

Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Wednesday, October 14, 2015 A, PSAT Special Schedule for Periods 1-4

BELL 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

BELL SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 19 – 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 Friday, October 23: No School

PSAT TESTING TODAY, SPECIAL SCHEDULE

8:15: All students start school

Sophomores and Juniors: 8:15-11:59 am, PSAT Testing

Freshmen: 8:15-11:59, 9th-grade assembly in the Gym

Seniors: 8:15-9:48am: 1st-period study hall in the Drama/Music Hallway 10:00-11:59: 12th-grade assembly in the Auditorium

All Students: 11:59-12:31pm, Lunch

After lunch, all students go to their Period 1-4 classes following this schedule: 12:36-1:12pm: Period 1 1:17-1:53pm: Period 2 1:58-2:34pm: Period 3

2:39-3:15pm: Period 4

All Sophomores and Juniors will take the PSAT and need to bring ID, 2 sharpened pencils and an approved calculator (<u>https://www.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt/approved-calculators</u>).

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 <u>website</u>, 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.

GRINNELL COLLEGE: Wednesday, October 14, 9:35 am

PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY: Friday, October 16, 12:15 pm

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

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

Wednesday, October 14

Cross Country @ David Douglas PIL/MHC Meet; buses 2:15, release 2:00 Girls Soccer vs. Lincoln; JV2 @ Delta Park, 4:00; van/cabs 2:45, release 2:30 Boys Soccer vs. Jefferson : JV2 @ Gabriel Park, 4:15; note change: no bus, new release time is 3:00

Thursday, October 15

Volleyball vs. Jefferson: Varsity @ Wilson, 6:30: JV & JV2 @ Wilson, 5:00 Girls Soccer vs. Lincoln: Varsity @ Wilson, 7:00; JV @ Wilson, 5:00. Senior Night! Boys Soccer vs. Lincoln; Varsity @ Lincoln, 7:00; bus 5:30; JV @ Delta Park, 4:00; bus 3:00, release 2:45

Friday, October 16 Football vs. Lincoln: Varsity @ Lincoln, 7:30; bus 5:15; Frosh @ Lincoln, 4:30; bus 3:30, release 3:10

EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14

PSAT TESTING DAY

All Sophomores and Juniors will take the PSAT exam starting at 8:15am and ending at 11:30am. The math and social studies halls will be reserved for testing and only students taking the PSAT will be admitted to these halls. Signs in the main hall will tell students their testing room.

Freshmen and Seniors will attend class assemblies while Sophomores and Juniors are taking the test. The Freshman Assembly is from 8:15-11:30am in the Gym and will focus on the prevention of bullying.

Seniors will be in a Career and College Assembly from 10:00-11:30am in the Auditorium with break-out sessions in the Drama/Music hallways. Seniors who arrive prior to 10:00am will go to a classroom in the Drama/Music hallway where they can study.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15

MANDATORY SENIOR CLASS MEETING, 2:11PM DURING TUTOR TIME

We will do our best to limit it to 35 minutes so the Seniors can have some Tutor Time if needed.

COLLEGE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION LUNCHTIME "HOW-TO" IN ROOM 220

Grab your lunch and meet in the College Center (room 220) ten minutes after the bell for a short presentation addressing all your questions.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN-4-FUNDS

Wilson Cross Country's third annual Run-4-Funds event is coming this Thursday. This is our largest athlete-led fundraiser. The money raised goes to building our program and directly back to our athletes in the form of team T-shirts, new equipment, meet-day meals and snacks, the spring Cross Country BBQ and more. Please support our athletes by sponsoring your local Cross Country runner and encouraging your athlete to sign up family and friends to sponsor them during the run.

If you or friends or family are employed by Nike, click <u>here</u> for information on their matching program. Nike will double employee donations to Wilson Cross Country, so check it out today!

WILSON CHOIR & ORCHESTRA CONCERT, WILSON AUDITORIUM, 7:00PM

NEW: GIRLS SOCCER SENIOR NIGHT, 7:00PM

Wilson girls take on Lincoln, join us to celebrate our senior players!

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 ERIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 6:20 PM, WILSON AUDITORIUM

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.

NEW: 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!

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19

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, click here.

NEWS

NEW: WILSON ROWERS HEADED TO BOSTON!

Two Wilson students, Hannah Davis (junior) and Julia Hamburger (sophomore) are among Portland's top competitive youth rowers. These strong Wilson women were selected for Rose City Rowing Club's only invited varsity boat for the Head of the Charles Regatta (Cambridge, Massachusetts, October 17-18) the largest regatta in the world. Good luck this weekend, Hannah and Julia! If you're interested in crew, contact <u>lynn@rosecityrowing.org</u> and check out the club's video: <u>https://vimeo.com/85322100</u>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: STUDENTS MUST CHANGE THEIR PASSWORD BY OCTOBER 15

Students: If you have not changed your PPS password from the default password by October 15th then you will need to inquire at the Wilson office or library where either David Rose, Wilson's IT Specialist, or Linda Campillo can help reset your default password. If you have a working password but cannot access Synergy, contact Portland Public Schools IT department (503-916-3375) or inquire with Sara Mattheisen in the attendance office at Wilson.

GOING GREEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS?

Click <u>here</u> 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. Greenery makes excellent gifts. It's like shipping a piece of the Pacific Northwest directly to the door. Live sales of wreaths will start after Thanksgiving in conjunction with the Boosters' Tree Sale at A-Boy on Barbur Boulevard. Think WHS, and thank you for your support.

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>.

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!

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 <u>www.WilsonGradNight.com</u>. Scholarships are available.

GRAD NIGHT PIE/COBBLER/FROZEN FRUIT SALE

Support Grad Night, enjoy yummy fruit pies, cobblers, and frozen fruit. Order <u>online</u> 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 <u>sichaus@</u> <u>hotmail.com</u> 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 <u>ecsandifer@gmail.com</u>."

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 <u>online</u> 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 <u>vfriedman@pps.net</u>. 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_)