doubled the next week. Continuing, she said "Looking back, I just remember that my hands were really cold from scooping all the crushed ice."

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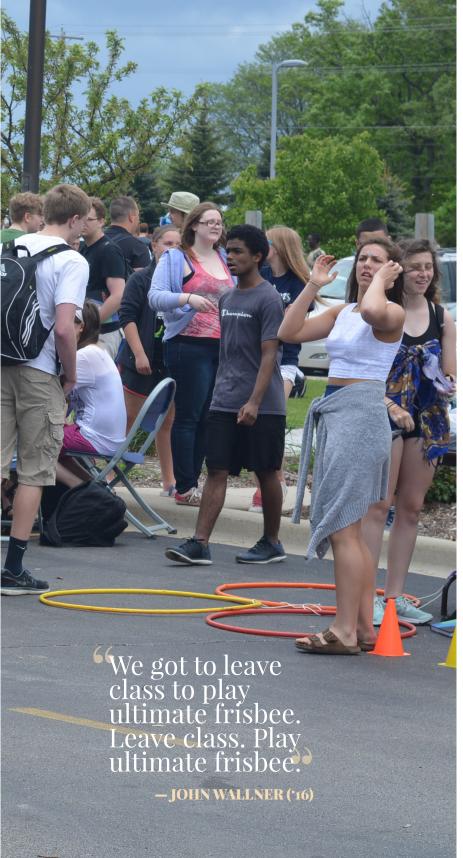
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■ CARNIES Jane Gehringer(16), Cinthya Treto (17), and Rachel Johnson(17) talk about their favorite activities they saw at the Carnival. ② GIRLS OUTSIDE Ms. Stephanie Collins walks around the festival, smiling as she spots her favorite students at the carnival. ③ GO FOR THE GOLD Henna comes from the powdered leaves of a tropical shrub that is then used as a dye to color the hair and decorate the body. Dhara Patel ('17) paints a beautiful Henna design

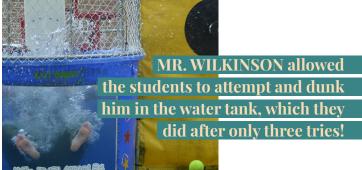
on a student's hand. **CHILL OUT** Lucy Kwiatkowski ('16) quickly makes snow cones for students, representing the Red Kettle Club. "Looking back, I just remember that my hands were really cold," Lucy said. **MR. AMERICA** Mr. Joel Nellis walks outside the front entrance of Brookfield Central, blown away by the huge plethora of booths and activities in the parking lot. Little did he know, he'd be drowned in the dunk tank just a few minutes later...





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