

Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Friday, September 2, 2016 A, Periods 1-4

SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST 29 – SEPTEMBER 2

Monday, August 29: A/Special Schedule

Tuesday, August 30: B

Wednesday, August 31: A/Tutor Time Thursday, September 1: B/Tutor Time

Friday, September 2: A

SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 5 – 9

Monday, September 5: No School Tuesday, September 6: B Wednesday, September 7: A Thursday, September 8: B Friday, September 9: A

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

*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: https://signup.com/group/1039940334035?utm_source=group-badge-volunteer-green. *

Friday, September 2

Football vs. McMinnville: *Frosh/Soph @ Wilson, 4:15; Varsity @ Wilson, 7:30*

EVENTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

THEATRE SEASON KICKOFF FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, ROOM 108, 3:30PM

Join Wilson's own SouthWest StageWorks Theatre Company for the annual Season Kickoff! This Friday, September 2nd, the (SW)2 crew will host a potluck to welcome everyone into the 2016/2017 season. Meet this season's directors; hear about our mainstage productions, *TeenWest Project: Year 5 - The Hanging Girl, The Secret Garden*, and *Harvey*; get information on the many performance and community service opportunities (SW)2 has in store; and sign up for the annual Ashland Trip to the Oregon Shakespeare Festival. . . oh, and there's tables of free food and drink!

Bring something to share, or just join us for the kickoff of a phenomenal season with good people and good food. See you there! — J. Miller, Artistic Director

WILSON FOOTBALL VS MCMINNVILLE

Come to the Wilson-McMinnville football game at Wilson Friday night, Frosh/Soph at 4:15, Varsity at 7:30. Remember, no backpacks or big bags. Bring student ID. \$6 for adults, \$2 students, \$1 elem students, Wilson students free with ASB pass.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: PAY FEES AND CONTRIBUTIONS ONLINE

The bookkeeping and business office is working hard ordering materials and supplies for your student's classes. If you have not had a chance to go to <u>SchoolPay</u> to contribute to your student's classes, please do so soon. 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.

Our <u>costs and contributions</u> explanation includes a list of voluntary contributions as well as required costs. Curriculum support and classroom supplies contributions are voluntary, but because our operational budget does not cover all course supplies and costs, we rely on contributions from parents to enhance the classroom experience for students. Here are some examples of how your contributions are used: Math XL online subscription, art supplies, science lab materials, binders, compositions books, markers, software, magazine subscriptions, world language workbooks, guest speakers, lab supplies and consumables, field trips, competitions, and classroom consumables.

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.

NEW: GRAD NIGHT HELP NEEDED

One of our big fundraisers is selling sports buttons with pictures of your precious children on them! This generates a decent-size chunk of change for our seniors' graduation party. Plus, you get to support your child by wearing the button to all of the games. Parents needed from soccer, volleyball, and cross country to take pictures of every child on each team. This needs to be done as soon as possible so the printing process can get under way. Email, text or call Tiffany Jeffords (503-449-8019; teachertiffany.jeffords@gmail.com) to discuss.

PARKING ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNIORS AND SENIORS

Juniors: Unfortunately, we only have parking spots for Seniors this year. We have sold all 114 spots to Seniors and have no spots left for underclassmen. If you paid for parking at registration with a credit card, the credit card has been credited. If you paid by check or cash, we are cutting checks this week and sending them home in the mail. Sorry for any confusion about parking during registration. If you choose to park at Rieke, you will have to register (fill out an info form about your vehicle) with Security in room 139 (across from the gym). Thanks for your understanding.

Seniors: We have sold all 114 parking spots to our first paid Seniors at registration. If you have paid for a parking spot, we have some updates for you: The parking lot will be re-painted this weekend; paid Seniors will be issued a new parking pass and a designated numbered parking spot. You will hear from our security as soon as we have your spot assigned. Once you have your assigned number, please never park in another student's spot—you will be ticketed. If you did not buy a parking pass and you would like to park in Rieke's parking lot, please make sure to see Juan in Security (room 139) to register your car. Rieke is free parking but you must be registered to park. Thank you for your patience.

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/de-fault.aspx. Contact Wilson Social Worker Maureen Brennan at mbrennan@pps.net for more information or if you need help.

AUDITIONS FOR 2016-17 THEATER SEASON, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 4-8PM

Join (SW)2 for the first show of the season, our collaboration with Playwrights West on the new script *Teen West Project: Year 5 - The Hanging Girl.* A suspense thriller from writer/educator Aleks Merilo, this project will be equal parts terrifying and thought-provoking. . . a great fall work!

There is no need to prepare anything except for reading the play beforehand. The audition will consist of movement, voice work, and readings from the script. Actors will be released throughout the day, but all should be prepared to stay all four hours. Should you need to leave early, please alert the audition staff when you arrive. Please come in comfortable/dance/workout clothing and be prepared to work barefoot.

Sign up on the (SW)2 Callboard outside Studio 108 (the Drama Room) so we have an idea of numbers, but feel free to just drop in! Script copies and audition packets are in Studio 108 and available online at pwteenwest.blogspot.com.

See you there! — J. Miller, Artistic Director

WILSON ROBOTICS CLUB INFORMATION NIGHT, WILSON CAFETERIA, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 7-8:30PM

If you are interested in joining a competitive robotics team, come to an information meeting next Wednesday night. Parents and students are both encouraged to attend. Our competition season starts September 10 and teams will be filling up soon. Sign-ups will be available that night. No experience is required—just a willingness to be a team member, learn, and have fun! Contact Kari Smith Haight at wilsonhighschoolrobotics@gmail.com if you have any questions.

NEW: ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER STUDENT UNION FIRST METING OF THE YEAR, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, ROOM 129 AT LUNCH

Contact Ms. Suehiro for more information.

CHEER TRYOUTS SEPTEMBER 13 AND 14

Want to be a Wilson Cheerleader? Do you like to dance? Have you done gymnastics? Want to learn how to do backflips? Try out for the Wilson High School Cheer Team!

Tryout Practices:

Tuesday, September 13, 5-8 pm, Wilson HS Gym

Wednesday, September 14, 4:30-6pm, Wilson HS Cafeteria

Mandatory Tryouts: Wednesday, September 14, beginning at 6pm, Wilson HS Gym (athletes will try out in groups of three in front of a panel of judges at an assigned time)

Email <u>WilsonHighCheer@gmail.com</u> with any questions and check out the <u>Wilson Cheerleading</u> Facebook page. GO T-R-O-J-A-N-S!!!!

ALL CLUBS: SUBMIT CLUB APPLICATION/RENEWAL FORM BY SEPTEMBER 14

2016-17 Club Registration forms are available now in the main office, room #139, or <u>online</u>. To begin a new club or renew an existing club, submit completed forms to Ms. Urban in room #139 by Wednesday, September 14. The WHS Club Fair is September 23rd during Tutor Time.

VOCAL GROUP AUDITIONS, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, WILSON CHOIR ROOM, 3-6PM

Attention Wilson Singers! *Singing In The Rain* A Cappella pop vocal ensemble is looking for all voice parts and vocal percussionists. Their goals are to promote the development of vocal performance and provide a positive musical experience in a fun, supportive environment as they sing and compete with other a cappella groups throughout the

Northwest, working their way up to the Rose City Sing Off. Open auditions for new members will be held after school on September 14. Students interested in auditioning should prepare one verse and chorus from a well-known song. Auditions will also consist of basic sight singing exercises and range testing.

If you are cast in the Wilson fall play, come early (as soon as school gets out) to do your audition before rehearsal!

NOT TOO LATE!

It's not too late to play football or run cross country for Wilson this year! Come by the Athletic Office, in room 121 near the gym, if you're interested.

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.

WILSON BOOSTER CLUB NEEDS YOU

A huge part of Boosters' ability to help fund school activities comes from concessions at home athletic events. Volunteers are needed right away for games scheduled this week. Go to https://signup.com/volunteerspot/login/signin/ to sign up. Boosters' success depends entirely on parent volunteers! All funds raised go back to students in all kinds of activities all across the school: theater, debate, clubs, sports, and more.

SAVE THE DATE FOR PIZZA DINNER WITH BOOSTERS

Happy New (School) Year from your Booster Club! Take note: the Trojan Boosters will be selling pizza for 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!

WILSON PEER COUNSELORS

Peer Counselors are a valuable resource for all students new to Wilson including all freshmen and other students moving into the Wilson area from other schools. Peers are a trustworthy group of Juniors and Seniors from all walks of life. Peers can be found during lunch in room 117, feel free to drop in and say hi! They can help with general information about Wilson, suggestions about how to get involved through clubs and sports and other extra-curriculars. They can be someone your own age you can talk to in person about anything and trust that it will remain confidential. They are also available by appointment: ask your counselor to arrange for a time for you to meet with a Peer.

Peer Counselors for 2016/2017 are:

Paige Adrian
Brigid Behrens
Abdiaziz Belel
Maggie Beutler
Lillia Diaz
Colin Herring
Margot Humphries McGovern

Clay Hunter
Grace Jacobson
Lauren Jensen
Noah Koontz
Garrett Leeper
Alexandra Machinski
Sammy Magruder

Hale McCullough Ihsaan Mohamed Madeline Molloy James Reynolds Jaden Salama Rose Seamount Quinland Thompson Kyle Woodland

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 www.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.

Friday, September 2

Freshman Football 4:00-6:15pm Track Shack (2 spots) Varsity Football, 6:00-8:00pm Track Shack (7 spots) Varsity Football, 8:00-9:30pm Track Shack (7 spots)

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_s)

FOLLOW WILSON LEADERSHIP ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Twitter: <u>@wilson trojans</u>
Instagram: <u>wilson trojans</u>
Facebook: Wilson Leadership

FOLLOW WILSON'S MAGAZINE, THE TROJAN HORSE

Twitter: <u>@whstrojanhorse</u> Instagram: <u>@whstrojanhorse</u>

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

Twitter/Instagram/Snapchat: @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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