



Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Thursday, November 12, 2015 A, Periods 1-4

click [here](#) for Bell Schedules

SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 9 – 13

Monday, November 9: A
Tuesday, November 10: B
Wednesday, November 11: No School,
Veteran's Day Holiday
Thursday, November 12: A
Friday, November 13: B

SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 16 – 20

Monday, November 16: A
Tuesday, November 17: B
Wednesday, November 18: A/Tutor Time
Thursday, November 19: B/Tutor Time
Friday, November 20: A

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.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY: Thursday, **November 12**, 1:42 pm

THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA, MISSOULA: Wednesday, **November 18**, 10:45 am

ATHLETICS

- Winter sports (basketball, wrestling, swimming) start November 16. Registration is open now at <https://www.familyid.com/organizations/wilson-hs>.

EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

NO SCHOOL, VETERAN'S DAY HOLIDAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

WILSON BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

If you were unable to make the meeting on Tuesday please see Ms. Campillo on Thursday in the Library.

FALL PLAY: ANTIGONE, BY JEAN ANOUILH, 7:00PM

Join us for this production of Jean Anouilh's modernization of Sophocles' Antigone. Wilson Alumna Clara-Liis Hillier brings her expertise in movement and classical theatre to this exciting production of one woman's fight to do right in the face of overwhelming obstacles. 2:00pm in the Wilson auditorium. \$15 general admission, \$10 students and educators. Recommended for ages upper elementary or older. Tickets available at the door and online at <http://www.southweststageworks.com/mainstage-productions---buy-tickets-now-for-antigone.html>.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13

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

Join us for an information discussion with a panel of Wilson staff. Kate Morgan, Career Center Coordinator, and Maureen Brennan, Wilson's new social worker, will discuss career planning and opportunities and the role of the licensed social worker at Wilson.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

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WILSON HIGH SCHOOL FOUNDATION HOUSE PARTY EXTRAVAGANZA

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 for the Fifth Annual Wilson High School Foundation House Party Extravaganza! Email your rsvp to wilsonhighschoolfoundation@gmail.com 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.

NEWS

IT'S TIME, BELIEVE IT OR NOT, TO ANNOUNCE AUDITIONS FOR OUR WINTER PRODUCTION!

On Tuesday, November 17th, we will begin the audition process for Teen West Project: *Year 4 - The Pool Behind the Old Brick School*. Actors should be prepared to spend the 17th-19th from 4:00pm to 7:00pm in auditions and callbacks. The format of auditions has not been determined at this point, but will not require preparing material in advance.

Though not required, it is strongly advised that prospective actors read and get to know the script in advance of auditions. Scripts are currently available for reading in the Drama Room (108), though they must remain there.

Digital copies will be available on the show blog (pwteenwest.blogspot.com) and the (SW)2 blog (southweststageworks.blogspot.com) by Thursday, November 12. Audition packets, required for auditioning, will also be available at that time.

Technical positions will open for sign-up during audition week, so keep an eye out here for those opportunities.

We are hugely excited to bring this new work to life—will you help us? —Jamie Miller

WILSON SPEAKERS SUCCESSFUL AT SILVERTON

Wilson Speech and Debate competed last weekend at Silverton High School's Fox Invitational, the largest tournament so far this year with 550 students from over 30 schools competing. Congratulations to Hannah Borel, who took 2nd place in the new Programmed Oral Interpretation event and, with partner Amy Rodgers, was a finalist in Duo Interpretation. Other Wilson finalists included Benedicte Hamilton in Prose Reading, and Alexandra Cameron-Pizzo in Poetry Reading. The next tournament is Saturday, November 21 at Glencoe High School in Hillsboro.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: LOOKING FOR GENTLY USED AP STUDY GUIDES

We are building our lending library of AP study guides (Princeton Review, Barrons, etc). Have you or someone in your family taken AP classes and used a study guide that is just sitting on the shelf? Please bring any guides you would like to donate, 2012 or newer please and in the [AP subjects we offer](#), to Abby in the main office. Thanks!

NEW: 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!

NEW: SW NEIGHBORHOODS TECH CONNECT EVENT, NOVEMBER 18

Join your neighbors, PPS parents and students at the SW Neighborhoods TechConnect event. Explore how educational technology is being used in southwest Portland schools today and could be used in the future. Keynote speaker plus hands-on demonstrations. November 18, 6:30-8:30 pm at Jackson Middle School. More information and registration information at swni.org/schools. Adult and student volunteers are also needed.

PIZZICATO DOUGH FOR DOLLARS, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1

Buy pizza, earn money for Wilson Foundation! Wilson Foundation will receive 20% of your purchase amount all day on December 1 (including gift certificates) at the Hillsdale Pizzicato, 6358 SW Capitol Highway 503-452-7166. 11am - 9pm. Holiday shopping tip: Pizzicato gift certificates make great gifts!

DO YOU PLAY A BAND INSTRUMENT?

Searching for Wilson-area musicians interested in forming a community band. The purpose of the band will be to provide a fun and enriching musical experience for members, and to partner with the Wilson band to perform. Adults and high school students are encouraged to participate.

Even if it's been years since you played, we'd love to hear from you! Please contact Kristin Rencher, k.rencher@me.com, if you're interested in joining in on the fun and supporting Wilson.

SCHOOL PHOTO RETAKES ARE IN

Students who had school photos taken (or retaken) in October may come to the main office before or after school and during lunch or tutor time to pick up their packets.

CAREER RELATED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Professionals at the Howard S. Wright Company (responsible for projects like the Space Needle and Portland's own Big Pink building) are hosting a career day on Wednesday, December 9th, from 9:00am-1:30pm. This is a great opportunity for students interested in learning about information modeling, scheduling, project management, and job site management as well commercial, institutional, and industrial building. If you are interested please see Ms. Morgan in room 221 to get an application. For more information, go to www.howardswright.com.

Are you interested in pursuing a career in the medical field? Kaiser Permanente is hosting a career day Thursday, December 5th, from 9:30am-12:30. Students will get a behind-the-scenes look at a large Portland hospital and learn about a variety of health services careers. To register please see Ms. Morgan in room 221.

BLACKREACH OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM

Wednesday, November 18, 2015 from 5:30 to 8:00pm at Self Enhancement Inc.

The University of Oregon in collaboration with Portland Public Schools, Self Enhancement Inc., and the Black United Fund of Oregon invite ALL black and African American students and their families to the BLACKReach Opportunities program on Wednesday, November 18, 2015 from 5:30 to 8:00 pm at Self Enhancement Inc. This is a great opportunity for students to get answers to their questions about the transition process into higher education after high school, learn about financial aid and scholarships opportunities to pay for college, important deadlines and all college-related questions. Parents also have the unique opportunity to learn how to support their students to pursue higher education. Younger students will have an opportunity to learn what it takes to prepare for college and interact with college students from similar backgrounds. Free dinner and childcare are provided so the entire family can attend. Please contact the University of Oregon Opportunities team at 541-346-1067, opportunities@uoregon.edu with any questions.

IMMUNIZATION UPDATE—NON-MEDICAL EXEMPTIONS

Recent legislation resulting from Senate Bill 895 has resulted in changes to the requirements for non-medical exemptions, formerly known as religious exemptions. Parents of students who claimed a religious exemption status prior to March 1, 2014, and who wish to continue with an exemption, are now required to obtain a medical exemption or a Vaccine Education Certificate (after receiving the required education about immunizations from a health care practitioner or after watching the online vaccine education module). Parents should also complete a new Certificate of Immunization Status form, and mark the vaccines for which they would like an exemption in the exemption section. Forms should be returned to the school nurse. For more information, contact Wilson school nurse Kym Guadalupe at 503-916-5369 or go to www.healthoregon.org/vaccineexemption.

YEARBOOK SENIOR AD DEADLINE IS JANUARY 15

The deadline to buy senior ads is quickly approaching! Email troyanbizz@gmail.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.

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.

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/>

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.

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)