



Wilson Spotlight

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FROM WILSON CHOIRS

Congratulations to Wilsingers for their selection to represent the 6A PIL Schools at the 2010 State Choir Championships. Wilsingers performed very well at the PIL Choir Festival back on Tuesday, April 13 and earned the honor to progress on to the State Choir Championships held at George Fox University on Saturday, May 8. The majority of Wilsingers then headed to the Bay Area for a great Spring Tour that included choral clinics at, OSU (with Dr. Steven Zielke), SOU (with Dr. Paul French), and with Bob Worth at Sonoma State University (SSU) Rohnert Park (just south of Santa Rosa, CA). The touring choir was also fortunate to have the opportunity to perform their State Set at the brand new, "Green Music Center", on the campus at SSU. It's a world class venue that has yet to fully open to the public, so we felt quite honored to one of the first three choral ensembles to sing there. Last weekend, Wilson Choirs has three singers perform at the 2010 State Solo Championships held at Linfield College in McMinnville: **Bijou Bottinelli** (Alto); **Grover Hollway** (Baritone); and **Anna Breuer** (soprano). On Monday, May 3, Wilsingers again takes off on our Annual DayTour. They'll be heading south and east to have exchange performances at West Linn, Lakeridge and Clackamas High Schools. The DayTour allows Wilsingers to further polish our State Set, and also to observe and experience other 6A choirs. Finally, on Saturday, May 8, Wilsingers will be performing at the State Choir Championships at George Fox University for the third time in four years. Our performance time is 11:20am, and we welcome anyone who'd like to join us for the event. Further information can be found online at: www.osaa.org - go to, "Choirs" for a complete listing of the 24 performing choirs. "Thanks again for the wonderful support these last four years," adds Steve Peter, Wilson Choirs (2006-2010). "Wilson Choirs are definitely back in full force...now, let's work to keep them alive and well for many years to come!" *Courtesy of Wilson Area Arts Council*

LOSSES GIVE "LIFE LESSONS" FOR WESTSIDE LADY PIRATES (WILSON/LINCOLN GIRLS RUGBY)

On 4/17 the Lady Pirates had a close game turn into a blow out against them. The Beaverton Lady Barbarians took a 24-5 lead over the Westside team. After half the lady Pirates scored the first Try giving them 5 points. The conversion failed but now the Lady Pirates were only down by 14 at 24-10. Things quickly went downhill and the final was the Lady Pirates 15, the Lady Barbarians 50. But not lost on the players was how well they played. Their style of play improved dramatically in the defeat. Maybe it improved because of the defeat. If you're winning there is no need to get better. On 4/24 the Lady Pirates traveled to Athey Creek Middle School to face the West Linn Renegades. While this game was never close the Lady Pirates continued to bring it all game long. Losing 90-5 might seem like a horrendous thing to have happen to a young woman but the result was far from that. The young ladies appreciated their effort and loved the fact that even though they were down by 50 points they still went in for their 1st score of the game and they felt great about it! "Life Lesson" in deed. The Wilson ruggers are: **Mason Agee, Ali Berry, Samantha Brace, Autumn Culligan, Sunny Dacklin, Juli Gjerman, Adrienne Leonard and Mariana Rodriguez.** *Submitted by: David Dacklin, Parent Coordinator, Contact info: dacklind@aol.com or (503-244-5938).* The Lady Pirates will begin the State Play-offs on 5/8!

WILSINGERS ENJOY PRODUCTIVE PERFORMANCE CLINIC TOUR

Wilson's largest co-ed choir, **Wilsingers**, recently returned from a four day motor coach trip to Medford, Ashland, Sonoma and San Francisco on a performance clinic tour where they had the opportunity to learn from three acclaimed vocal professors at Oregon State University, Southern Oregon University, and SonomaState University. Their improvement at each clinic was apparent, even after qualifying for State competition in Portland before their departure, as the chaperones and constant teacher, Steve Peter, were treated to amazing performances at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Hard Rock Café at Pier 39, the majestic outdoor venue of the Sundial Bridge in Redding, and as the first High School group to sing in the new, not yet completed, but impressive Green Center at Sonoma State University. Parent chaperones in attendance were all quoted at reporting tears and/or goose bumps as Wilsingers beautiful voices rose to crescendo in each progressive practice and performance. If you know any of these talented singers, please wish them good luck as they take their impressive talent to State competition at George Fox University in Newberg on Saturday, May 8. Click here for two photos during the trip: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Wilsingers2010.jpg>; [http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Wilsingers2010\(2\).jpg](http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Wilsingers2010(2).jpg). *Submitted by Maureen Lawson '78*

2008 GRAD HEADS TO YOSEMITE

Wilson graduate **Marc Wasserman (class of '08)** has been selected for a field study summer internship in Environment Studies jointly sponsored by the University of California, the US Geologic Survey, and Yosemite National Park. Marc will be working on a project entitled Conifer encroachment into subalpine meadows in Yosemite National Park, in which he will participate in a group studying how the loss of high elevation meadows negatively impacts the ecosystem. More information about the program is at <http://campillos.ucmerced.edu/~bdayrat/REU.html>. Marc is currently a sophomore at the University of Oregon majoring in Environmental Science.

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DRAMA STUDENTS DEBUT NEW WORK, May 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, with special matinee May 16

Wilson High School Drama Department is hard at work preparing a one-of-a-kind theatrical offering: award-winning playwright Matthew B. Zrebski's *Handprint Alley*. This new play, featuring original music, tells the story of the mysterious disappearance of five teenagers ten years prior and the effect the resulting mythology has had on the lives of others. Opening May 14 and running for two weekends, this exciting project pushes the boundaries of what can be achieved when art professionals and talented students collaborate with a single vision: Ten years ago, five high school students disappeared. With no information and no hope of resolution for their families, a shrine has grown near an alley wall. Adding your handprint to the wall to 'touch the past' has become a local 'rite of passage.' However, strange things have begun to happen. What was an urban legend may prove to be true after all. Mr. Zrebski provides the Southwest Portland Community with an impactful story and a unique theatrical format, framing the tale beautifully. With a combination of traditional playwrighting, poignant music, simple sets and striking technical elements, 'Handprint Alley' promises to both excite and humble; to provoke thought and to entertain in equal measure. *Handprint Alley* runs at Wilson High School's Cosgrove Auditorium **May 14 & 15, and 20, 21, & 22 at 7:00pm with a special matinee May 16 at 2:00pm**. Tickets are available at the door: \$10 general admission/\$8 students and PPS staff. For more information, visit the 'Handprint Alley' blog at: <http://wilsondramahandprint.blogspot.com/2010/04/from-producer.html>, contact Director/Playwright Matthew B. Zrebski at m.zrebski.handprint@gmail.com, or Director of Theatre, Jamie M. Miller at trojantheatredirector@gmail.com. Due to the subject matter, not recommended for young children. *Courtesy of Wilson Area Arts Council*

USING POSITIVE SUPPORT FOR MAXIMUM SUCCESS, GUEST SPEAKER, MAY 3 @ ROBERT GRAY

The Robert Gray PTA is sponsoring the following speaker and would like to invite Wilson parents to attend.

Using Positive Support for Maximum Success

Guest Speaker: Dr. Jeffrey Sprague, University of Oregon

May 3, 7:00 - 8:00pm, Robert Gray Middle School cafetorium

Our children are inundated with antisocial behavior in the world around them - whether in the media or through personal experience. Wouldn't it be valuable to learn constructive ways to deal with negative behavior? What can parents do at home to teach children how to respond in a positive manner to bullying and other antisocial behaviors? You are invited! Our guest speaker is Dr. Jeffrey Sprague of the University of Oregon. He will speak about the Positive Behavior Supports program and provide specific techniques in how to create a supportive environment at home. We encourage all parents to come and learn from Dr. Sprague - we guarantee it will be an information-packed evening! With the No Child Left Behind Act increasingly focusing schools' attention on test scores alone, programs that stress behavior, social development and commitment to school have sometimes gotten left behind. Research strongly indicates that schools adopting programs that target antisocial behavior also boost their students' academic performance. This session will describe practices that successfully integrate academic and behavioral supports to achieve maximum success. We hope parents in our community will come hear Dr. Sprague speak about this innovative program and how to extend its practices into the home.

NEW HEBREW LANGUAGE CLASS STARTS NEXT YEAR

JSU (Jewish Student Union) is proud to offer Hebrew language starting in September 2010 in Wilson High School. The course will be offered on Mondays and Wednesdays after school from 3:30-4:30 pm. After two years, the students will be prepared to take PSU's Hebrew language test and receive credits for Hebrew Language (as accepted by PPS). Conversational Hebrew and the History of Israel will be offered off campus (nearby) as well where students can receive elective credit. Check out our website HebrewHighPDX.com for more details or contact Meira Spivak, Portland's JSU Director (meiraspivak@gmail.com, 503 757 3037).

ATTENTION SENIORS

All seniors who have fulfilled the requirements for Traditional, 21st Century, and/or Performing Arts Scholars should have already met with their counselor to verify completion. The last and final day to meet with counselors is Thursday May 13th. submitted by Julie Fleming, Counselor, Wilson High School

JUNIORS & SENIORS (PROM)

Once again ZFiori Florist is helping support Wilson's Formal event with a percentage of proceeds going to our 2010 Grad Nite Party. CALL: 503-246-4221 to ORDER your Corsage or Boutonniere. To view Pictures, go to www.zfiori.com/portland-florist/prom-corsages. Pickup of your order is at Food Front Grocery/Hillsdale Shopping Center.

YOUR COLLEGE CHOICE: FINDING THE RIGHT COLLEGE, MAY 12

Wednesday, May 12, 4-5:00 pm. Your College Choice: Finding the Right College at the Hillsdale Library. This session reviews the steps involved in a responsible search process, including how to self-assess, match individual personality with institutional character, find colleges that are suitable match ups and test potential match ups for ultimate suitability. Tim Cantrick has 30 years of college counseling experience, and is currently an independent counselor serving families in the Portland area. Free tickets for seating will be available at the reference desk 30 minutes prior to the program. Hillsdale Branch Library, 1525 SW Sunset Blvd., Portland.

ATTENTION PARENTS

It's the time of year when Seniors need to start resolving their library and textbook fines. We recently sent notices home for students with large fines or books out from previous school years. Seniors do need to have all fines and fees taken care of in order to purchase Prom tickets, and later they will need to have all books turned in to receive their graduation tickets. Please help your students resolve any outstanding issues before we reach those last few weeks of school. If your student is not a senior, he or she still needs to resolve all library and textbook fines before the end of the school year. Textbook turn-in will coincide with locker clean-out and the end of finals, but students can turn in textbooks they do not need at any time. Thank you, Linda Campillo, Wilson Librarian/Media Specialist

THREE "FREE" WORKSHOPS ON FINDING A JOB

The NELA Center for Student Success, a local non-profit, has three FREE upcoming workshops, including two on finding a job! They are located behind Benson High School at 1500 NE Irving. The phone number is 503.488.6000.

May 12, 2010 Get a Job Part I and II Looking for work this summer? Not sure where to start? Does your resume have only your name and address? Do interviews scare you? We can help! We'll go over these common obstacles and more in our two session job search make-over. Volunteer opportunities will also be covered. This session intended for high school students. 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

May 19, 2010 Get a Job Part I and II Looking for work this summer? Not sure where to start? Does your resume have only your name and address? Do interviews scare you? We can help! We'll go over these common obstacles and more in our two session job search make-over. Volunteer opportunities will also be covered. This session intended for high school students. 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

AN EVENING WITH LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY, MAY 23

On Sunday, May 23 Lawrence University will be hosting an "Evening with Lawrence" information session open to all Wilson students and families. The program will consist of a few Lawrence alumni describing their experience at Lawrence. After that, students and families will have the opportunity to ask any questions they have. Previous events have been incredibly successful at giving students a better understanding of Lawrence as they begin their college search process. To schedule an interview or RSVP for An Evening With Lawrence, students and parents should contact Teege Mettillie, Lawrence University Admissions Counselor at 920-832-6889 or teege.mettillie@lawrence.edu.

An Evening With Lawrence University
Sunday, May 23, 7 pm
Embassy Suites – Downtown
319 SW Pine St
Portland

Hotel Interviews with Lawrence University
Sunday, May 23, 10 am to 5 pm
Embassy Suites – Downtown
319 SW Pine St
Portland

WHS GIRL'S BASKETBALL CAMP, JUNE 21-25

The 4th Annual Girl's Basketball Camp for for 5th 6th 7th and 8th, and incoming Freshmen is just around the corner. They'll learn shooting, passing, screening, footwork and much more. There will be daily games and contests. Click here to see all the details: <http://wilsonhighschool.sports.officelive.com/SummerCamps.aspx>.

WHS BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP, JUNE 28 - JULY 2

The WHS Boy's basketball team will be once again holding a Boys Basketball Camp from June 28 through July 2 for 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th graders. This camp is for next year's grades. Instructions include individual fundamentals and team play. Games will be played daily along with a variety of contests. All camp participants will receive a Wilson Basketball t-shirt. Click here for all the details http://cms18.pps.k12.or.us/docs/pg/400/rid/11070/WHS_09_BB_CAMP.pdf.

PLEASE SUPPORT THE PTA AND WILSON HIGH

The Wilson PTA needs a President, Vice-President and Volunteer Coordinator for next year. Please contact Rosemary Schwimmer if you are interested. Email: rjschwimmer@comcast.net.

Wilson PTA meeting coming up soon! – May 25, 2010. Please come and support the Wilson PTA. Topic discussions: Committee reports – Graduation Night, Auction, High School Redesign, and Nominations for PTA Board Members.

ADVERTISE YOUR LOCAL BUSINESS AND SUPPORT WILSON DRAMA

Advertise your local business on the cheap and be an inaugural patron! Be among the first to support the theatre department at Wilson HS by advertising your business in our play programs to more than 1200 audience members from inside and outside the Wilson neighborhood cluster.

- \$30 for a business-card size ad, \$50 for double-business card size. Larger sizes are negotiable.
- Send your photo-ready ad or business card to Maureen Berrie-Lawson at reenb@Q.com or leave it in J. Miller's box in the Wilson office **before April 23**.
- Questions? contact Maureen 503.246.1474

GRAD NIGHT UPDATE

- Pictures for Grad Night memory wall!!! Seniors and senior parents, please send in your photos for the memory wall during the party. Contact Kim Kilhefner Juaire kim_k_juaire@msn.com (new contact person).
- Parent volunteers still needed for Grad Night Party, June 9. Contact Gloria Ritchie at ltt77@hotmail.com .
- Mugs are here! Contact Jan Turner at jant007@msn.com for the mug.
- Seniors, join the Grad Party! It will be a blast...get all your WHS Senior friends to come!!! Great Activities! So much to do! Need to get your forms and payment in before May 7. No Last Chances after May 7.

BASEBALL ALUMNI GAME/SOCIAL, JULY 17

Saturday, July 17 at 11:00am is the annual alumni game. The first game is for the even-numbered classes, and the second game will be for the odd-numbered classes. A three inning game between the two alumni groups will be held in between games. A no-host social will be held after the games at the Cider Mill, now owned by Toby Harris '89, for alumni, family and friends.

BASEBALL GOLF TOURNAMENT, JULY 18

Sunday, July 18 is the date for the annual baseball shotgun golf scramble fund-raiser at Meriwether National Golf Club in Hillsboro. Registration form is on the baseball website at: <http://www.wilsonhsbaseball.com/>.

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WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A ROTARY EXCHANGE HOST FAMILY FOR NEXT YEAR or EXPERIENCE JUNIOR YEAR ABROAD IN HIGH SCHOOL

The Portland Rotary Youth Exchange is hosting an Information Night, Tuesday, May 4 from 6:00 to 8:00pm at Bridgeport Brew Pub, 1313 NW Marshall St. This is an informal gathering to learn about hosting a student or experiencing a junior year abroad while in high school. Appetizers and non alcoholic drinks provided. Contact Delanie at delimont@comcast.net or Phil at pjl4825@comcast.net.

HOST FAMILIES SOUGHT FOR SPANISH STUDENTS

For the third consecutive year, **host families in Portland are being sought for visiting high school students from Spain**. The program, formerly organized by Grammata Servicios Linguisticos, is being organized by Portland-based Immersion Courses PDX. The program runs Wednesday June 30, 2010 to Tuesday July 27, 2010. Students will be enrolled at Berlitz Language Center in downtown Portland, taking English classes four mornings per week, and will participate in a variety of cultural and outdoor activities most afternoons. They will also receive Tri-Met passes and be covered by private medical insurance. **Host families will receive a stipend of \$400**. If interested in participating, please visit www.immersioncoursespdx.com and download the application on our homepage, or email Clifton Chestnut at info@immersioncoursespdx.com for additional information. We kindly ask that host family applications be **submitted by May 15, 2010**. Immersion Courses PDX, Language Immersion Experiences in Portland, Oregon, Spain, and Beyond website: www.immersioncoursespdx.com. Immersion Courses PDX is a registered Oregon company that organizes language immersion courses in Spain and Portland, Oregon. The mailing address is 4860 NE 10th Avenue, Portland, OR 97211.

WILSON HIGH SCHOOL PRESCHOOL NOW ENROLLING FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

The Wilson High School Preschool is now enrolling for the 2010-2011 school year. **PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**: Wilson will be hosting an open house May 4 at 5:30PM. Please help spread the word about this open house to friends and family. We must have 20 preschool students enrolled to have a preschool program at Wilson next year. If you cannot make the open house, call Erica Meyers at 503-916-6142 to arrange an appt. Please visit our website for more information <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/220.htm>.

WILSON FOUNDATION COMMITTEE SEARCH ... Great volunteer and school involvement opportunity!

WHS is searching for WHS Foundation Committee members who can work for one purpose—to raise funds to hire more teachers. By supplementing Wilson's budget for teachers, our student's class sizes will be reduced and we will be able to offer more variety in course offerings. Contact Erica Meyers at emeyers@pps.k12.or.us if you are interested in serving on the foundation committee in any capacity. We appreciate all of our parent, community, and alum involvement at Wilson! Thanks to those that reach out and support Wilson in any way that you can! Remember there are a number of ways to contribute to the WHS foundation:

Volunteer your time on the WHS Foundation Committee: We meet one time per month to brainstorm fundraising ideas. Contact Erica to find out meeting times.

Website: You can easily make a gift by clicking on the Portland Schools Foundation website <http://thinkschools.org>. Make sure that the funds are targeted to Wilson High School.

Monthly Giving: Make ongoing monthly gifts to the Wilson Foundation through automatic bank transfers (EFT) or automatic credit/debit card charges.

Workplace Giving and Corporate Matching Gifts: Many companies allow their employees to contribute through payroll deductions. Check with your human resources department. Corporate gifts are often matched by employers, so your donation goes twice as far. Click here to see if your company has a matching gifts program.

Non-cash donations: The Portland Schools Foundation now offers you the ability to turn unused items into a donation. Go to www.thecharitygroup.com and fill out an easy web donation form. Then place your donated item in the shipping box that the CharityGroup sends you and their shipping company will pick it up.

Phone: Call 503.234.5404 and have your Visa or MasterCard ready.

Mail: Send a check or credit card information to (with information that the funds are to be targeted to Wilson):
Portland Schools Foundation
905 NW 12th Ave.
Portland, Oregon 97209

2009-2010 STATEMENTS ARTICLE DEADLINES

If you would like to have news articles included in the Statements, below are the due dates.

News articles due

Monday, June 21, 2010 for summer/back-to school

E-Mail/mailling dates

July 12, 2010

WHS DAILY BULLETIN

Daily Bulletin Submissions has a change of email address. To email a submission for the Daily Bulletin, please the new email address of: wilsonbulletin@yahoo.com.

HAVE GOOD NEWS TO REPORT IN THE SPOTLIGHT? Send the details to Linda Doyle at lsdoyle@earthlink.net.

PTA SCRIP ORDERS

Get your Scrip order in... If you would like to order Scrip, please email Martha at schulte@easystreet.net at 503-244-5072.

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WILSON BAND PERFORMANCES/CONCERTS

Concerts & Other Activities: (all at Wilson unless otherwise noted)

Tuesday, May 25: Spring Concert

WILSON CHOIR HAS BUSY SCHEDULE

May 3, Wilsingers Annual Day Tour

May 8, 6A State Choir championships At George fox University, Newberg

May 25, 7pm Wilson Bands & Art Festival

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ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

All schedules subject to change! Check with the coaches and the players!

Monday, May 3, 2010

Men's Tennis – Franklin @ Wilson (Gabriel Park) 4:15

Men's Golf – Dist. Tourney @ Redtail 1:00 Early release 11:45 Mini-bus Noon

Women's Golf – Dist. Tourney @ Eastmoreland Noon Early release 10:30 Cabs 10:45

Softball – Varsity / JV @ Grant (Wilshire) 4:00 Early release 2:20 Bus 2:40

Baseball – Varsity @ Grant 4:30 Early release 2:40 Bus 3:00

Baseball – JV2 Franklin @ Wilson 4:30

Tuesday, May 4, 2010

Women's Tennis – Benson @ Wilson (Gabriel Park) 4:15

Men's Tennis - @ Benson 4:15 Early release 2:45 Mini-bus 3:00

Men's Golf – Dist. Tourney @ Heron Lakes 1:00 Early release 11:30 Mini-bus 11:45

Women's Golf – Dist. Tourney @ Rose City 1:00 Early release 11:30 Cabs 11:45

Softball – Varsity @ Lincoln (Hamilton Park) 5:30 Bus 4:15

Boy's Lacrosse 3:45 JV vs Hood River, Rieke

Boy's Lacrosse 5:30 Varsity vs Hood River, Rieke

Women's lacrosse 7:00 p.m. Varsity against Hood River @ Hood River High School

Wednesday, May 5, 2010

Track – Grant @ Wilson 4:00

Softball – Varsity / JV @ Benson (Delta Park) 3:45 Early release 2:00 Bus 2:15

Baseball – Varsity Grant @ Wilson 4:30 Early release 3:00

Baseball – JV @ Grant 4:30 Early release 2:40 Bus 3:00

Baseball – JV2 Grant @ Wilson (Jackson) 4:30 Early release 3:00

Thursday, May 6, 2010

Women's Tennis – Lincoln @ Wilson (Gabriel Park) 4:15

Men's Tennis - @ Lincoln 4:15 Early release 2:45 Mini-bus 3:00

Baseball – Varsity @ Grant 4:30 Early release 2:40 Bus 3:00

Baseball – JV Lincoln @ Wilson 4:30

Baseball – JV2 Lincoln @ Wilson (Jackson) 4:30 Early release 3:00

Boy's Lacrosse 5:00 JV @ OES, OES

Boy's Lacrosse 7:00 Varsity @ OES, OES

Friday, May 7, 2010

Make-up day - TBA

Wilson Boys Lacrosse Season Schedule

Tue, May 11 3:45 JV vs Grant, Rieke
Tue, May 11 5:30 Varsity vs Grant, Rieke
Thu, May 13 6:00 JV @ Cleveland, Cleveland HS
Thu, May 13 8:00 Varsity @ Cleveland, Cleveland HS
Mon, May 17 4:00 JV vs C. Catholic, Rieke
Mon, May 17 6:00 Varsity vs C. Catholic, Rieke
Fri, May 21 TBD Playoffs- 1st Round, TBD
Tue, May 25 TBD Playoffs- 2nd Round, TBD
Fri, May 28 TBD Quarter-Finals, TBD
Wed, June 2 TBD Semi-Finals, TBD
Sat, June 5 TBD OHSLA Championship, TBD

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JACKSON PRESENTS DISNEY'S *BEAUTY AND THE BEAST JR*, MAY 12-15

Jackson Middle School presents DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST JR, May 12-15. Once upon a time in a faraway land, an Enchantress turns a cruel, unfeeling Prince into a hideous Beast. In a little town, a beautiful and intelligent young woman, Belle, yearns for something more than her provincial life. Something magical is about to unfold when these two find their paths have crossed. Performances are May 12- 14 at 7:00pm, and May 15 at 2:00pm and 7:00pm. Tickets are \$5 for students and seniors, and \$8 for adults. Tickets are available at the door. Click here to see the poster: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Jackson_BeautyBeast.png

ROBERT GRAY PRESENTS *GREASE*, MAY 6, 7, 8

Get ready as the drama students at Robert Gray Middle School present *Grease!* Show dates are May 6 @ 7:00pm, May 7 @ 7:00pm and May 8 with a matinee at 2:00pm and an evening performance at 7:30pm. Tickets are \$5.00 students and seniors, \$7.00 adults and \$10.00 for premium seats (the first three rows). Sponsored in part by WAAC and RACC. You can get tickets by contacting Sarah Hayes-Marshall: shayesmarshall@yahoo.com.

RUN-4-GRAY COMMUNITY WALK/RUN, MAY 23

Please save the date and support Robert Gray Middle School. There is a Run-4-Gray Community Walk/Run - May 23 from noon-2:00 pm at the Wilson High School Track. More information will be coming! This is RGMS' newest fundraiser and hopefully the biggest. So please come.

TEEN LOUNGE AND HOMEWORK CENTER AT HILLSDALE LIBRARY

Changes to Teen Lounge and Homework Center at the Hillsdale Library. Beginning March, it will run from 3:00-5:00pm on Thursdays. Use library computers, get homework help, or just do your homework and listen to music. For teens in grades 6-12.

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ALUMNI NEWS

Wilson High School Official Alumni website: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/index.htm>.

ALUMNI CLASS REUNIONS

To find out about upcoming Class Reunions go to: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/reunions.htm>.

POSITIVE ALUMNI NEWS - Send the details to [Linda Doyle](mailto:Linda.Doyle).

PPS ATHLETIC WEBSITE Daily WHS Sports Schedules at <http://www.pilathletics.com/>

PHONE NUMBERS Wilson High School 503-916-5280 ... Attendance 503-916-5294 .. Athletic Hotline 503-916-3689

WEATHER & EMERGENCY CLOSURE <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/>

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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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT WILSON

all dates are subject to change; always check events for possible date/time changes
check with your counselor to confirm time, location, requirements for SAT and ACT test dates

MAY

3-4-5-6-7 AP testing
7 Seniors, complete all Off-Campus Coursework
7 June ACT registration deadline
7 Pick-up Wilson Plant Sale orders at school from 2-5pm
7 Prom, 8-11pm World Trade Center
8 6A State Choir Festival @ George Fox University
10-11-12-13-14 AP testing
10 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
11 Site Council 3:30pm
11 Booster Club 6:30pm
14-15 Spring Play 7pm
16 Spring Play 2pm
20-21-22 Spring Play
21 Seniors, last day for Wilson to receive Official Grade Report for Off-Campus Coursework
25 Band Concert & Art Exhibit 7pm
25 PTA 7pm
27 Senior Awards Ceremony, time TBA
27-28 Trojanantics 7pm
31 Memorial Day No School

JUNE

1-2 Senior Finals
2 Last day of school for seniors
2 Mandatory Senior Class meeting 2:15pm
3 Senior Awards Assembly, Senior BBQ
4 Troscars
5 SAT testing
8 Site Council 3:30pm
9 Graduation rehearsal 9:30am Memorial Coliseum
9 Graduation Memorial Coliseum 8pm
9 PTA Grad Night Party 10pm
12 ACT testing
15 Last Day of School

JULY

17 Baseball annual alumni game, at 11:00am. No-host social after games at Cider Mill Restaurant
18 Baseball golf tournament at Meriwether National Golf Club, Hillsboro

Principal Sue Brent (media contact) sbrent@pps.k12.or.us

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