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WILSON COLLEGE-SPONSORED MERIT SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS NAMED

Wilson seniors garnered four of the National Merit Scholarships financed by colleges and universities this year. Only six PPS students received the college-sponsored merit scholarships. Winners announced today are among approximately 8,400 distinguished high school seniors of 2010 who will receive National Merit Scholarships worth \$36 million for college undergraduate study. Congratulations to these students and their dedicated parents, Charles and Laurie Funk; Molly Kellogg and Stanley Hollenberg; Leanne Palmer; and Sarah Armitage and Nolan Shishido.

The four Wilson students are:

- **Jenica Funk** received a National Merit University of Southern California Scholarship and plans to focus on International Relations/Diplomatic Service.
- **Tommy Hollenberg** received a National Merit Oregon State University Scholarship and plans to focus on Engineering. Tommy's parents and brother Clark Hollenberg, class of 2013, are thrilled that he, "will be able to pursue his quest for knowledge and meaning with less financial hardship thanks to the National Merit Scholarship. He could not have achieved this success without the help and support of some very special teachers and staff at Wilson. He is excited to begin this journey at OSU with many good friends from his class at Wilson."
- **Zoe Palmer** received a National Merit Northwestern University Scholarship. Northwestern University is a major teaching and research institution whose undergraduate campus is located in Evanston, Illinois. Zoe's entire family is proud of her accomplishments and "so pleased at her acceptance and scholarship to Northwestern University," states Leanne Palmer, Zoe's mother. "I'd like to acknowledge the hard work of her many excellent teachers at Wilson as well!"
- **Cameron Shishido** received a National Merit Whitman College Scholarship and plans to focus on Physics.

WOMEN'S LACROSSE FINISHES SECOND IN STATE PLAYOFFS

The Wilson Women's Lacrosse team powered through the playoffs last week, completing its strongest season ever with a final record of 17 wins and 3 losses. Wilson came from behind in the semi-final game to upset #2 Lakeridge 15-14 in the final seconds on a goal by senior co-captain **Emily Zweber**. Zweber led the Wilson scoring with four goals and an assist, and was joined by senior co-captain **KK McCaslin** with four goals, junior attack **Fiona Dearth** with three goals, junior attack **Emily Sauter** with two goals and four assists, and a goal each by juniors **Mckenzie Hessel** and **Ceara Leo**. All-PIL Goalie **Brittany Bohnert** again had a standout game with an astonishing 19 saves against one of the highest-scoring teams in Oregon. On Thursday Wilson was beaten by a very strong returning State Champion team from Oregon City. Again, Wilson was led by McCaslin with four goals and Dearth and Sauter with a goal each. Hats off to Wilson for its great season and kudos to head coach **Sarah Bromley** who brought the team to the State finals in only her second season as coach! Wilson will miss our graduating seniors but promises to be back next season with another very strong team.

WILSON COACHES AND ATHLETES RECOGNIZED BY PIL

The following Wilson Coaches and Athletes were recognized at the annual PIL Celebration of Champions on Sunday at the Tiger Woods Center on the Nike Campus.

Wilson Head Coach of the Year - **Bill Boly** - Men's Tennis
Wilson Assistant Coach of the Year - **Amy Bell** - Volleyball

Individual Champions:

Erika Dahl - Javelin
Nick Isham - Long Jump
Steven Quartuccio - Shot / Discus
Dana Emerson - 200 Free / 100 Fly
Alex Duran - 112 lbs.
Jordan Rober - 119 lbs.
Brandon Rober - 135 lbs.
Zach Minor - 140 lbs.
Carlos Payes - 145 lbs.

Team Awards:

Carlos Payes and **Coach Kent Dorsey** accepted the 6A District Wrestling Championship for Wilson
Coach Dorsey accepted the 6A Track and Field Dual Meet Co-Championship for Wilson
Trevor Ritchie and **Coach Scott Aker** accepted the 6A Men's Basketball Sportsmanship Award
Carlos Payes accepted the 6A Wrestling Sportsmanship Award

Wilson Sportsman of the Year - **Travis Lang**
Wilson Sportswoman of the Year - **Morgan Beltz**

AFTER HARD WORK WOMEN GOLFERS END SUCCESSFUL SEASON

The Women's Girl's Golf team stayed focus throughout the season and finished in second place in the 6A PIL district tournament 87 strokes ahead of Grant. Three individual Wilson students qualified for the state tournament at Quail Valley golf course and they were: junior **Victoria Patten**, junior **Sami Warner** and freshman **Megan Madison**. Thanks to Wilson coach **Marc Niebergall** for his efforts with our team. Thanks to everyone who donated equipment earlier this year for the team. Great effort, great students, great coach!

LAST BAND CONCERT OF THE YEAR SHOWCASES WILSON MUSICAL TALENT

An auditorium full with parents, family and friends in support of our young musicians were treated to another great band concert last week. To read more, click here: http://www.wilsonarts.org/May_2010_Band_Review.pdf.

WILSON WOMEN NAMED TO ALL-STATE LACROSSE TEAMS

Wilson was well-represented in this year's All State Lacrosse selections. Senior midfielder **KK McCaslin** and junior attack **Fiona Dearth** were named to the Oregon First Team and senior midfielder **Emily Zweber** and junior defender **Mckenzie Hessel** were named to the Second Team this season. Dearth and junior defender **Ceara Leo** will travel to Colorado in the coming weeks with the Oregon Elite Team to compete against other state teams from across the country.

WATCH VIDEO OF SW PDX YOUNG MUSICIANS PERFORMANCE, "LIVE @ O'CONNORS"

On Sunday, April 25 the Wilson Area Arts Council and Primal Digital, LLC hosted the 2nd "Live at O'Connors" concert in Multnomah Village with Wilson High School musicians. Groups/individuals that performed at the concert included: **Kittin** (Henry Brentlinger, Vince Campbell, Dan Molloy, Alan Bishop), **Keanu Reeves** (Evan Moore, Zack Rodrigues, Rhone Geha), **Emma Knox-Hershey**, **Zack Strater**, **Carrie Kitzke**, and **Squid Attack** (Issac Scott, Ben West- Panda, Sid Scott). Julian Lauzzan/Primal Digital, LLC produced a video of the event. Click here to watch clips from the concert: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8ojOdR6oSLM>. Thank to you Steve Arel '67, owner of O'Connors for his amazing generosity!

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NEW CLASS OFFERED NEXT YEAR FOR WRITING COLLEGE-LEVEL RESEARCH PAPER

Linda Campillo, WHS Librarian, will be teaching a new elective class next school year at Wilson. The class is for college-bound seniors and juniors about strategies for writing a college-level research paper. The class will be one-semester long and students will choose whatever topic they would like to research. The entire class will be devoted to research methods, writing and formatting the actual paper, and creating a presentation. It will be a seminar style class so students should be capable of working independently. We also may take one or two field trips to public libraries to look at resources not available in Wilson's Library. Any interested students should see Linda Campillo in the Library as soon as possible.

GET YOUR BASEBALL GAME JERSEYS WHILE THEY LAST

The Wilson baseball team is selling their Baseball Game Jerseys (Gray or White) for \$14 this week. See Darcy Shetler in the Bookkeeper's Office.

LOOKING FOR OLD DRAMA POSTERS

Wilson is looking for Performing Arts Posters from years past. Currently, we have a wall of ASB Presidents and Rose Princesses in the foyer. Wilson plans to move these photos out of the foyer and to their new spot in the main hall. We will then put up old and current performing arts posters in the foyer. If you know someone who has a poster from a prior Wilson Production 1956-2006, we would like a copy. Please contact Erica Meyers at: emeyers@pps.k12.or.us or call 503-916-6142.

HEADS UP - GRAD NIGHT INFORMATION

•**Swim Suit Dates** are here! You must turn in your swim suit and towel at one of the following dates if you intend to swim or hot tub at the Grad Night Event. Don't wait until the last minute and forget.

Wed, June 2 Spring Sports Awards - Grad Night Table

Thu, June 3 Senior Assembly (9am), and Senior BBQ (11 - 1)

Wed, June 9 Graduation Rehearsal (9am) LAST CHANCE SWIM SUIT DROP OFF

•**MUGS:** Still have some, while you are dropping off swimsuits, purchase a mug or contact Lori Johnson at: LDJOHNSON@stoel.com.

YOU'RE INVITED, JUNE 3

Please join us for a light breakfast on June 3 at 8:30am in the foyer to celebrate all of our wonderful volunteers at Wilson High School. The Senior Awards ceremony will follow the volunteer celebration.

SENIOR ASSEMBLY AND BBQ, JUNE 3

Congratulations to the parents of the class of 2010! We recognize all of the hard work that is has taken to get your students' to this point. We are proud to announce the Senior Awards assembly taking place in the Wilson auditorium on June 3 from 9:50 – 10:50am followed by the Boosters' sponsored senior BBQ from 11:00 – 1:00. This is a great way to celebrate the accomplishments of our seniors in this school-wide event! We welcome parents to attend and join in congratulating their seniors. If your child is going to be recognized, you will be receiving an invitation by mail. In order to make this event special, we ask that seniors wear their cap and gown. We hope to see you there!

TROSCARS, JUNE 4

It's time again for the Wilson Troscars, Wilson Theatre's annual salute to the great moments, hard work, and good, clean, wholesome fun of the past year. Presented in the Drama Room on June 4 at 7:00pm.

WHS GIRL'S BASKETBALL CAMP, JUNE 21-25

The 4th Annual Girl's Basketball Camp 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.

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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PPS TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON HIGH SCHOOL REDESIGN PLAN

PPS School board hosts public hearings: Times and locations have been set for two school-board sponsored public hearings for attendees to share their thoughts on Superintendent Smith's high school proposal:

- **Wednesday, June 2, 5-8 p.m. Vestal K-8 School** auditorium, 161 N.E. 82nd Ave.
- **Saturday, June 5, 1-3:00 p.m. Franklin High School** auditorium, 5405 S.E. Woodward St.

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 ... NOT TOO LATE TO ORDER SCRIP

Wow.....June already. There are two more June order days, June 8 and June 15. During the summer there will be two order days: July 13 and August 10. Get your Scrip order in... If you would like to order Scrip, please email Martha at schulte@easystreet.net at 503-244-5072.

RIEKE ES CARNIVAL, JUNE 4, 5:30-8PM

The Rieke Carnival is just around the corner! Join them on Friday, June 4 from 5:30-8:00pm for the most fabulous of all Fridays featuring games, prizes and entertainment that will knock your socks off! This event is for all Rieke families and is a great way to wind down the year. The results of the art contest are in! Congratulations to winners Anna Steele and Asia Gates whose artwork will be featured on reusable totes that will be sold at the carnival. New this year, we will be selling carnival tickets online at: <http://rieke.tofinoauctions.com/carnival10/>. With the online option, you will be able to purchase tickets at a reduced rate as well as pre-pay for your food, saving you time and money. You can also purchase tickets before and after school the week of June 1. Tickets are 4 for \$1 before the carnival, 3 for \$1 at the carnival. If you are willing to donate cupcakes for the cupcake walk, please contact Jennifer Merrill at: jandamerrill@msn.com. There are only a couple weeks left ... get ready for some fun! Check out the website for more information or contact Carla at: cartroy@mac.com or Paige at: paigeandrobin@comcast.net. See you there!

HELP RESTORE CHORAL PROGRAM AT JACKSON MIDDLE SCHOOL

Jackson parents and supporters are asking for your donation to fully fund Choir at Jackson Middle School after the school cut the program in half due to budget constraints. They need your help to restore the choir program for next year. "Unfortunately, it seems as if the community must fight for the arts in our schools every once in awhile to remind ourselves of their importance in our children's education," adds Karin Chesnutt, Parent/Arts Advocate. Click here to learn more about how you can help save choir at Jackson: http://www.wilsonarts.org/Jackson_The_Beat_is_On.pdf.

5TH ANNUAL MAPLEWOOD SUMMER PICNIC & ICE CREAM SOCIAL, JULY 25

You are invited to the Fifth Annual Maplewood Summer Picnic & Ice Cream Social, Sunday, July 25 from 1:00 to 4:30pm at Maplewood ES, 7452 SW 52nd Ave. Free ice cream and watermelon! Free popcorn and lemonade! Free coffee and tea! Hot dogs for sale (fundraising)! Raffle (fundraising) - with lots of cool stuff! Children's games & activities! Live music: Gypsy Jazz West & The Betty's.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MAPLEWOOD SUMMER PICNIC & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Enthusiastic volunteers are needed to assist with the Fifth Annual Maplewood Summer Picnic & Ice Cream Social, Sunday, July 25 at Maplewood ES. Volunteers that are needed: 16 people to set-up in 2 hour shift (11am-1pm); 20 to serve food - 2 hour shift (12:30-2:30 or 2:30-4:30), 10 people to tear down - 1 hr shift (4:30-5:30). To help us, please contact: Bill Rector, 503-246-3944, bill.a.rector@q.com.

MULTNOMAH DAYS - SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

SW Portland's biggest community celebration is coming to Multnomah Village again this summer on Saturday, August 21st. Multnomah Days begins with the Kiwanis pancake breakfast at 8 am at Key Bank. The crowd-pleasing parade – attended by literally thousands - begins at 10 am. An all-day street fair follows with food, entertainment, arts, jewelry and other crafts. This year an extended kid play area sponsored by Portland Parks & Recreation will be featured at the Multnomah Arts Center. Inquiries can be made to MultnomahParade@gmail.com. Multnomah Village is located near SW Capitol Hwy and 35th Avenue.

DO SOMETHING INVITES YOUNG PEOPLE TO APPLY FOR COMMUNITY ACTION GRANTS

Young people who have created a sustainable community action project, program, or organization that they want to expand are invited to apply for a BIC 4 GOOD Grant. Administered by Do Something, the BIC 4 GOOD Grant program is designed to support established programs and organizations that have impact, proven sustainability, and measurable success. Competitive applicants must be self-driven, unique, and community-oriented. The program will award ten grants of \$2,000 each and one grand prize of \$5,000. Applicants must be 25 or under and a U.S. or Canadian citizen. Visit the Do Something Web site for program guidelines at: <http://www.dosomething.org/grants/bic4good>.

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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:

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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

JUNE

- 1-2 Senior Finals
- 2 Swimsuit drop off at Grad Night Table at Spring Sports Awards
- 2 Last day of school for seniors
- 2 Mandatory Senior class meeting immediately following 6th period at 3:20pm (time correction)
- 3 Senior Awards Assembly, Senior BBQ
- 3 Swimsuit drop off at Senior Assembly and Senior BBQ
- 4 Troscars
- 5 SAT testing
- 8 Site Council 3:30pm
- 9 Graduation rehearsal 9:30am Memorial Coliseum
- 9 Last chance swimsuit drop off at graduation rehearsal 9am
- 9 Graduation Memorial Coliseum 8pm
- 9 PTA Grad Night Party 10pm
- 12 ACT testing
- 15 Last Day of School
- 21-25 WHS Girl's Basketball Camp
- 28-July 2 WHS Boy's Basketball Camp

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

AUGUST

28 Wilson Community Care Day, 9am-noon, BBQ following

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

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