

Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Friday, October 16, 2015 A, Periods 1-4 click here for Bell Schedules

SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 12 – 16

Monday, October 12: A Tuesday, October 13: B Wednesday, October 14: A (PSAT Testing) Thursday, October 15: B/Tutor Time Friday, October 16: A

SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 19 – 23

Friday, October 23:

Monday, October 19: B
Tuesday, October 20: A
Wednesday, October 21: Conferences,
Students out of school
Thursday, October 22: Conferences,
Students out of school

No School

COLLEGE VISITS AT WILSON THIS WEEK

Sign up for college visits in Naviance and don't forget to print out the confirmation page to give to your teacher. To log into Naviance, go to the Wilson website, scroll down to the bottom of the homepage and click on the Naviance icon. Log in to your account. Go to the college tab to see a list of all colleges who are signed up to come so far—colleges are still signing up, so keep checking back. Click on the specific college to sign up for the visit. If you don't know your login come in to the counseling office.

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE OF CALIFORNIA: Friday, October 16, 1:42 pm

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

Friday, October 16

Football vs. Lincoln: Varsity @ Lincoln, 7:30; bus 5:15; Frosh @ Lincoln, 4:30; note change to bus and release times: bus 3:30 3:10, release 3:10 2:50. Rooter Bus scheduled; see below for more info on how to sign up.

EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16

COFFEE & CONVERSATION, WILSON AUDITORIUM FOYER, 9:15AM

Join us for an informal discussion with Principal Brian Chatard. Topics will be Project Options, conferences, and drug and alcohol supports for students at Wilson.

FREE FILM SCREENING: WILSON HIGH SCHOOL EQUITY AND DIVERSITY FILM SERIES PRESENTS 14: DRED SCOTT, WONG KIM ARK & VANESSA LOPEZ FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 6:30 PM, WILSON AUDITORIUM

Please join us for a free screening of this documentary exploring who has the right to be an American citizen. *14* examines the citizenship clause of the 14th Amendment through compelling personal stories of undocumented youth and expertly-told history. Under the Fourteenth Amendment, "All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside."

Following the film the local film makers from Graham Street Productions will be present along with a courageous panel of youth who will share their stories and experiences with the very issues that the film 14 raises.

Support our clubs! Concessions will be sold prior to the show.

FOOTBALL ROOTER BUS TO WILSON/LINCOLN GAME, 6:45PM

Take the Rooter Bus to Lincoln on Friday night for the Wilson vs. Lincoln football game. Only \$2, and includes Trojan wristband and face painting! Sign up with Megan Meisner in the Athletic Office (room 121). Come early for face painting; bus departs at 6:45pm, game starts at 7:30pm. Go Trojans—Southwest pride is on the line! This game has been chosen as the Oregonian's Game of the Week, so look for lots of extra news coverage. At the game, use #opreps #OMGgame to show your team spirit!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

THE WILSON VOLLEYBALL ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The members of your favorite volleyball team will be your greeters and servers at Applebee's, 6325 SW Meadows Rd, Lake Oswego, on **Saturday, October 17, 2015** from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Tickets are only \$10 for all you can eat pancakes, sausages, scrambled eggs, coffee, milk and juice. Get your tickets from any volleyball player or at the bookkeeper's office. Come support the volleyball team!

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19

NEW: PICTURE RETAKES, 8-10AM

If you are re-taking pictures, please bring the original packet you received with the old pictures with you to retakes. If you haven't had pictures taken yet, order online at mylifetouch.com using the Picture Day ID FO735077Q3 or using the order forms available on Monday.

PTA PARENT EDUCATION NIGHT, 6:30-8:00PM, WILSON HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY

Wilson PTA invites you to join them for an informative presentation on using Naviance for career and college planning (including college visits, college search, scholarships, and more), career related learning opportunities, enchrichments and community service opportunities. Speakers will be Erica Meyers, Kate Morgan, and Julie Fleming. Parents of students in all grades will find this information invaluable in helping to navigate graduation requirements and the college application process. Email <u>Carter Latendresse</u> with any questions or for more information.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21 AND 22

PARENT/TEACHER/STUDENT CONFERENCES

Wednesday, October 21: 8:15-11:25am, Priority Scheduled Classroom Conferences 12:15pm-4:55pm, Priority Scheduled Classroom Conferences

6-8:30pm, Arena Conferences

Thursday, October 22: 8:15-11:25am, Arena Conferences

12:15-4:55pm, Priority Scheduled Classroom Conferences 6-8:30pm, Priority Scheduled Classroom Conferences

Arena conferences are first-come, first-served 5-minute conferences. These brief conferences are an efficient way to meet each of your student's teachers and make a connection.

Priority Classroom Scheduled conferences will be scheduled online in advance by teachers (beginning October 7) or parents (beginning October 14). Scheduled conferences are for 10 minutes in the teacher's classroom; they may also include multiple teachers in one room if scheduled by teachers.

For more information on Conferences and the link to online scheduling, click here.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: ROBOTICS CLUB FUNDRAISER

The Wilson Robotics Club is now in its third year. Last year, two teams competed in the FIRST Tech Challenge league matches and tournaments with one team advancing all the way to the state championship! This year the club has grown to three teams! Support the Robotics Club by donating unwanted clothing to The Arc of Multnomah-Clackamas and a portion of the proceeds will go directly to the teams' efforts to raise funds to purchase equipment and parts and pay for tournament fees.

Items accepted: clothing, coats, purses, shoes, bedding, pillows, towels, curtains, drapes and fabric.

Please bring your items to Wilson HS during any of these three drop-off times:

- 1) Wednesday, October 21st, 6:00-8:30pm, during Arena Conferences. Donation Barrels will be available at the main entrance of the school and at the entrance near the gym.
- 2) Thursday, October 22nd, 8:30-11:30am, during Arena Conferences. Robotics Club members will be at the main entrance of the school and the entrance near the gym to assist you.
- 3) Saturday, October 24th, 9:00am-11:30pm. Robotic sClub members will be at the Tennis Courts to assist you.

Every donation counts—Thank you for your support! For more information please contact Leanne Van Horn at leanne.vanhorn@comcast.net.

GOING GREEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS? PLACE YOUR WREATH ORDERS NOW

Announcing the rollout of the annual WHS performing art wreath and greenery sale. Click here to buy, or find a friendly member of the choir, orchestra, band or drama classes to take your orders for wreaths, garlands, baskets and swags. Pick up after Thanksgiving, or have us ship to your relatives and friends. Wreaths, baskets and holiday greenery makes excellent gifts. It's like shipping a piece of the Pacific Northwest directly to their door. The Annual Wreath sale will start live sales after Thanksgiving in conjunction with the Boosters' Tree Sale at A-Boy on Barbur Boulevard. Thank you for your support of WHS Performing Arts.

WILSON SCHOLARSHIP INITIATIVE

An exciting new program is launching to raise money for scholarships for Wilson seniors. In partnership with the Hillsdale Business Association we have planned a special event the first week of December: all week, participating businesses will offer 10% of the proceeds from the sale of gift certificates for goods and services to the Wilson Scholarship Initiative.

Why is the Wilson Scholarship Initiative so Important? Following are some facts that illustrate the need for more scholarships for our students:

• The average college graduate leaves school with \$22,500 in debt

- Oregon received an "F" on college affordability from the National Center for Public Policy & Higher Ed
- For every \$1.00 in Federal Pell Grant aid to students, Oregon spends \$.24

To make this event successful we need to rally our Wilson and feeder-school communities to purchase Hillsdale gift cards during the first week of December. Volunteers are needed to publicize, recruit businesses, plan events, etc. If you would like to be part of this important project, email <u>Sue Stahl</u>.

GRAD NIGHT

Not sure if you paid or turned in all your forms? Check the list in the window of the front office.

The PTA Grad Night 2016 is a drug, alcohol, tobacco and weapon free, all night celebration for the graduates of Wilson High School that begins right after graduation on June 8th. The event is a wonderful night of fun activities, food, and memories our students will keep for years to come. Registration is now open at www.WilsonGradNight.com. Scholarships are available.

GRAD NIGHT PIE/COBBLER/FROZEN FRUIT SALE

Support Grad Night, enjoy yummy fruit pies, cobblers, and frozen fruit. Order online at http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/281.htm or look for tables at upcoming events. Order deadline is October 20; all orders will be delivered to Wilson on November 4th.

YEARBOOK SENIOR PORTRAITS

Deadline for Senior Portraits is December 18th. 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/

OPPORTUNITY FOR RESUME-BUILDING/COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Markham Elementary is looking for student volunteers to help out at their yearly Carnaval on October 29, from 5:30-8:30pm. Help set up games, help kids play games, and take-down at the end of the event. Contact Stephanie at sichaus@hotmail.com or call/text 503-246-0993 to sign up.

FIFTH ANNUAL WILSON FOUNDATION HOUSE PARTY EXTRAVAGANZA, NOVEMBER 14TH

The party is on, and everyone is invited! Every year at around this time for the past four years, Wilson parents have opened up their homes to bring the community together in support of Wilson High School. This year the tradition continues, with multiple parties going on at the same time around SW Portland. All funds raised will benefit Wilson Foundation.

Join us! Email your rsvp to <u>wilsonhighschoolfoundation@gmail.com</u> and we will send you the where and when party details. All you need to do is show up, support Wilson Foundation, and bring your checkbook.

WILSON RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE COMING IN OCTOBER

From Wilson senior Elle Sandifer: "Next month, Wilson is working with the Red Cross to host a blood drive and I am reaching out to the Wilson community to see if anyone is able and would like to donate blood. The drive will be in Wilson's foyer from 8am-2pm on Tuesday, October 27th. Donating blood is a great and easy way to give back to your community. Each donation can save up to three lives! If this interests you or your family, please sign up in the main office at Wilson, or email me with questions at ecsandifer@gmail.com."

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_s)