

North Central Missouri College  
**COMMENCEMENT**

May 10, 2025   1:00 p.m.

**ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE, NURSING**

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PROCESSIONAL	Sterling Recker <i>Faculty Senate President</i>
	Korynn Skipper and Vel Westbrook <i>Faculty Marshals</i>
PRESENTATION OF COLORS	Army National Guard <i>548th Transportation Company</i>
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Sarabeth Michael <i>Graduate</i>
WELCOME AND EVOCATION	Cole Henderson <i>Student Senate President</i>
INTRODUCTION OF PLATFORM GUESTS AND SPEAKER	Dr. Lenny Klaver <i>NCMC President</i>
ADDRESS	Joe Abrutz <i>Hospital Administrator, Cameron Regional Medical</i>
PRESENTING THE CLASS OF 2025	Dr. Tristan Londre <i>Vice President of Academic Affairs</i>
CONFERRING OF DEGREES	Dr. Lenny Klaver
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS, CERTIFICATES, HONORS AND NURSING PINS	Dr. Lenny Klaver Board of Trustees Nursing Faculty
TURNING OF THE TASSEL	Dr. Kristen Alley <i>Vice President of Student Affairs</i>
ALUMNI WELCOME	Christopher Hoffman <i>Alumnus/Board of Trustees President</i>
RECESSIONAL	Abigail Bilby and Shanna Nichols <i>Faculty Marshals</i>

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Colby P. Dorvil  
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Marcella Epperson  
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Rayida Marie Grooms  
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Ashley Brooke Sterkis  
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Krystal Leanne Stout  
Cassie Jo Strathman  
Grace Adelyn Taylor  
Kelsi LeighAnn Thee

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Jessica Lea Ury*	Ali Madeline Westcott
Madelin Lynn Vaught	Jennifer Carol Wheeler
Cassidy Nicole Waddle	Jaycee Alana Williams
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Wesley Donovan Waine	Mickenzie Marie Wine
Danielle Joanne Walters	Kensley Christina Wood



**Joe Abrutz**

Joe Abrutz has been the Hospital Administrator of Cameron Regional Medical Center since April 1, 1991. He has the pleasure of working alongside CRMC’s Board of Directors, Physicians, Mid-levels, Employees and Volunteers to help CRMC become the leader of comprehensive rural health care services in Northwest Missouri. CRMC provides quality access to care that touches the lives of patients in over ten counties including free transportation to patients who are unable to obtain transportation on their own. CRMC boasts 16 primary care clinics, 17 specialty clinics, an intensive care unit, inpatient acute rehab, level III stroke center and a sleep lab. This great team prides themselves on their emergency, med surge, surgical, radiology, laboratory, physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy services. Cameron Regional Medical Center also provides life saving care that includes Ob/GYN, renal dialysis and outpatient psychiatric which are labeled as “desert” health care services.

Joe Abrutz is an active member in his community and has served as President of the Rotary Club, President of the Lions Club, and is currently serving on the Board of the Economic Development Committee of Cameron. He lives with Deborah, his wife of over 45 years, in Cameron, Missouri. Joe Abrutz is the proud father of Joe Abrutz III who is a Naval Academy Graduate and Commander in the U.S. Navy and Nicholas Abrutz who graduated with a Masters of Business Administration at Rockhurst and is employed at Oracle in Austin, Texas.

Joe Abrutz holds a Bachelor of Arts in Health Care Administration from the University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona with a specialization in Rural Health Care Administration.



CERTIFICATE, PRACTICAL NURSING

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Kristen Marie Booth\*  
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Danielle Nichole Brown  
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NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI COLLEGE

Founded in 1925 as Trenton Junior College (TJC), North Central Missouri College (NCMC) is the second oldest community college in Missouri and the 75th oldest in the United States. For nearly 100 years, North Central Missouri College has been helping individuals reach their educational goals. Our small class sizes, highly qualified and caring instructors, tutoring services, and affordable tuition make the goal of an excellent college education attainable.

North Central Missouri College is accredited by the Missouri Department of Higher Learning and the Higher Learning Commission, a member of the North Central Association. NCMC is also an A+ Scholarship Program Institution and is designated a Military Friendly School.

Today we congratulate our graduates on their success and wish them all the best in their future endeavors. We welcome families and friends of our students to campus. Thank you for your support and guidance in helping your graduate succeed at North Central Missouri College.

GRADUATE COLORS

**Red, white, and blue cords** designate current or previous service in the United States military.

**Gold stoles and/or gold tassels** signify members of Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society.

**Royal blue cords** signify members of Phi Mu Epsilon, a values-based women’s organization.

**Double white cords** signify graduates of the Level II Associate Degree Nursing program.

**Single white cords** signify graduates of the Level I Practical Nursing program.

**Blue and blue/gold cords** signify those who have earned an American FFA Degree.

**Black and teal** signify members of the TRIO Student Support Services program.

**Silver cords** signify graduates of the Radiologic Technology Program.

HONORS RECOGNITION

\*\* Graduating with Highest Honors (3.85 or higher GPA)  
\* Graduating with Honors (3.50-3.84 GPA)

*To qualify for graduate recognition, at least fifty percent of the student’s coursework in the program must be completed at NCMC. Graduates “with honors” are those with grade point averages on NCMC coursework of 3.5 to 3.84, and graduates “with highest honors” are those with grade point averages on NCMC coursework of 3.85 or above. Spring commencement honors are based upon the grade point average at the end of fall term. Final graduate honors are acknowledged on the final transcript and may be different from those announced at commencement*

Class of 2025

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