



Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Thursday, September 15, 2016 A/Tutor Time, Periods 1-4

SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 12 – 16

Monday, September 12: B
Tuesday, September 13: A
Wednesday, September 14: B
Thursday, September 15: A/Tutor Time
Friday, September 16: B/Tutor Time

SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 19 – 23

Monday, September 19: A
Tuesday, September 20: B
Wednesday, September 21: A/Early
Dismissal
Thursday, September 22: B/Tutor Time
Friday, September 23: A/Tutor Time

COLLEGE VISITS

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.

WHITMAN COLLEGE: Thursday, September 15, 10:40am, Room 220.

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

Thursday, September 15

Boys Soccer vs. Clackamas: JV @ Wilson, 5:00; Varsity @ Wilson, 7:00
Girls Soccer vs. McMinnville: JV @ McMinnville, 5:00, Bus 3:15, release 3:00; Varsity @ McMinnville, 7:00, Bus 3:15, release 3:00

Friday, September 16

Football vs. Cleveland: Varsity @ Cleveland, 7:30; Bus 5:00
Girls Soccer vs. Newberg: JV2 @ Newberg, 4:00, Bus 2:15, release 2:00

Saturday, September 17

Varsity Volleyball @ Lakeridge Tournament, 8:00 am
JV Volleyball @ Hillsboro Tournament, 8:00 am; Bus 6:30 am
Cross Country @ Lane

EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

COLLEGE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION WORKSHOP FOR SENIORS, 9:36AM, ROOM 220

IMPROV TEAM AUDITIONS, 9:36AM, THEATRE ROOM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

LAST DAY TO ADD/DROP P/NP

This is the last day to drop a class without a grade penalty (WF- withdraw fail). Remember that all schedule changes require a parent signature on an add/drop form available from Sharon in the main office.

IMPROV TEAM AUDITIONS, 9:36AM, THEATRE ROOM

ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER STUDENT UNION MEETING AT LUNCH IN ROOM 129

NEWS



ATHLETES OF THE WEEK, SEPTEMBER 12-16

Volleyball: Senior outside and right-side hitter **Jane Woodward** led the Trojans this last weekend at the Canby tournament with 31 kills, 6 blocks and 3 aces. Jane was singled out by her peers as a positive leader throughout the day!

Football: Senior **Laddie Wirth**. On defense he recorded 11 solo tackles and 3 assist tackles.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

5:30-6:30pm: Boosters Pizza Dinner Fundraiser on the front patio by the main entrance

5:30-6:30pm: TAG Meeting in the Library

5:40-6:25pm: Wilson Jazz Band Performs on the front patio

6:30-8:45: Back-to-School Night

Join us to learn more about Wilson and visit your student's classrooms to hear important information about expectations, policies, and curriculum from their teachers. Come early for the Booster's pizza dinner fundraiser and enjoy music by Wilson High's Jazz Band while you eat. The program for the evening will begin at 6:30pm in the Auditorium with a welcome presentation by WAVE (WHS Advanced Vocal Ensemble) and Principal Brian Chatard. You will then have an opportunity to meet with your student's teachers in their classrooms. Learn more [here](#).

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT-PIZZA WITH THE BOOSTERS

It's hard to hear the teacher when your stomach is growling! Make sure to start with the Trojan Boosters and our annual Pizza Dinner Fundraiser before Back-to-School night on Monday, September 19! Dinner will be available at 5:30pm on the front patio by the main entrance. Make sure to leave time to eat with us before the program starts at 6:30pm. The teachers will thank you! Boosters can still use a few more volunteers to help out with this event. Sign up at <https://signup.com/volunteerspot/login/signin/>.

NEW: TAG MEETING, WILSON LIBRARY, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 5:30-6:30PM

If your student is identified as a TAG student or you believe they should be, this meeting is for you!

Agenda:

PPS TAG Presentation

Identification Forms; Nominations for potential TAG students are open now until November 10

Wilson's TAG plan

Click here for the Nomination Form or get one from the TAG Board in the main hallway at Wilson: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/2016Tag_Nomination_from.pdf.

NEW: JUNIORS, SIGN UP NOW FOR PSAT

The deadline for Juniors to sign up for the PSAT is **Friday, September 16**. If you would like your Junior to take the PSAT this year, log into SchoolPay at: <https://pps.schoolpay.com/pay/for/PSAT/Id6oX>. Or bring \$20 (check or cash to the bookkeeper to pay for the exam, which will reserve a test for your student. Fee waivers are also available. Contact Testing Coordinator Candace Rhodes with any questions (crhodes@pps.net; 503-916-5280 x75203).

NEW: HOMECOMING COURT

Voting for this year's Homecoming Court has begun! During lunch, stop by the table outside the gym and place your vote. Voting will be open until Friday, September 23.

CHANGES TO LIBRARY USE DURING TUTOR TIME

Students, are you planning to come to the Library for Tutor Time this Week? Please sign up in advance in the Library with your needs for Tutor Time, for example:

- To see a tutor (you will be asked to indicate in what subject you need tutor)
- To use a computer to complete a specific assignment
- To work quietly in a small study group

Students who have signed up in advance will have priority for using the Library during Tutor Time. All other students will be admitted on a space-available basis. All students must have a specific reason for coming to the Library rather than going to one of their teacher's classrooms.

SENIORS, IMPORTANT INFO RE: COLLEGE APPLICATION LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

If you need a letter of recommendation for college, you must attend one of the Letter of Recommendation workshops in the College and Career Center in room 220 at Tutor Time on the following days: September 15, 22, or October 20. You must attend one workshop before you can get a letter of recommendation from your counselor.

CALL FOR PHOTO AND ESSAY CONTEST ENTRIES; DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 12

Published every odd-numbered year since 1911, the Oregon Blue Book is the official state fact book about all levels of government in Oregon, compiled, edited and produced by the Oregon State Archives, a division of the Secretary of State's office. Information about the Oregon Blue Book Student Essay Contest is online at <http://bluebook.state.or.us/misc/news/blue-book-submissions.pdf>. Oregon Blue Book Cover Photo Contest guidelines and entry forms are online at <http://bluebook.state.or.us/misc/cover/front.htm>.

PARENTS NEEDED FROM CHEER, VOLLEYBALL AND GIRLS JV SOCCER

Each year the Grad Night committee sells sports buttons to raise money for the Grad Night Party. These adorable brag buttons will be sold for \$5.00 each and are a great way to cheer your kids on at games. Parent volunteers are still needed for Cheer, Volleyball, and Girls JV Soccer to take a photo of each player in their uniform and send them to Tiffany Jeffords. Thank you to Kris Leeper & Shannan Fasold, Jennie Day, Courtney Woodside, Keith Crawford, Simon Watson, David Stein, and Jean Hinkley for taking pictures of the other teams! It takes a village! Contact Tiffany Jeffords (503-449-8019, teachertiffanyjeffords@gmail.com) if you can help.

FUN WITH FLAGS!

Do you have a good sense of humor? Can you count to eight? Wilson Color Guard is a fun crew who brings visual excitement to the Wilson band events and performances. No experience needed! Small time commitment! Free! Stop by the club fair on September 23 or see coach Julie Fleming in the counseling office. Email Ms. Fleming at jfleming1@pps.net for more information.

FOOD FRONT STUDENT SANDWICH OFFER

Students, please pay for your sandwich at the checkstand first, then take your receipt to the deli counter.

ORDER YEARBOOKS BEFORE THE PRICE GOES UP

Have you bought your yearbook yet? Go check the list posted by the gym! The price goes up to \$75 after winter break, but you can order one for \$65 until then. Order online at SchoolPay.com or in the Bookkeeper's office. To order on SchoolPay.com, log in using a parent's email address or go to "Find My Account;" go to "2016-2017 Registration: Optional Items" and find the yearbook listed there.

Want more yearbook? Go pick up your spring supplement today! They are available in the office, the library and by the gym.

HOUSING ASSISTANCE APPLICATIONS ONLINE NOW THROUGH SEPTEMBER 17

Home Forward (Formerly Housing Authority of Portland) will be accepting waiting list applications for their Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) program from September 13 through September 17, 2016. The simple application form can be filled out online using any internet-connected computer at <http://www.homeforward.org/node/287/view>. Wilson families who need help with the online application can contact Maureen Brennan, LCSW, Wilson HS Social Worker (503-916-5280, x7521; mbrennan@pps.net).

WILSON HIGH SCHOOL FOUNDATION

The Wilson Foundation raises money for additional staff and impacts every student in the school. Please consider signing up today for a recurring monthly donation of \$10 or more. All monthly donors will receive a gift in appreciation for their support; for donors signing up to give \$20 or more monthly we have a limited supply of PIL passes, good for one person for a year's worth of free admission to all PIL athletic events. Establish a monthly donation or make a one-time contribution at <https://allhandsraised.org/donate/>. To learn more about the campaign and about the Wilson Foundation, read Principal's Chatard's recent letter to the Wilson community [here](#), and thank you for your support!

PAY FEES AND CONTRIBUTIONS ONLINE

If you have paid fees and contributions, please go to SchoolPay.com. All of our enrolled students are in the SchoolPay system. Start from the home page and go to "find my account." We can still collect checks, cash or credit card in our bookkeeping office from 10am-3:30pm.

Registration costs and/or contributions include required athletic fees as well as voluntary curriculum support,

memberships and donations. No student will be denied access to PPS programs based on ability to pay. Students receiving free and reduced lunch may have required fees waived or reduced. You can apply for free and reduced lunch [online](#). We are fortunate at Wilson to have a high level of parent commitment to our instructional programs and extracurricular activities—thank you! If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Business Manager Erica Meyers at emeyers@pps.net or Bookkeeper Ana Curtis at acurtis@pps.net.

SIGN UP FOR FREE AND REDUCED SCHOOL MEALS OR RENEW NOW

Students in all grade levels meeting income guidelines or receiving SNAP or TANF benefits are eligible to receive free or reduced-price meal benefits as well as fee waivers for AP exams, athletic participation fees, and support for other school-related needs. Apply for and renew benefits online by October 1: <https://district.ode.state.or.us/apps/frlapp/default.aspx>. Contact Wilson Social Worker Maureen Brennan at mbrennan@pps.net for more information or if you need help.

CALLING ALL FAMILIES WITH STUDENTS IN ATHLETICS, ARTS PROGRAMS AND WILSON STUDENT CLUBS: IT'S TIME TO JOIN WILSON BOOSTERS!

The Wilson Trojan Booster Club supports school-related activities, including but not limited to clubs, arts programs and special events while promoting school spirit at Wilson High School. Boosters raises funds through membership fees, concession and spirit wear sales, and the annual Christmas tree sale. All funds raised return to the students through a grant program. To be eligible for a grant, the team or student club must have 50 % or more Booster membership and have provided volunteers for concession and Christmas tree sales.

When you join the Wilson Trojan Booster Club and volunteer at school events, you demonstrate your commitment and community service to our children. And you will make friends and have fun in the process! Joining our organization and volunteering are great ways to support our students, meet other parents and foster school spirit.

Please follow the link to the registration form, fill it out and send it in to the school office with your dues today: <http://www.wilsonboosterclub.com/membership.html>.

CAREER CENTER NEWS

ZGF Career Day, Tuesday, October 4, 9:30am-2:00pm

Are you interested in architecture, landscape architecture, interior design or urban design? ZGF Career Day will allow students to explore architectural and design career pathways. Tour ZGF offices, participate in a walking tour to look at various building styles in downtown Portland, and participate in a team activity to design a school.

The career day is open to Juniors and Seniors. Lunch will be provided. This opportunity will fill quickly so please apply soon. For more information go to <http://www.portlandworkforcealliance.org/event/zgf-architects-career-day-2016/>. Pick up an application in front of room 220 and return to Kate Morgan.

SIMPLE Career Day, October 6, 9am-noon

Are you interested in a career in business, software, finance, and marketing? SIMPLE, is a Portland company that disrupted the banking industry by appealing to younger tech savvy consumers. Go behind the scenes at their inner eastside offices and learn what skills and experience are needed to pursue a career at a fast-growing company like SIMPLE.

The career day is open to Juniors and Seniors. Lunch will be provided. This opportunity will fill quickly so please apply soon. To apply and for more information go to <http://www.portlandworkforcealliance.org/event/simple-career-day/>, or pick up a application in front of room 220. Return completed application to Kate Morgan in 220.

Architecture, Construction, and Engineering (ACE) Mentorship Program

ACE Mentor Program is now accepting applications for the 2016-2017 school year. Students who are interested in Architecture, Construction and Engineering, this program is for you! ACE gives you the opportunity to work directly with practicing professionals in ACE fields. This is a no cost after-school mentorship program that meets from 4:30-6:30pm on Tuesdays or Thursdays from January to May.

Students will collaborate with mentors on a building design project. At the end of the program, you will “pitch” your project to an audience of family, educators and ACE professionals. With big commitments come big rewards: Last year, \$72,000 in scholarships were awarded to 16 of the 40 applicants. You don’t want to miss out on this great opportunity! Spots will fill quickly. To apply please see Ms. Morgan in room 220 and for more information visit: www.acementor.org/portland-or. Students who are interested must complete a paper and online application.

Multnomah County Search and Rescue is Recruiting Youth Volunteers

This is a great opportunity for students who are interested in helping emergency responders. The Sheriff’s office will hold a recruiting session on the second and third Wednesdays in September, 7-9pm, 12900 NE Glisan St., Portland. Any student 14 and older can participate. For more information go to <http://mcsosar.org>.

Click the link to check out a great story of a Portland student who has participated in the program: http://www.oregon-live.com/portland/index.ssf/2015/09/teens_learn_leadership_surviva.html.

SCHOLARSHIPS

AES Engineering Scholarship, Due October 6th, Award: \$500.00 (Students DO NOT NEED to have interest in engineering). How to Apply: Students must submit an essay of between 500-1000 words: When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey? Submit your essay to scholarships@aesengineers.com. There is no application packet for this award. Include your full name, name of current school, and your plans for next year. Applicants must be in their senior year of high school.

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. 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](#).

BOOSTERS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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.

Concessions volunteers needed on the following upcoming dates. Click on the link to sign up: https://signup.com/group/1039940334035?utm_source=group-badge-volunteer-green.

Tuesday, September 20

Girl’s JV Soccer, 4:40-6:45pm, Track Shack

Girl’s Varsity Soccer, 6:45-8:45pm, Track Shack

Thursday, September 22

Girl’s JV/JV2 Volleyball, 4:15-6:15pm Gym Shack

COMMUNITY

NEW: RIEKE ELEMENTARY RUMMAGE SALE, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 9:00AM-3:00PM AND SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 9:00AM-1:00PM

Come look for a bargain and support Rieke.

NEW: CREATIVITY SPEAKS! FIRST ANNUAL EVENT, WILSON HIGH SCHOOL, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

Creativity Speaks! is a celebration and exploration of creative endeavors in a format similar to TED Talks, but with shorter

speeches and a focus on middle school and high school students and their families. Speakers include visual and fine artists, the 2016 Battle Bots TV champion, writers, ice cream makers, and others working in creative fields. Sponsored by Nike Design and the nonprofit Wilson Area Arts Council, the event kicks off at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 8, in the Wilson High School auditorium in Southwest Portland. Doors open at 12:30 pm, and tickets are available for \$6 at www.creativityspeakspx.com and at the door the day of the event.

OPPORTUNITY TO HOST STUDENT FROM JAPAN

Students from [Komaba Gakuen](#) High School, a private school located in Tokyo need host families from October 8 to November 1, 2016. Hosts receive a \$25 a day stipend and provide limited meals and transportation to Columbia Christian School in NE Portland (carpool or alternate transportation arrangements can be made). The hosting organization is Portland Education Tour Center. Contact Melanie Scheuermann (msazumano@gmail.com; 503-775-2865) if you would like to host.

PEACE IN SCHOOLS GALA, OCTOBER 1

Wilson families are invited to join Principal Brian Chatard at a gala event to celebrate and support Peace in Schools. In 2014, Peace in Schools and Wilson HS launched the first for-credit high school mindfulness course in the nation. Today, new high schools are partnering with Peace in Schools each year to establish mindfulness courses to equip students with the skills they need to handle the personal and social turmoil experienced by many teens. Mindfulness classes help build a calm, peaceful and supportive school environment.

The evening will include a spectacular dinner, live auction, and appearances from teens who have taken the Mindful Studies class. Tickets are available at www.peaceinschools.org/gala.

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)

FOLLOW WILSON LEADERSHIP ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Twitter: [@wilson_trojans](#)

Instagram: [wilson_trojans](#)

Facebook: [Wilson Leadership](#)

FOLLOW WILSON'S MAGAZINE, THE TROJAN HORSE

Twitter: [@whstrojanhorse](#)

Instagram: [@whstrojanhorse](#)

Use the hashtag #whshorse and send us your pictures.

FOLLOW SOUTHWEST STAGEWORKS, THE WILSON HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE COMPANY

Website: southweststageworks.com

Facebook: [SouthWest StageWorks/Wilson High School Drama Announcements](https://www.facebook.com/SouthWestStageWorks/Wilson-High-School-Drama-Announcements)

Twitter/Instagram/Snapchat: [@SW2Official](https://twitter.com/SW2Official)

Blog: southweststageworks.blogspot.com

ALUMNI NEWS

Wilson High School official alumni website: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com>.

ALUMNI CLASS REUNIONS

To find out about upcoming Class Reunions go to: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/reunions.htm>.

WILSON GRADUATES WHO HAVE SERVED OR ARE SERVING IN MILITARY

To add your name and information to the archive of Wilson Military Graduates, click on this link: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html>

WILSON SPORTS SCHEDULES

<http://www.wilsonathletics.com>

FACULTY/STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

If you would like to contact faculty or staff at Wilson go to <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/>.

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