



Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Wednesday, December 16, 2015

A/Tutor Time, Periods 1-4

click [here](#) for Bell Schedules

SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER 14 – DECEMBER 18

Monday, December 14: A
Tuesday, December 15: B
Wednesday, December 16: A/Tutor Time
Thursday, December 17: B/Tutor Time
Friday, December 18: A

WINTER BREAK

**DECEMBER 21 –
JANUARY 1**

SCHEDULE FOR JANUARY 4 – JANUARY 8

Monday, January 4: B
Tuesday, January 5: A
Wednesday, January 6: B
Thursday, January 7: A/Tutor Time
Friday, January 8: B/Tutor Time

ATHLETICS

*Sign up to work the Boosters concession stand at the home games marked below, help Boosters support Wilson student activities! Go to the link to sign up: <http://vols.pt/zLYCmC>. *

Wednesday, December 16

Wrestling @ Grant: **Varsity & JV**, 4:00; bus 2:30, release 2:15

Thursday, December 17

No contests

Friday, December 18

Varsity Girls Basketball @ Nike Tournament of Champions, Phoenix, AZ

*Boys Basketball vs. Southridge @ Wilson: **Varsity** 7:30; **JV** 5:45; **Frosh** 4:15*

Saturday, December 19

Varsity Girls Basketball @ Nike Tournament of Champions, Phoenix, AZ

EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

SENIORS: GRAD NIGHT PARTY REGISTRATION COST GOES UP JANUARY 4

This the last week to sign up for the grad night party at the reduced rate of \$95. Registration fee will increase to \$120 on January 4, 2016. Save money and send in your registration forms and payment by December 18th. Forms can be picked up on the office or downloaded online at www.wilsongradnight.com.

SUPPORT AND SELF CARE, ROOM 117 DURING TUTOR TIME

Have you experienced a loss, recent or past? Do you feel sad? Tired? Lonely? Isolated? Is this a hard time for you? Do you have friends that are concerned about you? Or you about them? Would you like to join with others with similar feelings, experiences? Would you like ideas of how to take care of yourself and get support? Bring yourself and friends to room 117 during Tutor Time for support and self care.

MODEL UNITED NATIONS REMINDERS

\$100 was due by December 9. Because school was canceled that day, turn it in by December 16. The second position paper is still due by December 16. If you haven't turned in the first one yet, please get busy! See you all at lunch Wednesday.

BOOSTERS/PERFORMING ARTS ANNUAL TREE AND WREATH SALE, A-BOY ON BARBUR BOULEVARD, 5-7PM

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17

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WHS JAZZ BAND HOLIDAY CONCERT IN PIONEER SQUARE, 12-1 PM

The Wilson Jazz band spreads cheer through holiday music in the setting of Portland's sparkling tree.

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NEWS

CHEER OFF TO A STRONG START!

The Wilson varsity cheer team, holder of five state titles, had their first competition of the season this past Saturday at North Salem High School, placing third with an excellent performance. They compete every Saturday through January in the Portland metro area leading up to the state competition on February 13. Go Trojan Cheer!

WILSON TEACHERS ARE FINALIST FOR AWARD

Math and computer science teachers Nick Nohner and Chris Bartlo have been selected as finalists for the Allen Distinguished Educators award. Sixteen finalists were chosen from a field of 81 nominees; the winner will receive a \$25,000 award. Read the full article [here](#). We wish them luck in the final selection process!

WILSON ALL-STARS FOR DECEMBER

Academic All-Stars for December are Alaina Bensching, Brianne Nem, and Atiya Rauf. [Read more](#) about what makes these Wilson seniors stand out.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FRESHMEN CLASS ELECTION SCHEDULE

- December 14: Election packets available
- January 5: Packets and all forms due to Ms. McFadden's Box by 3:15pm
Candidate bio due by 3:15pm; email to mmcfadden@pps.net
- January 7: Mandatory candidates' meeting at lunch in Room 118
Pictures and Q/A for campaign video for election
- January 11-19: Campaigning
- January 20-22: Class elections video shown in freshman English classes
Voting in freshman English classes
- January 26: Election results announced at lunch in Room 118
Appointed Class Officer packets available in Room 118

SOPHOMORES & JUNIORS: PSAT SCORE REPORTS AVAILABLE SOON

Online: Scores will be available online in mid-December **beginning January 7** at www.collegeboard.org. Log in to your College Board account to see your scores, or create an account by clicking on the 'Sign Up' button.

Paper: Score reports will be delivered to Wilson High School in early January. Look for an email around that time with details on where you can pick up your score report and test booklet.

Email Wilson Test Coordinator Candace Rhodes if you have any questions about how to access your PSAT score reports.

GRAND OPENING! SNACTION STUDENT STORE!

Run by the Wilson High School Marketing Department, Snaction is conveniently located in room 214. Featuring Izze beverages, Poptarts, and Kind Bars, there is something for every budget. In fact, *all items* are less than \$2. Open every Tutor Time in room 214.

Athletes: Hungry before practice but have no time to grab a snack? Swing by room 214 and grab a protein pack. For \$3, students can get a Tiger Milk Bar, Fruit Leather, and a Gatorade. The Student Store—open every tutor time in room 214.

WILSON HS NIGHT AT SUPERPLAY, DECEMBER 23, 5-11PM

Join Wilson High School students and families for an evening of fun at SuperPlay (9300 Beaverton-Hillsdale Highway, www.superplayor.com). Special admission at the door for Wilson: \$15 per person or \$40 for a family of four, includes two hours of unlimited bowling *or* one hour of bowling and two games of laser tag. Proceeds benefit WHS PTA Grad Night. Contact Julie Jacobsen (julie@berntlaw.com) with any questions.

\$5 TICKETS TO MOVIES, THEATERS, ARTS AND ATTRACTIONS WITH OREGON TRAIL CARD

Show your Oregon Trail Card for \$5 tickets to many arts organizations around Portland. Go to artsforallpdx.org for more information and a complete list of participating organizations.

INTERESTED IN PLAYING BASEBALL?

Please see Coach Shetler in room 139 for information about Wilson Baseball, or contact Coach Shetler at jshetler@pps.net if you have any questions.

ROSE COURT APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE **ONLINE**

Junior and Senior girls with a minimum 3.0 GPA are invited to apply for this year's Rose Court. Wilson's Rose Festival

Princess will receive a \$3500 scholarship, a new wardrobe, and will travel around Oregon and Washington and many networking opportunities. Applications are due by January 8, 2016.

DRIVER'S ED REGISTRATION OPEN NOW

PPC offers Driver's Ed courses on the Wilson campus. Winter session starts January 7th. Get more info [here](#).

ASE INFORMATION SESSION, WILSON LIBRARY, TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 7PM

Are you a 9-11th grader? Are you interested in a career as a scientist, doctor, engineer or technologist? Then you should come to the ASE (pronounced "ace") summer internship information session. ASE matches scientists, engineers and technology innovators with smart students like you for 8-week internships over the summer. ASE is a great way to improve your college application, and students can get school credit and a \$1,000 stipend. More information is available at www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE.

CAREER RELATED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Calling All Students Who Are Interested in Pursuing Medicine!

OHSU and the Center for Diversity and Inclusion have an amazing PAID summer internship research opportunity open to grades 10-11. It is designed to offer research experiences to Portland-area students who excel academically and come from socially and economically disadvantaged backgrounds. The goals of this program are to give hands-on research experience, science exposure and to increase participation of under-served and minority students in biomedical research and other health-related fields. Application deadline is January, 25th 2016. For more information and to apply visit <http://www.ohsu.edu/xd/about/vision/center-for-diversity-inclusion/academic-resources/internships/continuing-umbrella-research.cfm>.

PACE Mentorship Program, Begins January 27

In 2017, there will be more than 2 million new jobs for skilled professionals in the trades. Do you like working with your hands? Are you interested in well paying jobs? Plumbing, Air, Carpentry, and Electrical Program (PACE) is a free after school mentorship program. Get a chance to work with plumbers, sheet metal workers, carpenters and electricians. Explore career fields within the industry. Collaborate with a team of mentors and students. This opportunity is open to students in grades 10-12. The program will take place every Wednesday, beginning January 27- March 16. To download the application, click [here](#). See Ms. Morgan in room 221 with any questions.

Partnership for Scientific Inquiry, Applications Due January 3

Are you a sophomore or junior who is passionate about biomedical science and would like an opportunity to be mentored by a researcher? Partnership for Scientific Inquiry (PSI) pairs students with a mentor to give them first hand knowledge of scientific process in a unique learning environment. Students learn how to think like a scientist and the semester culminates with each student developing a research proposal with their mentor's help. Applications are due January 3 and acceptance is competitive! To apply and for more information visit <http://psiprogram.weebly.com> or see Ms. Morgan in room 221.

NEW: MO'S CHOWDER SALE – JANUARY 4-29

Supports Wilson High School Grad Night, a drug, alcohol, tobacco and weapon free, all-night celebration for Wilson grads. Each quart is \$10.00. The chowder will be delivered to WHS on Thursday, February 7. Mo's famous clam chowder is a quick and easy meal for everyday dinner. It is also very popular around the holidays and is perfect for parties at home like the Super Bowl.

Place your order at <http://goo.gl/forms/efG23JmrG5>. Payment is due when order is placed. Make checks out to WHS PTA Grad Night and mail or drop them off in the Wilson High School office: 151 SW Vermont, Portland, OR 97219. [Email](mailto:jburby2@msn.com) June Burby at jburby2@msn.com with any questions.

Questions? Contact June Burby at jburby2@msn.com.

WHS BOOSTERS HAS NEW WILSON APPAREL AVAILABLE FOR SALE

Come see these new items in room 149 during school hours.



PLAYING CARDS DESIGNED BY WILSON AP ART STUDENTS



A great gift that supports Wilson artists! Purchase decks for \$20 from Art Teacher Marie Pearson in room 247/248 or in the bookkeeper's office. The decks will arrive this week. If you would like to reserve a deck, please contact Marie Pearson at mpearson@pps.net.

WILSON SCHOLARSHIP INITIATIVE

Support our campaign to raise money for college scholarships for Wilson grads. Make a donation and participate in [special offers from our partners](#). Our goal is to fund two \$1,000 scholarships this year, and to build an endowment that will fund future scholarships. Send a check to Wilson Scholarship Initiative, Attn: Sue Stahl, Wilson High School, 1151 Vermont St., Portland 97219; or call Wilson bookkeeper, Ana Curtis, at (503) 916-5280 x75374, to make a donation using a credit card.

Read [Dr. Todd Gifford's story](#) of how scholarships made a huge difference in his life. Dr. Gifford has established his own scholarship to benefit Wilson grads—thank you, Dr. Gifford! Support our Initiative and make a difference for a Wilson senior heading to college next fall!

"THREE BALL BACKERS" CLUB KICKS OFF SCHOLARSHIP DRIVE FOR GIRLS BASKETBALL

Join the club and help fund a \$500 scholarship for an outstanding senior girls basketball player. The concept is simple: you pledge \$1 for each three-point basket scored by the girls varsity team, and your tax-deductible pledges will fund the scholarship. After all the money is collected and the scholarship is awarded, any remaining funds will be distributed to the Wilson youth basketball program to help the development of girls athletics in our area. Click [here](#) for the pledge form and more information; contact Coach Olsen at aolsen@pps.net if you have any additional questions. Thank you for your support!

WILSON BOOSTERS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE SALE AT A-BOY ON BARBUR

Get your tree from Wilson this year! Booster parent and student volunteers will be on hand to cut your tree and get it loaded into your vehicle. Proceeds benefit Wilson Boosters, raising funds for clubs, activities, and sports at Wilson.

Hours:

Saturdays and Sundays 9am-5pm, Starting November 28

Friday, December 4 5-7pm

Wednesday-Friday 5-7pm, December 9-11

Monday-Friday 5-7pm, December 14-18

PERFORMING ARTS WREATH SALE AT A-BOY

Come over to A-Boy to buy wreaths, garlands, swags, and support WHS Performing Arts. All proceeds from the Wreath Sale benefit choir, band, drama and orchestra. Parents and students, sign up for volunteer spots here: <http://vols.pt/ZrvbC9> and remember to dress warmly for your shifts. We're right next to the Boosters Tree Sale at A-Boy Hardware, 7365 SW Barbur Blvd. See days and times above.

WHS ELECTRONICS RECYCLING, JANUARY 10TH, 10AM-2PM

Recycling is **free** and all proceeds will benefit WHS PTA Grad Night. Bring your items to the back of WHS, near the Hillsdale Farmer's Market (Sunset and Capitol Hwy entrance). Questions? Email [Madalyn Katter](mailto:Madalyn.Katter).

These are just some of the items you can recycle:

computers (desktop or laptop)	keyboards	cameras
monitors	televisions	washer/dryer
printers	cell phones	oven/stove
scanners	ink cartridges	

SUPPORT WILSON PTA, BUY SCRIP

Scrip is an easy way to support the PTA that costs you nothing extra! This program works with local and national vendors, including most of your favorite grocers, restaurants and retailers. Buy some for your groceries, buy some for holiday gift-giving. Consider a Wilson scrip purchase for your employee gifts! Leave your order with the Wilson Bookkeeper on Monday, pick up your scrip on Friday afternoon. Or place your order by phone, postal mail, or e-mail! Contact Martha Schulte (schulte@easystreet.net; 503-244-5072) for more information or to place an order. Download order forms [here](#).

SEASON OF GIVING

The Key Club and WHS Counseling Department are teaming up to collect food for Wilson High families for the holidays. In addition to the food drive, we will be collecting gift cards to local grocery stores/businesses to give to our neediest Wilson families. Please consider helping in the following ways:

- Donating non-perishable food items (canned/dry goods). Collection boxes for food donations are by the WHS gym, Main Office and Library.
- Providing gift cards for holiday gift giving (Target, Amazon, Department Stores, etc.). If you are able to help, please deliver gift cards to our bookkeeper, Ana Curtis, in room 149.

Last year our community supported seven Wilson families with donated food and gift cards for the holidays. It would be wonderful to help out again this year! We will be collecting through Thursday, December 17.

YEARBOOK SENIOR AD DEADLINE IS JANUARY 15

The deadline to buy senior ads is quickly approaching! Email troyanbizzgmail.com or go to the [yearbook website](#) for details and more information.

Prices:	1/8 of a page: \$40
	1/4 of a page: \$70
	1/2 of a page: \$130
	Full page: \$250

Make sure to buy your yearbook before Winter Break; after January 1 the price goes up from \$65 to \$75.

YEARBOOK SENIOR PORTRAITS

Deadline for Senior Portraits is December 18th. Email your photos to whstroyanyearbook@gmail.com. New this year : Yearbook photographers will take your Senior Portraits for \$30. Contact (503) 730-0722 if interested.

ORDER YEARBOOKS ONLINE

<http://shop.balfour.com/smi62107/catalog/category/view/s/yearbook-and-accessories/id/312795/>

BOOSTERS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES/WINTER SPORTS!

Concession volunteering is fun and easy, and all revenue goes back to all students. If we don't have volunteers to staff the concessions booth, that means we have no proceeds to distribute to student clubs and groups, so please volunteer! When you sign up, be sure to note the club/group/sport you are representing (groups requesting Boosters funds must have volunteer hours to receive funding). Contact Wilson Trojan Booster Club at wilsonboosterspdx@gmail.com or see the website at www.wilsonboosterclub.com if you have questions.

Upcoming dates, concessions volunteers needed; click on the link to sign up: <http://vols.pt/zLYCmC>.

All Concessions are at the Gym Shack

Friday, December 18

Men's Varsity Basketball, 7:15-9pm

SHADOW PROGRAM FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

Spend a day attending classes with a Wilson student to get an up-close and personal look at life in high school. Shadowing opportunities are offered October through April. Go to the Wilson website [About Us](#) page for more information and to sign up.

SHORT-TERM HOST FAMILIES NEEDED FOR STUDENTS FROM JAPAN

Welcome Japanese students to your home while they learn English and experience life in America. Sixteen students will be here from January 5-10 and will need host families while they attend Valley Catholic High School (host families will provide transportation to and from Valley Catholic). Contact Melanie Scheuermann (503-775-2865, melanie.jpncnect@gmail.com) for the application or with any questions.

ROTARY CLUB EXCHANGE STUDENT NEEDS HOST FAMILY

The Rotary Club is looking for a host family to provide an enriching experience for a male exchange student for about a three month period of time. The student is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Portland and has very good local support while you open your home to this wonderful experience. Please contact Delanie Delimont at (503) 246-5009 with questions and for more information.

CONNECTIONS

The Wilson Daily Bulletin is an electronic newsletter full of useful information and interesting news emailed to Wilson students, parents, staff, and community members. The Bulletin is published every day. The Monday Edition has the widest distribution and includes more general announcements; Thursday-Friday the focus is on events more specific to the school and what goes on in the building during school hours. Archives can be found [online](#) at the Wilson website. If you would like to be added (specify whether you would like to be on the daily list or just the Monday list) or removed from the distribution list, send your email address to Valeurie Friedman at vfriedman@pps.net. **Have good news to share about Wilson students or alumni?** Send the details to Valeurie Friedman at vfriedman@pps.net.

ALL THINGS WILSON

Be sure to visit the Wilson website at: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/> to find many useful resources for parents and students including:

- Event, activity, and holiday listings on the Wilson calendar

- Online student research tools
- Links to the Daily Bulletin and past issues of the Wilson Spotlight
- Counseling Department
- How to get involved with PTA, Boosters, or Foundation
- How to order scrip (http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/scrip_4_15.pdf.)

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