#### WILSON DAILY BULLETIN

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## Thursday, April 27, 2017 A/Assembly, Periods 1–4

#### SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 24 - APRIL 28

Monday, April 24: B Tuesday, April 25: A Wednesday, April 26: B Thursday, April 27: A/Assembly Friday, April 28: B/Tutor Time

#### SCHEDULE FOR MAY 1 - MAY 5

Monday, May 1: A Tuesday, May 2: B Wednesday, May 3: A/Tutor Time Thursday, May 4: B/Tutor Time Friday, May 5: A

#### **College Visits at Wilson**

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 upcoming college visits. Click on the specific college to sign up for the visit. If you don't know your login come in to the counseling office. College visits are in room 220 unless otherwise specified.

Quest University Canada: Monday, May 9, 9:00am

## **A**THLETICS

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: http:// vols.pt/zLYCmC. \*

#### Thursday, April 27

JV Baseball vs. Jefferson @ Jefferson: 4:30, bus 3:00, release 2:45
\*JV Track Classic @ Wilson: 4:00\*
Girls Tennis vs. Franklin @ Marshall/Clinton: taxis 3:00, release 2:45
Boys Tennis vs. Franklin @ Gabriel Park: 4:15
Softball vs. Franklin, Varsity @ Erv Lind; JV @ Lents: 4:00, bus 2:45, release 2:30

#### Friday, April 28

Track @ Nike/Jesuit Meet: bus 1:15, release 1:00 Varsity Baseball vs. Roosevelt @ Walker: 4:30, bus 2:45, release 2:30 JV2 Baseball vs. Grant @ Irving: 4:30, bus 2:45, release 2:30 New: Boys Tennis @ Grant: 4:15, taxis 3:00, release 2:45 New: Girls Tennis vs. Grant @ Gabriel Park, 4:15

#### Saturday, April 29

\*JV2 Baseball vs. Tigard @ Wilson, 12:00\*\*Boys Lacrosse vs. McNary @ Wilson, JV: 12:30\*

## **EVENTS**

Thursday, April 27

Graduation Name Reader Sign-Up

See Abby in Room 139 to sign up to audition for graduation name reader. Information will be available in Room 139.

#### ASB Election Assembly During Tutor Time

#### Prom Ticket Sales, in Front of Room 149 During Lunch and After School

Tickets are \$35 for one and \$65 for two. Guest passes are available in room 139; they were due April 26. Seniors must have all fines paid before they can purchase tickets. Check with the Bookkeeper in room 149 and Linda Campillo in the Library.

#### New: Verselandia, Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall, 7pm

Wilson's Poetry Slam winners Elisa Mickelson and Sincere Bartlett will compete!

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#### Grad Night Flower Sale, Orders Due Today

Spring is in the air! Are you looking for a Mother's Day gift? Or maybe a teachers gift? Do you need to add some color to your yard? Look no further! Grad Night is doing one last FUNdraiser before the year comes to a close. Please turn orders in to the Grad Night Lockbox in the main office by April 28th. If you have any questions, email Tiffany Jeffords (jeffords@ohsu.edu). Orders will be delivered on Saturday, May 13 (time TBD). Download the order form: http://www.pps.net/cms/lib8/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/1484/Grad\_Night\_Flower\_Order\_form.pdf.

#### Football Meeting, Wilson Gym, First 15 Minutes of Tutor Time

College Decision Day Event for Seniors, Tutor Time in the Foyer

Seniors, You are Invited... Your "next big thing" is fast approaching and we want to celebrate it! Join your fellow Seniors during tutor time in the auditorium foyer to celebrate where you're going and what you're doing next year after graduation. Show your pride in your future plans by wearing your college, trade wear, gap year garb, military t-shirt or anything else that represents your path!

#### Prom Ticket Sales, in Front of Room 149 During Lunch and After School

Tickets are \$35 for one and \$65 for two. Guest passes are available in room 139; they were due April 26. Seniors must have all fines paid before they can purchase tickets. Check with the Bookkeeper in room 149 and Linda Campillo in the Library.

#### Saturday, April 29

#### Saturday School, Wilson Library, 9:00am

## Jump Start College Tour, Portland Community College's SE Campus (SE 82nd and Division), 8:30am-3:15pm

This free event for students and parents is sponsored by the national Asian and Pacific Islander American Scholarship Fund and Wells Fargo. Students from all backgrounds are welcome to attend the event at Portland Community College's SE Campus (SE 82nd and Division). Learn about scholarships, financial aid, college planning and stay for a campus tour. Free food and prizes too. Register at **apiasf.org/jumpstart**.

#### Prom, Elysian Ballroom, 918 SW Yamhill, 7-10pm

#### Sunday, April 30

## Portland's Spring College Fair, University of Portland Chiles Center, noon-3:00pm

Smaller than the ginormous college fair held every fall, this is a perfect place to connect with admissions staff and ask questions. Check out the list of 130+

participating colleges **here**. Register in advance at **www.gotocollegefairs.com** and bring your registration bar code with you. Share it with college representatives to be added to their mailing list. Get ready for the fair with this checklist from the **Big Future** website.

#### **News**

#### **New: 2017 Commencement Speakers**

We are very excited to announce our staff and student speakers for our 2017 Commencement Ceremony.

Staff Speaker: George Penk Student Speakers: Wesley Crawford, Marley Kinser, and Quinn Van Horn

Congratulations to each of them!

#### **New:** Congratulations to Hannah Engstrom

Congratulations to Hannah Engstrom who took on the Library Research Contest and succeeded. Hannah received a prize and you can too. Stop by the Library and check out the contest in the display case.

## Wilson Speakers Shine At State

Members of the Wilson Speech and Debate team competed April 21 and 22 at the OSAA State Tournament at WOU in Monmouth and made a strong showing in the elimination rounds of their events. Congratulations to **Wolf Morgan-Steiner** (5th After Dinner Speaking), **Amy Sloan** (6th Radio Commentary), **Ari Lohr** (finalist, Student Congress), **Andrew Foran** (semi finalist, Humorous Interpretation), **Benedicte Hamilton** (semi finalist, Expository), the Dual Interpretation team of **Bryce Snyder** and **Hannah Borel** (semi finalists), the Public Forum debate team of **Moses Felberg** and **Fletcher Calcagno** (quarter finalists), and the Parliamentary Debate team of **Elijah Moon** and **William Sweek** (octo finalists).

## A Message from Mr. Olsen

#### Dear Wilson Community,

I wanted to thank everyone for your support and participation in this year's Wilson blood drive(s). As a result of our four separate drives we were able to gather over 300 units of blood. That means that roughly 900 lives have been saved by our efforts. That is truly outstanding!

I'd like to recognize the efforts our student coordinators, Senior Ben Scholl and Junior Belle Brooks, plus the efforts of all our hard-working student volunteers.

Again, thank you! Aaron Olsen, Health Teacher

#### Athletes of the Week, April 24-27

Jacques Panet-Raymond, Boys Lacrosse: Jacques showed that he can physically dominate opponents, and be a trusted threat offensively and defensively. His willingness to do the little things and push himself by hard work and effort this week makes him a role model for the Boys Lacrosse program.

**Rylee Sutherland,** Girls Lacrosse: Rylee had really strong performances on both ends of the field, and our team has been able to count on her in tough situations.

#### **Boys Basketball News**

Boys Basketball Coach Scott Aker is leaving Wilson to take the position of Boys Varsity Basketball Head Coach at Franklin HS, where he started his coaching career. We'll miss Coach Aker and all the contributions he's made to Wilson as Boys Varsity Head Coach for 19 years, athletic director for eight years, and PE Department Chair. His teams made the OSAA playoffs 16 times and were awarded multiple PIL Sportsmanship awards. Coach Aker has run a quality program from the youth level up and maintained high standards for his coaches and athletes, on and off the court. We wish him the best of luck in this next venture at the newly rebuilt Franklin building!

## Sophomore Gabriel Colasurdo Selected as 2017 Youth Ambassador

Gabriel will spend three weeks traveling in Chile and Argentina as a Youth Ambassador, developing leadership skills and promoting mutual understanding between the U.S, and the host countries. The U.S. Youth Ambassadors Program with Argentina and Chile is a program of the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs and Office of Public Affairs, U.S. Embassies in Argentina and Chile and implemented by World Learning. Congratulations Gabriel, and buen viaje!

#### **Congratulations to Wilson's Future College Athletes!**

Hannah Davis, Rowing, Lehigh University
Evan Carlson, Swimming, Arizona State University
Caleb Seely, University of Idaho
Alec Dunkeld, Soccer, Concordia University
Jordan Watson, Football, Southern Oregon University
Aidan Trummel, Football, Macalester College
Elle Stein, Track, Seattle University
Elsa Douglas, Track, Pacific University
Elius Graff, Track, undecided
Eva Vlassopoulus, Soccer, University of Redlands
Max Lommen, Basketball, Linfield College
Noah Keough, Baseball, Blue Mountain Community College
Janey Woodward, Volleyball, Cypress College
Leah Sulmonetti, Soccer, Knox College

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **Wilson Foundation Auction Update**

The paddle raise at the auction raised more than \$40,000 to pay for staff! For those of you who were unable to attend on Saturday, there is still time to contribute to help reduce class sizes and increase class offerings for students next year.

We are hoping to raise at least another \$5,000 for the Foundation to help to restore some class sections and electives, and we are asking those of you who haven't donated yet to do so now. You can click **here** to make your contribution, or write a check payable to "Wilson Foundation" and drop it off to the office. No amount is too large or too small as our combined efforts have impact. Thank you!

#### New: Verselandia Tickets Still Available

Students, there are still a few tickets left for Verselandia, the all-PPS Poetry Slam, which takes place Thursday, April 27, at the Schnitzer Concert Hall at 7pm. If you would like tickets, see Linda Campillo in the Library.

## New: Nominations for Wilson's Golden W Award Due May 5

Seniors, faculty/staff, and parents and community members are invited to submit nominations for this year's Golden W Awards, honoring graduating seniors, faculty/staff members, and/or members of the community who have performed services above and beyond the call of duty for Wilson High School. Within the past four years, these people have demonstrated their dedication to the betterment of our school by generously contributing their time and talents, not merely doing their jobs or being good students. Their service has been definitive and significant.

Nomination forms are available on the counter in the main office or **online**. Email your nominations to Julie Fleming (**jfleming1@pps.net**) or bring it to the main office by May 5.

## **New:** College & Career Related Opportunity

## Women in Trades Career Fair, High School Girls Day, Friday, May 19, 9:00am-1:30pm

Are you interested or curious about hands-on related careers? Don't miss the largest non-traditional career fair of its kind. Last year students had the opportunity to build planter boxes, make birdhouses, pour concrete, and many more fun hands-on activities. If you would like to attend this career day or need any further information please speak with Ms. Morgan in room 220.

## Southwest Stageworks, the Wilson High School Theatre Company, Proudly Presents *Harvey*, May 5-7 & 11-13

#### A Comedy by Mary Chase

Elwood P. Dowd insists on including his friend Harvey in all of his sister Veta's social gatherings. Trouble is, Harvey is an imaginary six-and-a-half-foot-tall rabbit. A celebrated success, this play has become one of the most successful and popular plays ever produced! Tickets available online at https://app.arts-people.com/index.php?ticketing=whsta.

## Prom is April 29 at the Elysian Ballroom, 918 SW Yamhill, 7-10pm; Tickets On Sale Now

Hey Juniors and Seniors! Prom is coming up fast on April 29 at the Elysian. Tickets are \$35 for one and \$65 for two, and will be on sale during lunch in front of the bookkeeper's office in room 149 starting April 20; beginning April 26 they will be for sale at lunch and after school. Start asking and send your promposals in to the Wilson Trojans Instagram for a chance to win free prom tickets! Guest passes are available in room 139; they are due April 26.

Seniors must have all fines paid before they can purchase tickets. Check with the Bookkeeper in room 149 and Linda Campillo in the Library.

#### College Night For Grades 9-11, Wilson Cafeteria, Tuesday, May 9, 6:30pm

We will begin with some introductions and resources followed by your choice of three breakout sessions on topics including: Two-year colleges, private school applications, four-year public school applications, how to write a dynamic college essay, financial aid, financial planning, scholarships searching, how to choose a college that is right for you, etc.

#### Support Wilson Band, Italian Style!

*Mangia bene* at the WHS Band Festa, an informal and fun evening of Italian food and drinks and live music performed by WHS band members. This is your opportunity to schmooze with *direttore* Nick Caldwell and *consigliere* Frank Joyce. **Saturday, May 20, 6:30pm.** Dinner is \$25 per adult and \$15 per student. Your contributions fund sheet music, instrument repairs and purchases, transportation to music competitions and events, band uniforms, and more. Hosted by the Buser/ Hill, Weeks, Calcagno, and Miller families. For information and to RSVP, contact Patti BuserHill (503-706-1868; **hillandbuser@comcast.net**). BUON PASTO + BUON AMICI = BUON MUSICA!

## Wilson Weight Room Morning Openings

The Weight Room will be open for all athletes from 7-7:45am Monday-Wednesday starting Monday, April 17.

## **Free Cheer Try-Out Prep Clinics, Wilson Gym Wednesdays, April 12, 19, 26, and May 3 and 10, 5:30-7:30pm** Anyone interested in checking out cheer can come and learn cheers and stunting. Open to grades 3-11.

## Juniors: This Spring is the Time to Ramp up Your College Exploration in Preparation for Fall Applications!

Learn more here.

# Exploring Educational Excellence Tour, Wednesday, May 24, 7:00pm

Learn more about five highly selective universities when they come to Portland in May. Join Brown, Chicago, Columbia, Cornell and Rice for an evening information session for sophomores and juniors. Sessions include a brief overview of each institution, information on admissions and financial aid, and a chance to speak informally with admissions representatives. Parents welcome! You must register **online** to attend and print a confirmation to bring with you. The free event will be at the Crowne Plaza Portland Convention Center at 1441 NE 2nd Ave, Portland.

## **Summer Opportunities**

See the **Wilson College & Career Center** page for a listing of summer opportunities.

## Scholarships

For scholarships and application information, go to http://www.pps.k12.or.us/ schools/wilson/312.htm#scholarships.

# Attention Seniors: Check out the New Grad Night Party Website!

http://www.whsportland.com/index.html#know

# Last Call: Cute Cotton Fabric Needed for Boxer Bingo for Grad Night! Needed by Friday, May 5

Grad night is seeking cotton or flannel fabric pieces (1/2 yard or larger) for a grad night project. If you've got scraps you are willing to part with, please contact

Dannie McLaughlin (danni.mclaughlin@gmail.com) or drop at the Wilson High School office labeled "Boxer Bingo." If you are interested in sewing boxers, either in a group-sew night, or by taking home supplies and making at home, please email Danni for details. We need sewers, cutters, and runners and it's a lot of fun and the pattern is very simple. Thanks for continuing this fun Wilson tradition.

## Seniors

#### **Clear Fees Now**

This is a reminder that your fees need to be paid before you can purchase prom tickets, receive graduation tickets, and receive your diploma. Amounts due can include fees for transcripts sent electronically or mailed to colleges. Fees can be paid to Ana Curtis, the bookkeeper in room 149 and transcript fees can be paid to Ana Curtis or Sharon Dailey, the counseling secretary. Check with Ana if you're not sure if you owe fees.

#### 12th-Grade Checklist for April

- 1. Look for decision letters from colleges. They're coming this month! Be sure to share your acceptances with counselors, parents, and friends!
- 2. **Compare financial aid award letters.** Financial aid award package letters usually arrive shortly after acceptances. Go over these carefully and ask an adult if you have questions.
- 3. **Sign up for and attend Preview Days.** Whether you're deciding between two colleges, or just want to get more familiar with your first choice, make sure you sign up for prospective student weekends/days.
- 4. **Decide where to attend college.** Decision time! Think carefully and critically about the pros and cons for each school—consider size, academics, cost, extracurricular options and more. Many colleges require a confirmation and initial deposit on May 1st.

12th-Grade Checklist for Next Month: Plan a budget and start making lists of what you'll need!

#### **Career Center News**

## Law Day Conference, May 2, 8:30am-1:30pm, Portland State University (Application Deadline: April 22)

Are you interested in a career in law? Then the Law Day Conference is for you! Since 1981, more than 20,000 Oregon and SW Washington high school students have attended the Law Day Conference featuring exciting workshops that explore our legal system. Workshops are interesting, topical, and so current that many are being argued in the courts today. When students leave the conference at the end of Law Day, they will be more informed citizens, know more about where to go for help, and develop new interest and appreciation for being an active citizen. Registration fee of \$10 includes lunch and materials. Register at http:// www.classroomlaw.org/programs/law-day/. For more information please stop by room 220.

#### PCC Trades Center Field Trip, 9:00am-1:00pm, Tuesday, May 10

Are you looking for a hands-on career? Not sure what you would like to do in the future? Learn about high skill, high wage career possibilities without college debt. Come and explore apprenticeships programs such as:

- Welding
- HVAC
- Fiber Optics
- Electrical Trades
- Facilities Maintenance

This field trip satisfies a CRLE graduation requirement. For more information and to attend please stop by room 220 to pick up a permission slip.

# Minds Matter, An Opportunity for 9th-Graders; Apply by May 5

If you are a 9th-grader with at least a 3.2 GPA, come from a household with an annual family income below \$36,000 and/or qualify for Free/Reduced lunch, are committed to pursuing a college education, demonstrate strong academic potential, motivation, maturity, and responsibility, you might want to learn more about Minds

Matter. Minds Matter is an all-volunteer organization dedicated to helping lowincome, high achieving high school students realize their dreams of attending college. Starting their sophomore year, Minds Matter students join mentors and tutors every Saturday during the school year at Self Enhancement, Inc., and receive the reward of fully-paid summer enrichment programs at colleges throughout the U.S. As rising seniors, they also have the chance to compete for an overseas program. Since their 2006 inception, Minds Matter Portland has celebrated 100% of seniors receiving admission to a 4-year college of their choice, often with substantial financial aid support. Information is available at http:// mindsmatterportland.org/students/how-to-apply/. Come to an informational meeting on Friday April 14th, during lunch in the college center (room 220).

#### 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.

## Support Wilson Boosters When You Shop Amazon

Do you shop at Amazon? Looking for a free way to support the Wilson Booster Club? Amazon now has a website that dedicates 0.5% of all of your qualifying purchases to the program of your choice with out costing you a dime. AmazonSmile has the same great products and prices as the regular Amazon site. Go to http://smile.amazon.com/ch/93-1039512 for all of your internet purchases.

## Last Day of School is Now June 15

The **April** 7 teacher-planning day has been changed to an instructional day, and another day has been added to the school year. The last day of school is now **June 15.** These calendar changes do not affect graduation dates for seniors.

## COMMUNITY

#### **New:** Volunteer Opportunity, American Heart Association's Heart & Stroke Walk, PIR, May 20

Volunteers needed in a variety of roles from 6:00am-1:00pm. Email Wilson alum Julia Sholian (**julia.Sholian@heart.org**) if interested with time availability.

## 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**.

## PPS Calendar for 2017-18:

Find it online at http://www.pps.net/cms/lib8/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/ 4/School-Quarter-Calendar-2017-18.pdf.

## **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.)

#### Stay in Touch with the Wilson Counseling Department

Follow **#wilsoncounseling** on Instagram for scholarship, college, and special events! For text alerts on financial aid and college resources, text COLLEGE to 44044!

#### **Follow Wilson Leadership**

Twitter: @wilson\_trojans Instagram: wilson\_trojans Facebook: Wilson Leadership

#### **Follow Wilson Yearbook**

Instagram: @wilson.yearbook Twitter: @WilsonTroyan

## 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 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 the 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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