



Wilson Daily Bulletin

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Wednesday, October 28, 2015

B, Periods 5-8

click [here](#) for Bell Schedules

SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 26 – 30

Monday, October 26: B
Tuesday, October 27: A
Wednesday, October 28: B
Thursday, October 29: A
Friday, October 30: **No School**

SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 2 – 6

Monday, November 2: B
Tuesday, November 3: A
Wednesday, November 4: B
Thursday, November 5: A/Tutor Time
Friday, November 6: B/Tutor Time

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 [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.

QUEST UNIVERSITY CANADA: Wednesday, 8:15am

SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN: Wednesday, 9:53am

WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY: Wednesday, 12:04pm

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOUIS: Wednesday, 2:00pm

GETTYSBURG COLLEGE: Thursday, 8:15am

MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY, BILLINGS: Thursday, 9:53am

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY APPLICATION WORKSHOP: Thursday, 12:04 pm (Sign up in Counseling Office)

WHITWORTH UNIVERSITY: Thursday, 1:42pm

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA: Thursday, 2:30 pm

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

Wednesday, October 28

Volleyball: Round 1 Playoffs, Wilson at South Eugene, 6pm

Thursday, October 29

No contests

Friday, October 30

Football vs. Madison: Freshman @ Wilson, 4:30; Varsity @ Wilson, 7:30

Saturday, October 31

XC: OSAA State Championships @ Lane Community College: 6A Girls, 2:25; 6A Boys, 3:00

Boys Soccer: Round 1 Playoff TBD

Girls Soccer: Round 1 Playoff TBD

EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28

WINTER SPORTS MEETING

If you are planning to play or try out for a winter sport, come to a 5-10 minute meeting at the beginning of lunch in the gym.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

POWDERPUFF FOOTBALL, 7:00PM

Come watch the Seniors vs. the Juniors in the Powderpuff Football game. Come cheer on the squads!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

WILSON WOMEN'S LACROSSE 1ST ANNUAL TRY LAX DAY, OCTOBER 30, 10AM-12PM

Friday, October 30, is a day off school, so join us on the Wilson Turf Field for this free event. Meet current players and experience lacrosse in a fun setting. Girls currently in grades 9-12 welcome, please rsvp to Stephanie Makarounis at smakarounis@me.com.

FOOTBALL VS MADISON; SENIOR NIGHT

Come out to see the game! Tickets are \$6 adults, \$2 for middle and high school students with your current school ID card, and \$1 for elementary students. No backpacks, no skateboards, no re-entry. Wilson students with ASB pass get in free.

NEWS

WILSON CROSS COUNTRY WINS PIL, HEADS TO STATE

Last Wednesday the "Green Machine" that is Wilson Cross Country had a historic day of racing at the 2015 PIL District Championships. The afternoon started off with our JV Lady Trojans finishing a strong 4th place. The lead pack of Trojans included Freshmen Annika Sunderstrom, Lizzie Reunert, Emma Halling, Junior Elsa Douglas, and Senior Natalie McKinnon. The future is extremely bright for this group of up-and-comers!

The JV Boys placed 2nd in a very competitive JV division. The "Wolfpack" was led by Senior Xavier Triplett, Juniors Elius Graff, Aidan Manley and Freshman Caden "Kid" Samkutty, all finishing in the top 10.

However, the main events for the afternoon were in the Varsity divisions. At the district championships only the top three placing teams and top ten individuals qualify for the opportunity to compete at the state meet in Eugene, on October 31st.

The Varsity women's team (Grace Heizer, Isabelle Brooks, Ellie Stein, Iris Emerick, Adarha Poasa and Aurora Emmons) ran their hearts out, yet finished in fourth place (by 3 points) behind Lincoln, Grant and Franklin. However, sophomore Grace Heizer ran like the wind and finished 3rd overall, qualifying her for state as an individual and becoming a member of the 2015 PIL all-league team.

The big news of the day was in the Men's division. The Mighty Trojans (Alex Slenning, Nick Slenning, Kian Mitchell, Chris Nussbaum, Caleb Seely, Sam Berhens and Chase Howard) ran a perfect race and shocked their rivals by winning the district championship. This is the first outright district championship for Wilson XC since 1985 and qualifies the team for the state meet. Highlighting the day was Sophomore super star and now district champ Alex Slenning who blew the field and won the race by 12 seconds. Junior power-house Caleb Seely made a huge move in the last 400 meters to finish in 2nd place. Alex, Caleb and senior Chase Howard all earned All-Conference Honors. Now it's on to state!

We would love to have everyone come join us next Saturday (October 31st) at Lane Community College to cheer your Trojans on at the state competition.

WILSON SPEECH AND DEBATE TEAM WINS AWARDS

On Saturday, October 24, Wilson hosted the state's largest Speech and Debate tournament to date, with over 300 students from 22 schools participating. Wilson speakers participated in the tournament and won several awards. Congratulations to the Dual Interpretation team of Moses Felberg and Amy Rodgers for taking 1st place in their event. Other speakers achieving awards include finalists Hannah Borel (Dramatic Interpretation), the Dual Interpretation team of Hannah Borel and Bryce Snyder, Tatum Bair (After Dinner Speaking), and Fletcher Calcagno (novice Prose Reading, in his first tournament). Speech and Debate is on the road again to Silverton High School for the Fox Invitational on Saturday, November 7.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VOTE FOR WILSON'S ALEX SLENNING AS THE OREGONIAN'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Sophomore Alex Slenning is the cross country PIL men's varsity champion, and now you can help make him the Oregonian's Athlete of the Week! Voting will open soon at <http://highschoolsports.oregonlive.com/news/article/1034623782386976797/wilsons-alex-slenning-nominated-for-athlete-of-the-week/>.

TALENTED AND GIFTED IDENTIFICATION FORM DUE NOVEMBER 2

if you believe your student should be identified as TAG (Talented and Gifted) you need to complete and submit the [IDPF form](#) to the Wilson office by November 2, 2015. For more information on TAG please see the district website at <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/departments/tag/1392.htm>.

SENIORS

Jostens is coming again on Monday, November 2, during lunch to collect senior order packets.

FALL SPORTS UPDATE

- Congrats to Cross Country for finishing 1st in the PIL for boys and 4th for girls! Wilson's Alex Slenning is the boys PIL champ, Caleb Seeley finished 2nd and Chase Howard 5th. Grace Heizer finished 3rd. Seven Wilson boys will be going to State Saturday in Eugene as well as Grace. 2:25pm for Girls, 3pm for Boys—good luck!
- Congrats also to our Volleyball team, PIL Champs with a 14-2 record! They play Wednesday at 6pm at S. Eugene for their Round 1 playoff game.
- Kudos to both Wilson soccer teams for making the playoffs! They play Saturday, October 31, time and location TBD.
- In Football we had a big win vs. Jefferson last Friday; this Friday, October 30, is our last league game, vs. Madison, at home. The playoffs start the following Friday.
- Fall Sports Awards are Tuesday, November 10, 7pm in the Wilson Auditorium.
- Winter Sports Registration
Winter sports (basketball, wrestling, swimming) start November 16. Registration is open now at <https://www.familyid.com/organizations/wilson-hs>. There will be a brief informational meeting for athletes wanting to play winter sports (or thinking about it) in the gym this Wednesday, October 27, at the beginning of lunch.

MERCY CORPS CAREER DAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, 9AM-2PM

Calling all humanitarians: Mercy Corps is a global aid agency engaged in helping people that have experienced some sort of shock: natural disaster, economic collapse, or conflict. Students will hear about Mercy Corps careers and departments, learn about community development practices, engage in team activities, and design a program. To apply stop by room 221. Please turn in registration forms to Ms. Morgan in room 221.

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 troyanbizzgmail.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.

GOING GREEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS? [PLACE YOUR WREATH ORDERS NOW](#)

Announcing the rollout of the annual WHS Performing Arts wreath and greenery sale. Click [here](#) 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 directly to your relatives and friends. Wreaths, baskets and holiday greenery make excellent gifts. It's like shipping a piece of the Pacific Northwest directly to their door. Thank you for your support of WHS Performing Arts.

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/>

OPPORTUNITY FOR RESUME-BUILDING/COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Markham Elementary is looking for student volunteers to help out at their yearly Carnival 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 sichaus@hotmail.com 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 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.

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.

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 ecsandifer@gmail.com."

HOST AN ITALIAN STUDENT—YOUR CHILD WILL BE INVITED TO ITALY!

Ergon Student Exchange is looking for families to host a 16-17 year old Italian student. Current Wilson Italian students Umberto, Chiara and Sonia have started their new life at Wilson HS and are enjoying it greatly and Ergon would love to give the same opportunity to other Italian students for next spring semester or school year. Ergon program offers a genuine cross-cultural opportunity: the Italian families offer American exchange students a direct exposure to Italian culture through an all-expenses paid summer vacation in Italy, including airfare sponsored by Ergon. Ergon relies on a rigorous selection process ensuring that students are academically strong, responsible, and proficient in English and devotes great care to matching students with host families. Students are fully insured and arrive with pocket money for all expenses, including recreation activities and vacations. Current and past Portland host families are happy to share their experience with you. To learn more, email Portland coordinator Bahar Sadeghi at bahar.sadeghi@ergon-se.org and visit their website at www.ergon-se.org.

HOST FAMILY NEEDED FOR CURRENT WILSON SCHOLARSHIP STUDENT FROM BALI

She is a well adjusted A-student who enjoys cooking, dance, singing, math, outdoors, and family activities. Due to a host family medical emergency we need to move her to a new home in the next month. A host family provides a bed, meals and shared family activities. She comes with her own health insurance, school fees and spending money. She is cheerful, active, knows the bus system, and is a delight to have around. For more information call Mimi Sanders, Coordinator, Program of Academic Exchange :(503) 293-6195, mimisandersart@hotmail.com.

THE ROTARY CLUB YOUTH EXCHANGE STILL LOOKING FOR HOST FAMILIES FOR 2015/2016 SCHOOL YEAR

Rotary exchange students stay with three different families over the school year so the host family commitment is for about 3.5 months. This is a wonderful way to learn about another culture and to share your home and family, as well as your activities and traditions with a student from another country. Exchange students are at Wilson High School for the entire school year so we are looking for families that live in the Wilson area. Host families can be people with students at Wilson, people with younger kids in the Wilson area, people who have older kids no longer living at home, retirees, etc. Host families provide a room for the student, and share meals, family activities, chores and fun with the exchange student. This can be an incredible learning experience and lead to a lifelong friendship. For more information please call Delanie Paasche at 503-246-5009 or email delaniedelimont@gmail.com.

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.)