



Wilson Spotlight

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WILSON PERFORMS AT TRAIL BLAZER'S GAME

On October 6, Wilson's select mixed ensemble, WAVE, was invited to perform the Star-Spangled Banner at the opening pre-season game of the Trail Blazers, for the third consecutive year in a row. "We're thrilled," states Steve Peter, WHS Choirs Director. By the time you read this, WAVE's gig will be history, but nevertheless, we want everyone to know that "we're starting the academic year off with another great performance!" We understand from Melanie Fried-Oken, Wilson parent, that the choir "rocked the stadium and were an awesome beginning to the Trailblazers' season. The soloist was so spectacular that the crowd cheered during the National Anthem, and the Wilson students and family at the game were proud to be part of the school!" Congratulations to our talented young students!

Soprano:

Alyssa Clendenin, Kelsey Cravens, Amelia Kaufman, Kathleen Kent, Jalena Montrond and Sarah Spear.

Alto:

Bijou Bottinelli, Emily Hastings, Jessica Hegre, Carly Hinman, Amy Hodge, Emma Knox-Hershey and Elena Krasnow.

Tenor:

Rob Keeling, Chip Lawson, Alex Markovic, Karl Metz, Jake Schwimmer and Alex Swalwell.

Bass:

Cole Buxton, Andrew Grossman, Dan Johnson, Josef Komarek, Alex Lindquist, Jeff Lonergan and Jake Veristain.

Tenor soloist:

senior, Karl Metz

WILSON STUDENTS INVITED TO PORTLAND OPEN STUDIOS

Susan Parker, Wilson art teacher and Oregon Art Education Association President, would like everyone to know that Wilson High School is one of three high school participating in a pilot project with [Portland Open Studios](#). Ten Wilson students from Advanced Art, Ceramics and Photography classes were selected to work with local artists during the Portland Open Studio event. This is a wonderful mentor opportunity. Congratulations to our talented young artists!

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT

Another Wilson graduate heads to the Oregon State Legislature! **Margaret Doherty '68** was recently appointed as the next State Representative for House District 35 in the Oregon State Legislature. Washington and Multnomah county commissioners unanimously selected Margaret to replace outgoing state Rep. Larry Galizio. Margaret was sworn in on September 29, 2009 and represents District 35, including Tigard, King City and SW Portland. Check out her website at: <http://www.leg.state.or.us/doherty/>. She joins two other Wilson graduates in the current Oregon legislature: [Senator Ginny Burdick '65, District: 18](#) (Tigard, King City and SW Portland) and [Representative Chris Garrett '92, District: 38](#) (City of Lake Oswego and a portion of SW Portland). After graduating from Wilson, Margaret went to Portland State University and received a degree in Speech and Theater. She taught Speech, English and History at Milwaukie High School for 10 years, then went to work as a labor consultant with the Oregon Education Association for the next 22 years. In that position, Margaret represented education workers in many part of the State. She retired in 2006 and began a floral design business. Margaret has always been active in politics in Oregon. Since Margaret ended up majoring in speech, her two most influential teachers at Wilson were Mr. Pacheco and Mrs Zervis. "After working with teachers all of my adult life, I truly appreciate what wonderful and dedicated teachers we did have," states Margaret. "They really were not making much money back then, yet they were dedicated to making sure we got the most out of an education." When asked about advice for current Wilson students, Margaret tells us that "You never know where you are going to end up in life. I never thought I would be a state representative. Make the most of the opportunities you have been given."

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GRAD NIGHT NEWS, OCTOBER 12

Next Grad night meeting is October 12 WHS Faculty Lounge @7:00pm. Please bring your Bed Bath & Beyond coupons and books for the booksale. Turn in your registration forms to the Grad Night mailbox located in the WHS office. If you had your envelope returned back to you as not able to deliver through our PO Box address we have corrected this problem. At this time please turn in all registration at the main office of Wilson High School Grad Night Office Mailbox or Drop Box. We are still in need of Chair Positions to be filled for the following: Secretary, Fundraiser, Medical Team. If you have any questions on any of these positions please contact Debi or Kim your Grad Night Co Chairs. Grad Night is off to a good start because of you! Debi Corah corahs@live.com, Kim Kilhefner-Juaire kim_k_juaire@msn.com.

WHS COLLEGE INFORMATION NIGHT, OCTOBER 13

Join us for Wilson's College Information Night on October 13 at 7:00pm in the Cafeteria. Counselors will introduce presenters. Breakout sessions will start at 7:15pm.

Parents can choose three sessions to attend. Session #1 is 7:20 - 7:40 pm. Session #2 is 7:45 to 8:05 pm. Session #3 is from 8:10 to 8:30 pm. The sessions available are: Public School Admissions in Oregon; Private School Admissions; Two-Year College Opportunities; Paying for College; How to Write a Dynamic College Admission Essay; Maximizing Campus Visits and Interviews; Naviance. Don't miss it!

BOOSTER CLUB MEETING, OCTOBER 13

Join us for the next Booster Club meeting on Tuesday, October 13 7:00pm in the WHS Cafeteria. The Wilson Booster Club provides financial assistance to the Wilson High School community (not just athletics). Last year \$25,000 was donated to various programs and students at Wilson High School. Want to help? Want to join us? Annual Membership Fee: Single Parent \$15.00 or Two Parents \$20.00. Make your checks payable to: WILSON BOOSTER CLUB. Mail check and registration form to: Wilson Booster Club mailbox in main office at Wilson OR Wilson Booster Club, PO BOX 80472 Portland OR, 97280-1472. See you at the meeting!

SPECIAL TESTING DAY AT WILSON, OCTOBER 14

There is a **special testing day on Wednesday, October 14**. There is school for all students at the regular Wednesday starting time of 10:15am and attendance will be taken for all students. All students who are testing must arrive in their classrooms on time and must bring their student ID with them. Here is a brief overview of what is happening:

Freshman will take the Explore test in their first Community classroom of the day. Following the test and lunch they will have their 6th period class.

Sophomores will take the PSAT test. Signs showing what room the students are to go to for testing will be posted on Tuesday afternoon. Following the test and lunch they will have their 6th period class.

Juniors that registered for the PSAT: Will take the PSAT test. Signs showing what room the students are to go to for testing will be posted on Tuesday afternoon. Following the test and lunch they will have their 6th period class.

Juniors that did NOT register for the PSAT: Will have educational sessions before lunch followed by their 6th period class. Exact locations will be posted.

Seniors: Will have educational sessions before lunch followed by their 6th period class. Exact locations will be posted.

OREGON BATTLE OF THE BOOKS CLUB, OCTOBER 14

Students, the first meeting for the Oregon Battle of the Books Club will be on Wednesday, October 14 at lunch in the WHS Library. Please come if you signed up for the club. If you have any questions, please contact Librarian Linda Campillo.

OUR STUDENTS WORKING TO HELP END HUNGER, OCTOBER 15

Buy tickets to Global Citizen Corps Hunger Banquet all week long during lunch in front of the gym. Tickets are \$6 dollars and the proceeds go to the Oregon Food Bank. The banquet is on Thursday, October 15 in the Wilson cafeteria from 6-7:30pm. There will be speakers from Mercy Corps speaking about world hunger. A hunger banquet is a hunger simulation, representing typical meals of the three social classes: high, middle and lower. It is an experience you don't want to miss! Be the Change. All ages are welcome!

FRENCH CULTURE CLUB, OCTOBER 16

Next French Culture Club meeting is Friday, October 16 at lunch in room 224. Come help choose a movie to watch and sign up to bring food to our second meeting.

CROSS COUNTRY & TRACK - SALLY FOSTER GIFT WRAPPING - ENDS OCTOBER 16

The Cross Country and Track program has over 175 male and female athletes- with this large group there are many needs. Please help support the team by participating in the Sally Foster Gift Wrapping and product sale, our team will receive up to 50% of every item purchased. Sale ends on Friday October 16 – Orders will be delivered the week of November 6. It is easy to purchase, you can buy gift wrap and product **three ways**:

1. Purchase from a cross country or track athlete- they have catalogs and order forms,
2. Contact Wilson HS school representative Angela Duarte aduarte@techweb.com,
3. On-line at www.SallyFoster.com, when you are checking out there will be a location to click on participating school- **type in Wilson's account number 476284**. If you do not enter this number our school will not receive credit.

GAY-STRAIGHT ALLIANCE, OCTOBER 19

The first Gay-Straight Alliance meeting is October 19 at lunch time in the choir room. Grab your lunch and come join this fun group. All students are welcome!

TEENAGE BRAIN DEVELOPMENT PRESENTATION, OCTOBER 20

Rosemary Schwimmer, Wilson HS PTA President and the Wilson HS PTA Board invite you to join us for a discussion/presentation by **Amy Ruona-Banister** on teenage brain development on **October 20 at 7:00pm in the Wilson Library**. For the past several years, Amy Ruona-Banister from the PPS Prevention Office has come to Wilson to talk about **teenage brain development and the affects of drugs and alcohol on the developing adolescent brain**. She also shares **strategies for working with your teen**. All are welcome to attend. Please join us in supporting quality education at Wilson High School. You don't want to miss this one!

WILSON PTA PIZZICATO FUNDRAISER TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20

Students, parents, teachers, and staff head to the **Pizzicato Pizza in Hillsdale on Tuesday, October 20** and the Wilson PTA will keep 20% of the sales for that day. Enjoy pizza, salads, drinks, and desserts. You can call ahead for takeout. 503-452-7166. Pizzicato Hillsdale 6358 SW Capitol Hwy. Buying gift certificates also counts- so take the opportunity to buy Pizzicato gift certificates and 20% of sales will go to Wilson! Tell everyone you know about this fundraiser. Monies raised go back to support students at Wilson. We hope to see everyone there supporting WILSON!

INSIDE SCOOP ON COLLEGE APPLICATIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS AT SELLWOOD-MORELAND LIBRARY, OCTOBER 24 - JUNIORS, SENIORS AND PARENTS!

This presentation recently happened at the Hillsdale Library and is going to be repeated at the Sellwood-Moreland Library on October 24. Feel uncertain and stressed out about what to put on your college application? Do you want to know what colleges are looking for in their applicants? Do you want to know how to find and best apply for scholarships? This workshop presents the 10 most useful tips to produce the best application you can. Learn about developing your emotional Intelligence, the best study methods for the SAT, and picking compelling essay topics. **Free tickets for seating will be available at the reference desk 30 minutes prior to the program.** WHEN: **Saturday, October 24, 2:00-3:30pm at the Sellwood-Moreland Library**. We understand that it is a MUST see for all junior and senior students AND their parents. Jan Kuhl-Urbach, Wilson parent, tells us that the presentation is "Informative, funny, packed with pearls and insider information. **This is one presentation folks should NOT miss.**"

SUPPORT OUR NATIONALLY RANKED CHEERLEADERS, OCTOBER 24

The Wilson Cheerleaders will be holding a fundraiser on **Saturday, October 24 from Noon to 5:00pm at Baristadors Coffee on 11136 SW Capitol Hwy**. Baristadors will be **donating 40% of their profits on this day** to our nationally ranked cheerleading program. Baristadors Coffee sells coffee and non-coffee drinks, breakfast bagels, bagel sandwiches, pastries and Prince Pucklers ice cream, a gourmet ice cream made in Eugene. We need lots of folks to stop by on October 24 to help support the squad as they work to make it to nationals again this year. Wilson's Varsity squad took 1st in state in their division last year. Come out and support these talented young ladies!

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CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS FOR HILLSDALE MICROCINEMA

Calling all young filmmakers. On November 17 the *Hillsdale MicroCinema* will feature young filmmakers (up to High School). Youth are invited to participate in this event presented in association with *Wilson Area Arts Council (WAAC)* and *Primal Digital, LLC*. Please submit your films by email (with hyperlink to the film), to Julian Lauzzana at jlauzzana@gmail.com or drop by or mail DVD to 1509 SW Sunset Blvd #2B Portland OR 97239. Deadline for submissions is November 3. This event will take place at the downstairs of the Watershed Building on the corner of Capitol Hwy and Bertha starting at 7:00pm. Submissions are preferred on DVD, but online links (YouTube, etc.) will also be accepted. Please try to be available to talk about your film during the screening. Parents of minors will need to confirm their approval of the screening of the material by phone or in writing. Please, no violence or profanity. Visit <http://primaldigital.com/pages/hillsdale.html> for more information or call Julian at (503) 616-8740.

READ THE LATEST WILSON BASEBALL NEWSLETTER

Check out the latest news from the Baseball team at: http://cms18.pps.k12.or.us/docs/pg/400/rid/10757/Baseball_newsletter-10-2009.pdf.

WHAT'S YOUR OPINION ABOUT PPS HIGH SCHOOLS, OCTOBER 17

Portland Public Schools is designing a systemwide overhaul to improve all high schools -- with equity of access and increased rigor and achievement for all as a cornerstone. What do the plans mean to students today and in the future? And how could our school buildings themselves contribute to an improved education for our students? PPS invites all students, teachers and staff, families and community members to a community workshop on high school system design: Saturday, October 17, at Rosa Parks Elementary School, 8960 N. Woolsey Ave. Workshop runs from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Participants can attend one, two or all three of the sessions:

- 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Building a stronger High School System
- 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Issues related to High School System design
- 12:15 p.m. -1 p.m. Lunch break
- 1 p.m.-2:30 p.m. Smart Sustainable Schools for Portland

Free child care will be available for children ages 3 and over. Reservations are requested but not required: Please call 503-916-3304.

WATCH LOCAL ARTISTS AT WORK, OCTOBER 17 & 18

October has over 90 artists opening their studios to the public through Portland Open Studios. Westside studios are open October 17 & 18. Any interested students are welcome to visit the studios for free. More information on the [Portland Open Studio](#) website.

ROSE FESTIVAL COURT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Rose Festival Court is comprised of up to 15 outstanding women who are selected from Portland-Metro area high schools. After being selected in March, court members attend after-school and evening orientation meetings during the month of April. Beginning May 1, court members travel full-time 6 days a week for 6 weeks, visiting community events, business leaders, hospitals, senior living centers, youth organizations and civic groups. Court members also receive one-on-one mentorship from Pacific Power's senior management team, a \$3,500 scholarship valid for any accredited college, a complete wardrobe including shoes and accessories, and a lifetime of enduring friendships with their Rose Festival Court sisters. To be considered for the court all candidates must: Be Female; Be a senior graduating in June 2010 or junior on track to graduate in June 2011; Have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA; 20 hours of community service performed during high school; Submit a complete application by December 18, 2009 (applications are available in the main office or online at <http://www.rosefestival.org/events/rosecourt/>); Attend one mandatory orientation session in January 2010; Participate in the court selection process (Judging on character, communication, and presence). If you have questions, please see Erica Meyers in the main office.

DONATE YOUR USED STUDENT CLOTHING AT WILSON!

Wilson is now an on-going collection site for the Oregon PTA Clothing Center! Each year, the Center provides free clothing to over 2000 students in need within the Portland Public school district. It is entirely volunteer-run and dependent on donations from families in the PPS district. Think of it like a "hand-me-down" program enabling your kids to provide disadvantaged kids with clothes they will really appreciate. So please send those hand-me-downs to Wilson! There is a labeled white bin in the main office where you or your kids can drop clothes anytime the office is open. Tax receipt donation forms and applications for obtaining clothes from the Center are available from the office staff. Questions? Call Mari Vandewettering, 503-464-7899.

WILSON LIBRARY - TUTORING

The Wilson Library will be offering tutoring in most subject areas after school every day. We also will offer extended library hours on Mondays and Wednesdays - staying open until 4:30 p.m. The library will open every morning at 7:30 a.m. except on Wednesdays, when it will open at 8:30 a.m. We will have tutors available on Wednesday mornings as well.

WILSON WRITING CENTER

The library also will have the Wilson Writing Center open during block periods or by appointment on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

TEEN LOUNGE & HOMEWORK CENTER IS OPEN, HILLSDALE LIBRARY

Use library computers, get homework help, or just do your homework and listen to music. For teens in grade 6-12. Thursdays beginning September 17, 2:30-5:30pm, Hillsdale Library.

ENJOY DINNER AND SUPPORT FOOTBALL

Stop by Casa Colima Mexican Restaurant (6319 SW Capital Hwy. 503-892-9944) in Hillsdale on Varsity Football Game night, before or after the game. Mention you are a Trojan and 20% of your bill will be donated to Trojan Football. Varsity Game nights: 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6.

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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2009-2010 STATEMENTS ARTICLE DEADLINES

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

<u>News articles due</u>	<u>E-Mail/mailing dates</u>
Monday, November 16, 2009 for Dec/Jan news	December 7, 2009
Monday, January 11, 2010 for Feb/Mar news	February 1, 2010
Monday, February 22, 2010 for April/May news	March 15, 2010
Monday, April 19, 2010 for June/July news	May 3, 2010
Monday, June 21, 2010 for summer/back-to school	July 12, 2010

WHS DAILY BULLETIN If you don't already receive the Daily e-Bulletin, contact Sara Mattheisen at: smatthei@pps.k12.or.us.

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

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IN MEMORY OF

Within the last few weeks we lost three members of our community: **Sue Summers**, **Suzi Sudalnik** and **Joji Shimizu**. Sue was a local educator and is survived by her husband Von; son, Dustin Marx; and daughter, Paige '05. Suzi was a business consultant and is survived by her husband, Robert; daughter, Jessica; and son, Alexander '05. Joji was an operations manager and is survived by his wife Kathy (Maplewood ES secretary), son Junichi; and daughter, Sachiko. They will be missed!

SIDEWALK INFILL PROJECT OPEN HOUSE, OCTOBER 13

The Portland Bureau of Transportation is hosting a public open house for the Southwest and East Portland Sidewalk Infill Project. The Southwest and East Portland Sidewalk Infill Project will construct sidewalks, including **several segments along SW Barbur Blvd, SW Luradel**. The project will construct concrete sidewalks and corner curb ramps compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act, stormwater management facilities and small retaining walls where necessary. The project will not complete all sidewalk segments on these streets. However, it will address many gaps where there is existing curb, existing public right-of-way and it is feasible to include the segment in the project. The Southwest and East Portland Sidewalk Infill Project is funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA). The following Open House provides an opportunity to review the project plans and ask questions. SW Open House, Tuesday, October 13, Drop in between 6 & 8 PM, Capitol Hill Elementary School Cafeteria, 8401 SW 17th Ave, TriMet Transit service: Busline #39, 43, 65.

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE SENIOR CENTER HARVEST BAZAAR AND BAKESALE, OCTOBER 22-23

Come to the Neighborhood House Senior Center Harvest Bazaar and Bakesale on October 22 and 23, 9:00am - 4:00pm, Multnomah Arts Center, 7780 SW Capitol Hwy. Jump start your holiday shopping! Our annual sale will feature hand-made items such as knitted hats and scarves, environmentally-friendly cloth gift bags, children's clothing, and decorations that our talented senior crafting group have been working on year-round. Delicious home - made desserts will be available Thursday and Friday, with the much anticipated Russian Club Bake sale on Friday only. A raffle will be held Friday at noon. Tickets are one dollar each or six for five dollars. Raffle tickets can be purchased before the Harvest Bazaar. Raffle items include themed gift baskets, a complete set of scrapbook supplies, old-fashioned toys, ceramic sculptures, and more. Stop by to find the perfect "recycled" gift and support our seniors!

HILLSDALE TERRACE REDEVELOPMENT, OCTOBER 24

The Housing Authority of Portland invites you to a free event: **BUS TOUR**: You're invited to take a free bus tour to N/NE, New Columbia and Humboldt Gardens, on **October 24 from 10:00am to 2:00pm**. Learn from residents and neighbors of these redevelopment sites; tour the community spaces; see the award-winning sustainable features and LEED-certified mixed-use building; and hear a summary of Hillsdale Terrace planning to date during the bus ride. The RAZ bus will leave from and return to the parking lot of Hillsdale Community Church (6948 SW Capitol Hwy). Please arrive by 9:45am to check-in. **Please RSVP by October 19** by contact Pamela Prideaux at pamelap@hapdx.org or call at 503.802.8323. Lunch provided.

HALLOWEEN IN MULTNOMAH VILLAGE, OCTOBER 31

Halloween in Multnomah Village Sat Oct 31, 2009 2-4:00pm. Join us on Halloween for safe, supervised, before-the-sun-goes-down Trick or Treating at local shops with free coffee provided by Starbucks. It's a great way for your little goblin to be seen by several hundred other costumed friends. Multnomah Village is located in SW Portland where Capitol Hwy crosses Multnomah Blvd.

EMERGENCY FOOD BOX PROGRAM DEMAND REMAINS HIGH

With over 400 families receiving assistance each month, the Neighborhood House continues to serve unprecedented numbers of families facing economic hardship. Families come to Neighborhood House seeking help to meet their basic food needs. Please consider making a donation of canned food and non-perishables or making monetary contributions. Donations, both food and monetary, can be made at Neighborhood House, located at 7780 SW Capitol Hwy. With your support, the Neighborhood House will continue to meet the current high-levels of need in our community.

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WILSON BAND PERFORMANCES/CONCERTS

Home Football Games where Pep Band is playing:

Friday, Oct. 16, vs. Lincoln

Friday, Oct. 23, Homecoming vs. Benson

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

Tuesday, Oct. 27: Fall Concert

Tuesday, Jan. 12: Winter Concert

Wednesday, April 14: Pre-Festival Concert

Thursday, April 15: PIL Festival (not at Wilson)

Tuesday, May 25: Spring Concert

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ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

All schedules subject to change!

Monday, October 12, 2009

Women's Soccer – JV2 Lincoln @ Gabriel Park 4:15

Men's Soccer – JV2 vs. Lincoln @ Delta Park 4:15 Early release 2:30 No bus

Tuesday, October 13, 2009

Women's Soccer – Varsity @ Franklin 7:00 No bus

Women's Soccer – JV vs. Cleveland @ Harney Park 4:15 Early release 2:40 No bus

Men's Soccer – Varsity Franklin @ Wilson 7:00

Men's Soccer – JV Franklin @ Wilson Gabriel Park 4:15

Volleyball – Franklin @ Wilson 5:00 / 6:30

Wednesday, October 14, 2009

Women's Soccer – JV2 vs. Cleveland @ Harney Park 4:15 Early release 2:40 No bus

Men's Soccer – JV2 Cleveland @ Gabriel Park 4:15

Cross-Country - @ Grant 4:00 Early release 2:10 Bus 2:30

Thursday, October 15, 2009

Women's Soccer – Varsity Lincoln @ Wilson 7:00

Women's Soccer – JV Lincoln @ Rieke 4:15

Men's Soccer – JV vs. Lincoln @ Delta Park 4:15 Early release 2:30 No bus

Football – JV @ Lincoln 6:00 Bus 4:40

Football – Frosh @ Lincoln 4:00 Early release 2:00 Bus 2:30

Volleyball - @ Lincoln 5:00 / 6:30 Bus 4:10

Friday, October 16, 2009

Men's Soccer – Varsity @ Lincoln 4:15 Early release 2:30 No bus

Football – Varsity Lincoln @ Wilson 7:00

Saturday, October 17, 2009

Cross-Country - @ Adidas Invitational Fernhill Park Noon Bus-10:30

Women's Varsity Soccer, PIL League -- Wilson VS:

Lincoln 10/15 7:00 PM at Wilson

Cleveland 10/20 7:00 PM at Cleveland

Grant 10/27 4:15 PM at Grant

Franklin 10/29 4:15 PM at Rieke

JV Women's Soccer schedule:

Oct 20 Wilson JV @ Cleveland 4:15PM (Woodstock)

Oct 27 Wilson JV @ Grant 4:15PM (Rose City)

Varsity Football Schedule 2009 Season. JV and Freshman schedules see www.TrojanTouchdownclub.org.

Oct 23 Benson @ Wilson 7:00

Oct 30 Wilson @ Jefferson 7:00

Cheerleading Competitions

Feb 13 - Varsity Cheer State Competition (place, time TBA)

Feb 14 - Junior Varsity Cheer State Competition (place, time TBA)

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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 www.wilson.pps.k12.or.us

FACULTY/STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION - If you would like to contact faculty or staff at Wilson go to: www.wilson.pps.k12.or.us

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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

OCTOBER

12 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
13 Site Council 3:30pm
13 Booster Club 6:30pm
13 College Info Night 7pm
14 PSAT for all Sophomores and (Juniors who have signed up)
15 One Act Auditions
16 Football, Lincoln @ Wilson 7pm
19-23 Homecoming Week
20 Teenage Brain Presentation 7pm
20 Pizzicato Hillsdale Wilson PTA fundraiser all day
21 Performing & Visual Arts College Fair @ PSU 7pm
23 Picture Make-up Day
23 Football, Benson @ Wilson 7pm
23 Homecoming Dance
24 ACT testing
25 National College Fair @ Convention Center
26 PPS College Symposium for Juniors @ Convention Center 9-12
27 Band Concert 7pm
29 Wilson Choirs Fall Concert 7pm
30 Business Career Pathways Fair
30 Football @ Franklin 7pm
30 December SAT Registration deadline

NOVEMBER

6 Teacher Planning Day No School
6 Football @ Jefferson 7pm
6 December ACT Registration deadline
7 SAT testing
9 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
10 Site Council 3:30pm
10 Booster Club 6:30pm
11 Veteran's Day No School
13-14 The Children's Hour by Lillian Hellman, 7pm
15 The Children's Hour by Lillian Hellman, 2pm
17 Fall Sports Awards 7pm
19-20-21 The Children's Hour by Lillian Hellman, 7pm
21 Wilsingers @ Schnitzer 7pm
23 Conferences 5-8:30pm
24 No School, conferences 8:15-Noon, 1-4pm, 5-8:30pm
25 No School
26 Thanksgiving
27 No School

DECEMBER

2 Choir Wreath distribution @ A-Boy 4-6pm
3 Choir Wreath distribution @ A-Boy 4-6pm
4 Wilson Choirs @ Grotto 8pm
5 SAT testing
8 Site Council 3:30pm
8 Booster Club 6:30pm
8 Financial Aid Night 7pm
10-11 Wilson One Acts Festival, a Wilson Thespians event
12 ACT testing
14-15-16 Winter Play Auditions
14 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
15 January SAT registration deadline
17 Winter Choir Concert & Art Exhibit 7pm
21-Jan 1 Winter Break

JANUARY 2010

4 School resumes
5 February ACT registration deadline
11 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
12 Site Council 3:30pm
12 Booster Club 6:30pm
12 Band Concert 7pm
16-17 Wilson 24 for 8th Graders
18 MLK Jr Day, No School
23 SAT testing
27 PTA meeting 7pm
30 Winter Formal

FEBRUARY

1 Teacher Planning Day No School
4 March SAT registration deadline
4 8th Grade Family Night 7pm
6 SAT testing
8 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
9 Site Council 3:30pm
9 Booster Club 6:30pm
15 President's Day No School
19-20 Winter Play 7pm
21 Winter Play 2pm
25-26-27 Winter Play 7pm
26 PTA Career Pathways Fair
27 PIL Choir Solo Ensemble

MARCH

5 April ACT registration deadline
6 PIL Band Instrumental @ Grant
8-9-10 Spring Play auditions
8 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
9 Site Council 3:30pm
9 Booster Club 6:30pm
12 Spring Dance
13 SAT testing
15 Annual Art Exhibit @ Baker & Spice opens
16 Winter Sports Awards 7pm
18 Choral-O-City
19 Improv Marathon
22-26 Spring Break

APRIL

8-9-10 MUN Conference
9 Teacher Planning Day No School
9-10 Drama Trip to Ashland
10 PTA Auction @ MAC
10 ACT testing
12 PTA Grad Night Planning 7pm
13 Pizzicato Hillsdale Wilson PTA fundraiser, all day
13 PIL Choral Festival @ Cleveland
13 Site Council 3:30pm
13 Booster Club 6:30pm
14 Band Concert 7pm
24 Spring Clean-up 9-Noon
24 Culture Night
25 Baseball Pancake Breakfast
28 ACT testing for Juniors
29 June SAT registration deadline

MAY

1 SAT testing
3-4-5-6-7 AP testing
7 June ACT registration deadline
7 Prom
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
25 Band Concert & Art Exhibit 7pm
25 PTA 7pm
27-28 Trojanatics 7pm
31 Memorial Day No School

JUNE 2010

3 Senior Awards Assembly, Senior BBQ

4 Troscars

5 SAT testing

8 Site Council 3:30pm

9 Graduation rehearsal 9am

9 Graduation Memorial Coliseum 8pm

9 PTA Grad Night Party

12 ACT testing

15 Last Day of School

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