



Wilson Spotlight

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WE PRESENT WILSON'S CLASS OF 2010 VALEDICTORIANS

Congratulations to all of these outstanding students and their parents!

Luke de Oliveira, Shira Einstein, Caley Gallison, Annie Kagel, Graham Kinzel-Grubbs, Huayu Lai, Henry Cooper Olson, William Olson, Zoe Palmer, Elise Scribner, Cameron Shishido, Zack Strater, Christian Westerbur. To read about them, click here: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/2010valedictorians.pdf>

PTA VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR ANNOUNCED

Kathy Phillips was named the **State PTA LUV Award recipient** as one of the six Wilson HS PTA Volunteers of the Year. In addition to serving as the Co-Chair of the Hospitality Committee, Kathy has volunteered for countless other programs and activities during her years at Wilson HS. The five local PTA Volunteers of the Year are: **Lisa Massinger** (Auction Co-Chair), **Nancy Kurkinen** (Auction Co-Chair), **Debi Corah** (Grad Night Party Co-Chair), **Kim Kilhefner-Juiare** (Grad Night Party Co-Chair) and **Annie Bottinelli** (PTA Volunteer Coordinator). In addition to the specific jobs taken on by each of these recipients, these women have been tireless volunteers in the Wilson community. Whether manning a desk in the office, providing food for students staying late for after-school activities, or helping out a teacher with a special request, these ladies are always happily on the list of volunteers. Please say thank you to these recipients the next time you see them!

CONGRATULATIONS WILSON COMMUNITY!

We would like to thank everyone who participated in the first annual Run-4-Ranney program. It was an extremely successful event, raising over \$5000.00 dollars thus far. With your time, energy and generous contributions, we will be able to send three of our special needs students (Nic, Ryan and Amanda) to Camp Kawanis this summer. Thank You!

TRACK & FIELD ATHLETES COMPETED AT STATE

Two weekends ago four Wilson athletes competed at the 2010 OSAA Track & Field meet in Eugene at Hayward Field, after qualifying at the 6A PIL championship meet. They are all juniors. **Steven Quartuccio** was a double winner in the shot put and discus and competed in both events at the state meet. **Nick Isham**, who was first at district in the long jump. **Erika Dahl** won the women's javelin and made her third consecutive trip to the state meet. **Mariah Jones** was second in the discus at the PIL Championship meet and threw the discus in her first state meet appearance. We want to offer all four athletes congratulations on their fine performances at the PIL meet and the state meet where they competed and gained valuable experience.

MEN'S LACROSSE PLAYERS NAMED TO ALL CONFERENCE TEAMS

The Wilson Men's Lacrosse team had four members make the all conference teams. Wilson plays in the toughest conference in the state, and the program was pleased and proud to have these players honored. **Reid VanMouwerik** was a second team all conference midfield selection. **Kyle Hincks**, midfielder; **JT Livingston-Bullier**, defense and **Zach Doughty**, goalie were all honorable mention all conference. The team celebrated its season at a banquet at the Rose Garden on June 1st.

PTA GRANTS AWARDED

At the May 25th PTA meeting, the membership approved two grants to the Wilson community. The first grant is for \$1,200 to the Wilson PACT (Positive Action Concerning Teens) to fund four drug and alcohol-free events for Wilson students during the 2010-11 school year. Parents, please look for notices of these events and encourage your student to attend. The second grant is for \$1,000 to the PTA Alcohol Free Grad Night Party Committee to fund scholarships for students to attend this event. The Wilson PTA is dedicated to the support of healthy lifestyles by our teens and is pleased to provide this funding for these worthy events. Congratulations to Counselor **Kathryn Wolff** who heads up the PACT program at Wilson, and to Grad Night Chairs **Debi Corah** and **Kim Kilhefner-Juiare** for their hard work in putting together this safe and sober event for our graduates.

PIL ALL-LEAGUE WILSON SOFTBALL PLAYERS NAMED, STUDENT NAMED PITCHER OF THE YEAR, COACH NAMED COACH OF THE YEAR

Well done students and coaches, Anna Cullop and Stephanie Adams, assistant coach.

6A Softball All-League Teams 2010

First team: **Madi Lostra**, Pitcher (freshman); **Ashley Reeves**, Catcher (junior); **Mackie Lostra**, Infield (senior); **Tori Amundson**, Infield (senior); **Jessica West**, Outfield (freshman); **Morgan Beltz**, Utility (senior).

Second team: **Emily Reeves**, Outfield (freshman).

Honorable Mention: **Calais Cooper**, Outfield (senior).

PIL Pitcher of the Year: **Madi Lostra**

Coach of the Year: **Anna Cullop**

PIL ALL-LEAGUE WILSON BASEBALL PLAYERS NAMED

Congratulations to our students and coaches, Mike Clopton; Varsity, Jeremy Shetler, Associate Head Coach; Shaun Fagan, Volunteer; Kevin Clopton, Volunteer; Trevor Balloun, Volunteer; Paul Naudain, Volunteer. JV Coach, Josh Dwinal; KC Wisner, Volunteer. JV-2 Coach Ryan Arditi; Nick Slade, Volunteer; Jim Baker, Volunteer; Ben Prange, Volunteer.

6A Baseball All-League Teams 2010

First team: **Ryan Andrews**, Pitcher (senior); **Darren Nigo**, 2nd Base (senior); **Peter Valentine**, Outfield (junior).

Second team: Peter Valentine, Pitcher (junior); **Ian Hobson**, 1st Base (senior); **Sean Flores**, Outfield (junior).

Honorable Mention: **Micah Holmes**, Pitcher (senior); **Austin Jones**, Catcher (senior); **Nathan Huebner**, 3rd Base (junior); **Nic Coffman**, Shortstop (junior).

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WILSON FOUNDATION COMMITTEE FORMED TO SAVE TEACHING POSITIONS

Wilson alum and parent Lucy Brehm and parent Chris Dearth will head up a major fundraising effort on behalf of the Wilson Foundation next year. The goal of the Foundation will be to raise \$100,000 to save teaching positions at Wilson which will almost certainly be lost due to looming severe budget cuts. Lucy and Chris are seeking other dedicated Wilson alums and parents who would like to join them in this important effort to support our kids' education at this critical time. Please contact them at: dearth@pcez.com or lbrehm.1@gmail.com.

LUNCH MONEY BALANCE - PAY IT FORWARD

Parents of seniors who have a lunch money balance with PPS have several options: 1) have it transferred to a sibling; 2) donate it to the "pay it forward fund" that helps students who can't afford lunch money; 3) ask for a refund; or 4) do nothing in which case many years from now it will be submitted by the district to the State of Oregon Unclaimed Property fund. So parents, here's your chance to help a student who needs help or get your money back. Questions, contact Phyllis, Cafeteria Lead at 503-916-5280 ext 75338 to arrange for a refund. Donations to the district's Pay It Forward Fund to help families who are not eligible for free meals are also welcome. Contact Patti Shafer at 503-916-3398 to make a donation. Act now!

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.

WILSON HS WOMEN'S SOCCER SUMMER TRAINING

In preparation for the fall soccer season Wilson Women's Soccer will once again hold the summer conditioning program and preseason conditioning camp the week before tryouts.

Summer training camp: Monday and Friday evenings June 28 to July 30, 5:00 to 6:30 pm at Rieke Field

Preseason conditioning camp: August 16-19, 5:00 to 6:30pm at Wilson Track

Tryouts begin Monday August 23rd

Please contact Angela Duarte, aduarte@techweb.com for the Wilson Women's Soccer Summer Training flyer which includes the cost and a parental release that needs to be signed and returned.

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 9 Graduation Rehearsal LAST CHANCE SWIM SUIT DROP OFF

SUMMER READING AT CAPITOL HILL LIBRARY

The Summer Reading @ Capitol Hill Library starts: June 18, 2010. All Wilson students will be automatically signed up for summer reading and will be given their game board at school before their last day. Teens can win prizes for reading whatever books, magazines and comics they like.

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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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

E-Mail/mailling dates

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

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.

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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.

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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](#).

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

8 Site Council 3:30pm

9 Graduation rehearsal Arrive at Memorial Coliseum in the 'bowl' by 9:15am, so that we can start on time (9:30am) and be done by 11:00am. Park in Garden Garage; there is no charge to park for rehearsal

9 Last chance swimsuit drop off at graduation rehearsal 9am

9 Graduation Memorial Coliseum 8pm

Graduation (Wednesday June 9—Memorial Coliseum)

a. doors for parents will open at 7:30pm and parents are allowed only in seating area

b. from 6:30 – 7:00pm students attending Grad Night Party should check in at tables in front of Pine Court entrance (lower level) to receive their Grad Night Party wrist band.

No one will be admitted onto busses without one.

c. students need to be in Georgia Pacific Room by 7:30pm with your cap and gown on (enter through Pine Court—lower level)

d. bring no valuables to graduation; leave cameras, purses, etc. with your parents

e. parking is \$8.00 per car, and students will leave for graduation party from Memorial Coliseum

f. graduation program starts at exactly 8:00pm, finished by 9:30pm

9 PTA Grad Night Party

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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