

# Belco School Sales In North Carolina (1959-2017)

For over 50 years, **700+** NC schools, colleges & pro teams selected Belco to handle their athletic laundry needs. The average life of our equipment is 20+ years. However, it is not uncommon to find 30+ year old Belco Washers & Dryers still in operation. Many of our NC customers are on their second and third generation Belco's. Concord High School in Concord, has the distinguished honor of having the oldest Belco machine. On 8/08/17, their 1967 Belco Dryer will celebrate its **50th Birthday!**

Ahoskie	- Hertford County HS '77 '96 '07	- Davis Middle School '93 '08	Denver	- East Lincoln HS '68 '84 '03 '14	- Southeast HS '05 '11
Albemarle	- Albemarle High School '93 '10	- Eastway Middle Schl '90 '05	Dobson	- Central Surry HS '75 '99 '10	- Sumner High School '65
	- Albemarle MS '95	- East Mecklenburg HS '96	Dudley	- Southern Wayne HS '00	- West Guilford HS '68 '75 '17
Andrews	- Andrews High School '88 '07	- Garinger HS '61 '08 '09	Dunn	- Midway High School '00	Greenville
Angier	- Harnett Central '77 '99 '09 '16	- Graham MS '65 '98	Durham	- Durham Bulls Baseball '87	- Aycock Middle School '70
	- Harnett Central MS '98	- Harding HS '78 '88 '98		- Brogden Middle School '96	- DH Conley HS '11 '14
Apex	- Apex High School '75 '94 '99	- Hawthorne MS '65 '84 '94		- Carington Middle School '16	- East Carolina Univ '66
	- Apex Middle School '78	- Hopewell High School '01		- Chewning Middle School '75	- Hope Middle School '06
	- Apex Friendship HS '15	- Hough High School '09		- NC School of the Arts '84 '05	- Rose HS '62 '65
	- Lufkin Road MS '98	- Independence HS '66 '89 '14		- Duke University '66	- Wintergreen MS '05
Arden	- Christ School '81 '88 '95	- Irwin Elementary School '95		- Hillside High School '94	Gumberry
Asheboro	- Asheboro High School '61	- Kennedy Middle School '89		- Jordan High School '81'02	- Northampton East HS '85
	- Asheboro MS '73	- Martin Luther King MS '03		- Lowes Grove MS '76	- Northampton West HS '85
Asheville	- Asheville HS '65 '88 '93 '06 '11	- Martin Middle School '98 '08		- Middle School "B" '12	Hamlet
	- Asheville MS '86 '16	- McClintock MS '65 '88 '97 '08		- NC Central Univ '80 '84 '03 '05	- Hamlet High School '62
	- Erwin High Schl '64 '79 '03 '07	- Metro Middle School '05		- Northern High School '96	Harrisburg
	- AC Reynolds HS '66 '92 '01	- Myers Park High School '03		- Southern High School '91	- Hickory Ridge MS '10
	- TC Roberson HS '68 '94 '01	- Northeast MS '91 '01 '07	East Bend	- Flat Rock MS '78 '82	Havelock
	- South French Broad HS '68	- Northridge Middle School '96	E. Flat Rock	- E Henderson HS '64 '93	- Havelock Middle Schl '99
	- UNC Asheville '86 '88	- Northside Christian '90 '01		- Morehead HS '77 '84 '02	Hays
	- Southern Nash HS '11	- Northwest Middle Schl '67 '90	Eden	- Holmes Middle School '85	- North Wilkes High School '95
Bakersville	- Mitchell HS '81 '82 '98 '07 '09	- Olympic HS '66 '89 '98		- Gravelly Hill Middle School '06	Hayesville
Banner Elk	- Lees McRae College '75	- Piedmont MS '89 '00 '04	Efland	- Elizabethtown - East Bladen HS '77 '02	Henderson
Barco	- Currituck Co HS '76 '98	- Providence Day School '79 '10	Elizabethtown	- Bladen MS '99	Hendersonville
	- Currituck Co MS '05 '08	- Providence HS '89, '07		- Bladen MS '99	- Hendersonville HS '98
Bear Creek	- Chatham High School '73	- Quail Hollow MS '65 '91'99 '08	Elon College	- W Alamance HS '65 '84	- N Henderson HS '87
Beaufort	- East Carteret HS '92	- Randolph MS '67 '91	Elkin	- Elkin High School '82 '08 '09	- W Henderson HS '64 '82 '96 '07
Belmont	- Belmont Abbey College '88	- Ransom Middle Schl '65 '88 '08	Enka	- Enka High School '77 '03 '09	- Rugby Middle Schl '82 '84
	- South Point High School '74 '17	- Reid Park Elementary '94	Erwin	- Triton High School '85 '04	Hertford
Benson	- West Johnston HS '02 '15	- Robinson MS '02	Fairmont	- Fairmont High School '92 '15	Hickory
Bessemer City	- High School '76 '84 '02 '11	- Sedgefield MS '62 '86 '04 '08	Fayetteville	- Fayetteville St U '80 '95 '02 '04	- Hickory HS '74 '92 '07 '15
Beulaville	- East Duplin HS '87 '92 '05 '10	- Smithfield Church Elem '93		- Jack Britt HS '00	- Lenior Rhyne Col '63 '77 '96
Bischoe	- East Montgomery HS '81	- JC Smith University '67 '86 '06		- Douglas Byrd MS '72 '95	- Catawba Valley Com Col '09
Black Mtn	- Owen HS '08	- South Charlotte MS '93		- Cape Fear HS '69 '86 '93 '02	- College Park MS '97
Bladenboro	- West Bladen HS '77 '02	- South Meck HS '78 '99 '04		- Griffin Middle School '99	- Grandview Middle School '97
Boiling Sprgs	- Garner Webb College '84 '87	- Spauigh MS '62 '00 '16		- Hillcrest Middle School '85	- St Stevens HS '03
Boone	- Appalachian State Univ '94	- South West MS '02		- Mac Williams MS '96	Hillsborough
	- Watauga HS '65 '99	- Turning Point Academy '16		- Max Abbot MS '09	- Cedar Ridge HS '02
Boonville	- Starmont High School '86 '06	- UNC Charlotte '78 '94 '11		- Pine Forest HS '72 '96 '02 '14	- Gravelly Hill HS '06
Bostic	- East Rutherford MS '98	- Univ Park Creative Arts '98		- Reid Ross High School '85	- Orange Co HS '00 '07
Brevard	- Brevard HS '76 '86 '94 '16	- Vance High School '97		- Terry Sanford HS '85 '07	- Stanback MS '03
	- Brevard Middle School '95	- Victory Christian School '04		- Seventy First HS '80 '96 '16	- Stanfort MS '85 '98
Bunn	- Bunn High School '89 '01 '15	- Waddell High School '01		- EE Smith High Schl '84 '89 '05	- Grays Creek High Schl '02 '09
Burlington	- Cummings HS '70 '93	- West Charlotte '66 '85 '99 '15		- Westover HS '78 '94 '14	- Grays Creek MS '01
	- Broadview MS '00	- West Mecklenburg HS '64 '10		- New Chase MS '99	Holly Ridge
	- Turentine MS '02	- Williams Middle School '63 '87		- Ft Bragg High School '72	- Dixon High School '97
Burnsville	- Walter M. Williams HS '11	- Wilson MS '66 '77 '93 '08	Forest City	- Irwin Middle School '83	- South View HS '72 '90 '03
Camden	- Mt Heritage HS '07	- York Rd Middle School '66		- South Johnston HS '95	Holly Springs
	- Camden County HS '84 '02	- Cherokee High School '81	Fort Bragg	- Franklin High School '05	- Holly Grove MS '10
	- Camden County MS '02	- Cherryville HS '68 '95		- FV HS '75 '04 '09	Hudson
Cameron	- Union Pines HS '88 '04	- China Grove - China Grove MS '78		- FV Middle School '73 '03	- Hudson High School '65 '77
Canton	- Pisgah High School '66 '84 '88	- Jesse Carson HS '06	Four Oaks	- Garner High School '71 '80 '07	- Hudson Middle School '03
	- Canton Middle School '68	- South Rowan HS '75 '95 '05		- East Garner Middle School '69	- Caldwell Com Col '74 '87 '00
Carbro	- Carboro High School '07	- Southside High School '99	Franklin	- North Garner MS '74 '97	- South Caldwell HS '90 '94
Cary	- Cary HS '67 '75 '99 '06	- Clarkton High School '77	Fugauy Varinia	- South Garner HS '16	Huntersville
	- Davis Drive MS '94 '95 '16	- Clarkton Middle School '77		- Northampton West HS '00	- Alexander MS '68 '91 '96 '16
	- East Cary High School '75	- Clayton High School '99 '04	Garner	- Ashley High School '78	- Bradley Middle School '98
	- Greenlevel HS '17	- Clayton Middle School '92		- Ashebrook HS '70 '95 '09	- Hopewell High School '01
	- Mills Park MS '10	- New Cleveland HS '10	Gaston	- Gaston Day School '00	- North Meck HS '65 '71 '04
	- West Cary MS '67 '78 '96	- Riverwood Middle School '07	Gastonia	- Gaston Co YMCA '85	Ridge Road MS '09
Carthage	- Moore Co MS '09	- Swift Creek MS '17		- Grier MS '68 '93	Iron Station
Castle Hayne	- North MS '09	- Clinton High School '04		- Highland Tech Schl '02	- East Lincoln MS '68 '74
Catawba	- Bandys High School '98	- Climax		- Hunter Huss HS '65 '92	Jacksonville
Cerro Gordo	- W Columbus HS '80 '01'03	- Clemmons		- Southwest MS '71 '11	- Jacksonville HS '69 '86, '08
Claremont	- Bunker Hill '09	- Columbus		- Gibsonville HS'65	- Coastal Carolina Col '05 '15
Chapel Hill	- Chapel Hill HS '66 '89 '91	- Concord		- Eastern Guilford HS '75 '02 '09	- Northside High Schl '00 '14
	- Briar Chapel MS '11	- Concord High School '67 '03		- Eastern Guilford MS '98	- Richlands High Schl '93
	- East Chapel Hill HS '96 '16	- Cox Mill Rd High School '09		- Grantham MS '16	- SW Onslow HS '88 '12
	- Culbreth Middle School '70	- Hickory Ridge MS '10		- Goldsboro High School '83	- Swansboro HS '93
	- Phillips Middle School '64	- Central Cabarrus HS '68		- Southern Wayne HS '00	- White Oak HS '00
	- Smith Middle School '01	- H.E. Winkler MS '10		- Rosewood HS '00 '02	- Jamestown HS '09
	- Univ North Carolina '79	- NW Cabarrus HS '86		- Hunter Huss HS '65 '92	- Jamestown MS '10
Charlotte	- Albemarle Rd MS '66	- Barber Scotia College '66 '93		- South West MS '71 '11	- Haynes-Inman Ed Ctr '10
	- Ardrey Kell High School '05	- E. Burke HS '74 '87 '92 '00 '06		- Eastern Guilford MS '98	- Ragsdale High School '69 '15
	- Belmeade MS '09	- E. Burke MS '13		- Grantham MS '16	- AL Brown HS '79 '95 '98
	- Berry Voc-Tech HS '03	- Northampton East HS '00		- Goldsboro High School '83	- Kannapolis MS '81
	- Carmel Academy '73 '80	- Bailey Middle School '06		- Southern Wayne HS '00	- Kannapolis Intimidators '07
	- Carmel Middle Schl '84 '93 '07	- Bailey High School '10		- Rosewood HS '00 '02	- North Johnston Co. HS '01 '15
	- Catholic High School '95	- South Granville HS '07 '09		- Woodlawn Middle School '02	- Glenn HS '64 '70 '85 '05
	- Charlotte Hornets '88	- Creswell HS '92		- Guilford Middle School '75	- West Stokes High School '99
	- Charlotte Checkers '93	- Currutuck Co MS '08		- Carolina Monarchs '95	- Kings Mnt HS '65 '91 '14 '15
	- Charlotte Christian School '03	- Moyock Middle School '02		- Dudley High School '01 '03 '15	- Kinston HS '64 '78 '80 '02
	- CMS Maint Dept '87	- Gaston Co School Maint '88 '90		- Grimsley High School '01 '16	- Contentnea Savanah Schl '09
	- Char Latin HS '72 '88 '94 '01	- Friday Middle School '71 '04		- Kernodle Middle Schl '00	- Kinston Indians Baseball '94
	- Country Day School '76	- North Gaston HS '71 '90		- Northwest MS '10	- Henderson Middle School '99
	- Cochrane MS '65 '91'04	- North Stokes HS '91 '92 '95		- Ben Smith HS '06 '11 '17	- North Lenior HS '82
	- Community House MS '04	- College '80 '89 '00 '08 '12 '14		- Southeast MS '97 '01 '11	- Corriher Lipe MS '84
	- Coulwood Middle School '07	- South Davidson HS '08			Laurinburg
	- Cox Elementary School '93				- Laurinburg Institute '81
	- Crestdale Middle School '98				- Scotland HS '66 '73 '80 '91

You can always judge a company by its repeat customers.

Lenoir	- Hibriten HS '82 '87 '03 - West Caldwell HS '85 '91 '02	New Bern	- New Bern HS '80 '88 '92 - Fields Middle School '71 '05	Ronda	- East Wilkes HS '80 '10 - Union HS '11	Walnut Cove	- South Stokes HS '92 '99						
Lexington	- Lexington HS '74 '88 '00 '01 '10 - Lexington MS '74 '78 '01 - Tyro Middle School '74 - Central Davidson HS '04 - N. Davidson HS '90 '01 '08 '16 - North Davidson MS '89 '93 '98 - W Davidson HS '78 '97 '02	Newland	- Avery High School '68 '98 '16	Rose Hill	- Rose Hill Magnolia '17	Warrenton	- Warren County HS '91 - Warren Co Schl Maint '98						
Lillington	- West Harnett HS '77 '94 '04 - Western Harnett MS '98 '15	New London	- N Stanly HS '66 '86 '07 '08	Rosman	- Rosman HS '85 '98 '06	Warrensville	- Ashe Co Middle Schl '88						
Lincolnton	- North Lincoln MS '06 - North Lincoln HS '07 - West Lincoln MS '79 '99 - West Lincoln HS '68 '85 '95 '04 - NW Halifax Co HS '76 '97 '02	Newport	- Newport Middle School '01 - Croatan High School '98 - Newton/Conover HS '10 - Fred T. Foard HS '88 '94 '05 - Simmons Recondition'g '89 '14	Rowland	- South Robeson HS '95	Warsaw	- Warsaw HS '17						
Littleton	- Louisville High School '01	Newton Grove	- Hobbton HS '95	Rutherfordton	- RS Central HS '87 '91 '01 - RS Middle School '97	Washington	- Washington HS '10 - PS Jones MS '00 - Northside HS '98						
Louisburg	- Lumberton High School '00	Norwood	- South Stanly HS '86 '03	Salemburg	- Lakewood HS '02	Waxhaw	- Cuthbertson HS '09						
Lumberton	- Mayoden HS '64 '77 '84 - W. Rockingham MS '82 '01 '10	Oakboro	- West Stanly HS '73 '92 '02 '03	Salisbury	- Catawba Col '69 '81 '85 '95 - East Rowan HS '83 '93 - Erwin MS '74 '95 - Knox Jr High School '87 - Livingstone College '82	Waynesville	- Waynesville MS '68 '91 '92 - Tuscola HS '66 '86 '96						
Madison	- Maiden High School '77 '06 - McDowell HS '79 '83 '90 '10 '14 - East McDowell MS '67 '02 - West McDowell MS '88 '10	Olin	- North Iredell HS '74 '98 '04 '17	Sanford	- Highland HS '14 - Lee Co HS '73 '80 - Lee Co Middle School '09 - Selma Middle School '93	Weaverville	- North Buncombe HS '09						
Maiden	- Madison High School '79 '94	Oxford	- Webb High School '04	Selma	- Selma Middle School '93	Weddington	- Wendell Middle School '09						
Marion	- Forest Hills HS '07 - Butler HS '97 - Crestdale MS '98	Pembroke	- Purnell Swett HS '83 '02 '14	Shelby	- West Brunswick HS '03 '08 - Crest HS '67 '85 '03 '10 - Crest Middle School '02 - Shelby High School '92 '98 '15 - Shelby Middle School '02 '11	Wendell	- Wendell Middle School '09 - Cornith Holders HS '10 - East Wake HS '77 - Vaiden Whitley MS '75						
Marshall	- Crestdale MS '98	Pikeville	- CB Aycock HS '00 '02	Siler City	- Jordan Matthews HS '67 '78	Whiteville	- Whiteville HS '02 '10 '17 - Southeast CC '86						
Mars Hill	- Crestdale MS '98	Pilot Mountain	- East Surry HS '75 '02	Smithfield	- Smithfield Aquatic Center '09 - Smithfield-Selma HS '00 '05 - Smithfield Middle Schl '98	Wilkesboro	- Wilkes Central HS '90 '02 '16 - Wilkes Co Schl Maint '00						
Marshallville	- Crestdale MS '98	Pinetops	- SW Edgecombe HS '78 - South Edgecombe MS '73 - Northwood HS '73 '00 '02 - Plymouth HS '70 '89 '94 - Princeton High School '01 - Hoke Co HS '63 '85 '91 '02 '14	Snow Hill	- Snow Hill MS '69 - Green Central HS '68 - Middle School '77	Whitakers	- Swift Creek High School '67 - Noble Jr High School '86						
Matthews	- Crestdale MS '98	Pittsboro	- Athens Drive Sr HS '78 '05 - Aycock MiS '69 '78 - Broughton HS '64 '69 '79 - Carnage MS '68 - Carroll MS '70 '74 '88 - Carnage MS '68 - Dillard Drive MS '98 - Durrant Rd MS '95 - East Millbrook HS '74 - Enloe HS '65 '67 '76 '98 - Leesville High School '93 - Ligon High School '66 - Martin Middle School '08 - Meredith College '71 '85 - Millbrook HS '78 '85 '04 - Moore Sq Museum MS '02 - NC State Univ '75 '79 '87 - Pine Hollow MS '16 - Ravenscroft School '71 - Riverbend MS '17 - Sanderson HS '68 '70 '93 - Vance HS '97 - Vernon-Malone College '14 - Wakefield HS '99 - West Millbrook HS '75	Plymouth	- Plymouth HS '70 '89 '94	Southern Pines	- Middle School '77	Wilmington	- Ashley High School '10 - North County MS '09 - UNCW '64 '70 - Roland Grise MS '68				
McLeansville	- Northeast HS '69 '91	Princeton	- Princeton High School '01	Southport	- South Brunswick HS '01 '03	Wilson	- Wilson Co Schools '90 '91 - Atlantic Christian Col '60 - Beddingfield HS '78 '07 - Charles Coon MS '64 - Darden MS '67 '90 '03 - Eastern NC Schl for Deaf '99 - Elm City Middle School '01 - Fike High School '60 '80 '04 - Forest Hills MS '86 - Hunt HS '78 '98 '06 - Speight MS '01 - Springfield MS '00 - Toysnot Middle School '87 - Bertie Co HS '68 '96 '12	Matthias	- West Wilkes HS '83 '08 '17	Sparta	- Alleghany HS '14	Windsor	- Bertie Co HS '68 '96 '12
Mebane	- East Alamance HS '66 - Hawfields MS '00 - Woodlawn MS '02	Raeford	- Hoke Co HS '63 '85 '91 '02 '14	Spencer	- North Rowan HS '85 '96 '04 - North Rowan MS '11 - Central Granville HS '07 '09 - St Pauls High School '03 - Statesville HS '65 '84 - South Iredell HS '95 - West Iredell HS '77 '78 '91 '07	Wingate	- Wingate University '98						
Micro	- North Johnston MS '16	Raleigh	- Athens Drive Sr HS '78 '05 - Aycock MiS '69 '78 - Broughton HS '64 '69 '79 - Carnage MS '68 - Carroll MS '70 '74 '88 - Carnage MS '68 - Dillard Drive MS '98 - Durrant Rd MS '95 - East Millbrook HS '74 - Enloe HS '65 '67 '76 '98 - Leesville High School '93 - Ligon High School '66 - Martin Middle School '08 - Meredith College '71 '85 - Millbrook HS '78 '85 '04 - Moore Sq Museum MS '02 - NC State Univ '75 '79 '87 - Pine Hollow MS '16 - Ravenscroft School '71 - Riverbend MS '17 - Sanderson HS '68 '70 '93 - Vance HS '97 - Vernon-Malone College '14 - Wakefield HS '99 - West Millbrook HS '75	Raleigh	- Athens Drive Sr HS '78 '05 - Aycock MiS '69 '78 - Broughton HS '64 '69 '79 - Carnage MS '68 - Carroll MS '70 '74 '88 - Carnage MS '68 - Dillard Drive MS '98 - Durrant Rd MS '95 - East Millbrook HS '74 - Enloe HS '65 '67 '76 '98 - Leesville High School '93 - Ligon High School '66 - Martin Middle School '08 - Meredith College '71 '85 - Millbrook HS '78 '85 '04 - Moore Sq Museum MS '02 - NC State Univ '75 '79 '87 - Pine Hollow MS '16 - Ravenscroft School '71 - Riverbend MS '17 - Sanderson HS '68 '70 '93 - Vance HS '97 - Vernon-Malone College '14 - Wakefield HS '99 - West Millbrook HS '75	St Pauls	- St Pauls High School '03	Winston Salem	- Atkins HS '05 - Carver HS '71 '79 '88 - Forsyth Tech CC '95 - Hill Middle School '98 - Kennedy HS '84 - Mount Tabor HS '78 '86 '98 - N Forsyth HS '84 '88 '99 - Northwest MS '83 '90 - Parkland HS '96 '11 - Philo MS '83 - Ronald Reagan HS '05 - RJ Reynolds HS '84 '88 '01 - South Park HS '75 '89 - Walkertown HS '11 - Wiley Middle School '95 - WS Dash Baseball '09 - WS Prep School '94 '11 '15 - Pitt Co High School '02				
Millers Creek	- Polk Central HS '86	Randleman	- Randleman HS '72 '01 '04	St Pauls	- St Pauls High School '03	Winterville	- Bartlett Yancy HS '08						
Mill Spring	- Polk Co Middle Schl '05	Red Oak	- Red Oak MS '02	Statesville	- South Iredell HS '95 - West Iredell HS '77 '78 '91 '07	Yanceyville	- Dillard Middle School '02						
Mint Hill	- Mint Hill MS '03 - Mint Hill HS '10	Red Springs	- Red Springs HS '98 - B.T. Washington HS '62 - Reidsville HS '06 '09 - Rockingham Co MS '01 - Reidsville HS '69 '09	Swansboro	- Swansboro HS '93	Zebulon	- Zebulon High School '81 - Zebulon Middle School '00						
Monroe	- Monroe HS '92 '07 - Central Acad of Tech & Arts '06 - Forest Hills HS '07 - Marvin Ridge HS '07 - Parkwood HS '73 '77 '03 '17 - Piedmont HS '95 '06 '07 - SunValley HS '73 '07	Reidsville	- Reidsville HS '06 '09 - Rockingham Co MS '01 - Reidsville HS '69 '09	Sylva	- Smoky Mountain HS '14								
Mooresville	- Mooresville HS '63 '93 '07 - Mooresville MS '79 - Lake Norman HS '02	Roanoke Rapids	- RR High School '96 - William Davie MS '91	Tabor City	- South Columbus HS '93 '16								
Morehead City	- West Carteret HS '92	Robbins	- North Moore HS '91 '01	Tarboro	- Tarboro High School '79 '93 - CB Martin MS '73 '93 - Edgecomb Co. Jail '98 '17 - North Edgecombe HS '75 - Tar Heel High Schl '78 '98 '01								
Morganton	- Burke Co HS '71 '89 - Freedom HS '73 '81 '02 '06 - Heritage MS '08 - Johnson MS '03 - Libery MS '89 - RL Patton HS '07 - Table Rock MS '01	Robbinsville	- Robbinsville MS '05 '08	Tar Heel	- Tar Heel High Schl '78 '98 '01								
Mt Airy	- Mt Airy High School '65 - Mt Airy Middle School '81 - Gentry Middle School '76 '16 - North Surry HS '75 '99	Rockingham	- Rockingham Co MS '01 - Reidsville HS '69 '09	Taylorville	- Alexander Central HS '02 '16								
Mt Gilead	- West Montgomery HS '66	Rocky Mount	- Rocky Mount HS '89 - Edwards MS '75 '05 - Nash Central HS '02 - Northern Nash HS '02 - NC Wesleyan Col '64 - Parker Middle School '02	Teachey	- Wallace Rose Hill HS '10								
Mt Holly	- East Gaston HS '71 '98	Rolesville	- Rolesville High School '12 - Rolesville Middle School '12	Thomasville	- Thomasville HS '95 '05 - Thomasville MS '70 '72 '01 - Brown Middle School '07 - East Davidson HS '79 - Ledford HS '75 '87 '97 '04 '06 - Ledford MS '75 '99 - Trinity High School '77 '89 - Archdale Middle School '74 - Wheatmore HS '09								
Mt Pleasant	- Mt Pleasant HS '91 - Mt Pleasant MS '79			Trinity	- Trinity High School '77 '89 - Archdale Middle School '74 - Wheatmore HS '09								
Mt Ulla	- West Rowan HS '87 '07 '13			Valdese	- Valdese HS '62 '72 - Draughn High School '08 - Heritage Middle Schl '01								
Murfreesboro	- Chowan Univ. '79 '94 '95 '11 '16 - Hertford MS '77 '97			Vanceboro	- West Craven HS '87 '16 - Anson HS '67 '75 '89 '11								
Murphy	- Murphy High School '99			Wake Forest	- Wake Forest HS '79 - Heritage HS '09 - Rolesville HS '10								

## How long will Belco Washers & Dryers last?

Over the past 40 years, I've been asked about the life span of our Belco Athletic Washers and Dryers. For years we advertised, "The average life of our laundry equipment is 20+ years; however, it is not uncommon to find some washers & dryers over 30 years old." In 2004, we serviced a dryer at Sedgefield Middle School in Charlotte, that I personally helped carry into the school in 1962. I found it hard to believe this dryer lasted so long. The coach joked if we condemned his dryer, he could get a new one. The dryer was installed on **4/26/62** and was replaced on **2/1/04**. Officially, this dryer was in operation 41 years 280 days and held the record as our oldest Belco machine... until recently.

Coach "E Z" Smith of Concord High School retired his 1967 Belco Washer in 2003, but declined our offer to sell him a new dryer. "No Sir!" exclaimed Coach Smith, "Our old dryer ain't very pretty, but works just fine." On 8/8/09, Coach Smith's 1967 dryer turned 42 years old. He can now claim the record for having the oldest Belco machine still in operation. When the record was broken, we offered Coach Smith a brand new dryer for **free**. He declined stating, "Thanks for the offer, but I've never had a game uniform ruined in my old Belco dryer and I think we'll keep it for right now." On 8/08/17 his dryer celebrated its **50th birthday** and is still going strong!... and our offer still stands.

If routine preventive maintenance were performed on all Belco washers & dryers, most machines would last 30-40 years. Unfortunately, most School Maintenance Departments are understaffed and overworked. A school electrician explained, "We no longer have time for preventive maintenance... all we have time to do is put out fires!" We have made many improvements to our washers and dryers over the years. I feel our equipment is better built today and should last even longer than previous models.

**Before you decide to retire your washer or dryer, please call us.** We will provide an honest evaluation of your equipment. Perhaps it will be only a small expense to repair, instead of paying thousands to replace. When Belco technicians service your laundry equipment, they make the necessary repairs and always provide the much needed preventive maintenance. This extra effort will add many years of life to your machines. We take pride in the longevity and proven reliability of our equipment. For service, please call 704/840-0023.

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