



Wilson Spotlight

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WILSON CROSS COUNTRY ATHLETE QUALIFIES FOR STATE MEET

Congratulations to senior **Graham Kinzel-Grubbs**! He was 7th place at the PIL District Cross Country Championships on October 28. He qualified for the state meet for this fine performance, running a lifetime best of 17 minutes, 5 seconds on the 5 km course at Grant HS. This past weekend, on Saturday November 7, he competed in the OSAA 2009 State Cross Country Meet at Lane Community College. He finished a respectable 70th place in a very talented field of runners from around the state. Both Coach Gerber and Coach Esbensen felt he ran a great race in cold, rainy weather on the muddy, rain-soaked course to finish out a great season this fall. Way to go Graham!

FALL CHORAL CONCERT - OCTOBER 29 - SPOTLIGHTS RICH TRADITION AT WILSON

The Wilson HS Choirs are off to an outstanding year under **Steve Peter's** professional and enthusiastic leadership. The October 29th concert began with three beautiful pieces from **Wilson Women**. We were treated to a lovely performance by **Teal Bluestone** on the Oboe during their opening song. **Wilson Men** followed with three numbers and ended their performance with a rousing version of "Ruby Baby." Next up, **WAVE** (Wilson Advanced Ensemble) performed four challenging pieces ending with the jazz number "All Right, Okay, You Win" featuring soloists **Emma Knox-Hershey** and **Jake Schwimmer**. Finally, **Wilsingers** wowed us with another four numbers. **Dúlamán** featured soloists **Amelia Kaufman**, **Alex Markovic**, **Jalena Montrond**, **Rob Keeling** and **Amy Hodge**. Their final two pieces, Earth Song and Musicks Empire, brought the audience to their feet. Special thanks to accompanist **Karin Chesnutt** and to **Della Shanley** for organizing the 50/50 raffle. Click here to see the complete list of our talented singers: http://cms18.pps.k12.or.us/docs/pg/400/rid/10810/Fall_Concert_2009.pdf.

TWO SINGERS SELECTED FOR HONOR CHOIRS IN MARCH

Two seniors in both WAVE and Wilsingers were selected to sing in the 2010 Northwest ACDA (American Choral Directors Association) Select Honor Choirs -- **Sarah Spear**, 2d soprano and **Alex Lindquist**, 2d Bass. Both singers will participate in the Seattle, WA event in early March 2010. They auditioned along with many other singers from six NW states (Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming) and will be involved in three-days of choral music making of the very highest calibre. This is Alex's second NW ACDA conference. He attended the 2008 NW ACDA Conference in Vancouver, BC as well as 2009's Oregon All-State Men's Choir. This is Sarah's first NW ACDA conference, and she also was a 2009 participant in the Oregon All-State Women's Choir. Congratulations to both singers!

WILSINGERS RAISE FUNDS FOR WEST COAST TOUR

Wilsingers is currently raising money to go on a West Coast tour this spring to San Francisco. Watch for wreath sales and other fundraisers. The community support has been outstanding and is much appreciated!

Submitted by Mary Knox, Wilson parent

FOUR WILSON SINGERS GOING TO STATE

Congratulations to the four Wilson singers selected for the 2010 Oregon All-State Choir in Eugene, 14-17 January. All four seniors, **Sarah Spear** (2d soprano), **Andrew Grossman**, **Alex Lindquist** and **Jake Veristain** (2d basses) will be representing Wilson and the PIL in the prestigious ensemble featuring many of the finest singers in the State. "It's nice to see our students being acknowledged for their talent and fine work," adds Steve Peter, Wilson Choirs. Congratulations!

WILSON STUDENTS GIVE BACK TO CAPITOL HILL ES

A big thanks from Capitol Hill Elementary to the 19 WHS students who came to help at our Carnival on October 30th. Under the direction of Interact Club President, **William Chou**, these students provided essential "manpower" during this 4-hour event, satisfied community service requirements and had fun being kids! We couldn't have done it without you all! Submitted by Jan Kuhl-Urbach for Capitol Hill PTA

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT

Dawood Luqman graduated from Wilson in 1991. He attended the University of Portland in the Fall of 1991 and subsequently joined the Army ROTC program in the Fall of 1992 to earn a scholarship. He majored in Life Sciences and graduated with a commission in US Army as a 2nd Lieutenant of Infantry in 1996. Dawood is now a Major in the US Army currently stationed in Hawaii as a South Asia Foreign Area Officer. To learn more about Dawood's journey, go to: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/alumni-spotlight/luqman.html>.

IN MEMORY OF

Glen K. Kersey died peacefully on October 29, 2009 after a courageous battle with cancer. Glen is survived by his wife, **Kathy Kersey**, Wilson principal's secretary; son, Doug; daughter, Lane; and brothers, Wayne and Wes. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps in Vietnam and in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS Ranger. Prior to retirement Glen worked in building maintenance. Glen loved to fish and spent his last days fishing with his son, Doug. He also worked hard to keep the community garden at Holy Redeemer School clean and safe for kids. Donations in Glen's honor can be sent to Holy Redeemer School - Development Fund for the Community Gardens - 127 N. Portland Blvd. Portland, OR 97217. Glen would be pleased to know that the garden is getting some much needed attention. Kathy, our thoughts are with you!

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WILSON DRAMA PRESENTS HELLMAN CLASSIC, NOVEMBER 13-14; 19-20-21

As expected, Jamie Miller, the dynamic force behind Wilson's Drama Department, has a full calendar of events planned for the year, leading off with an American classic, *The Children's Hour* by Lillian Hellman. This main stage production showcases Wilson's female actors on a "scale we have not been able to before," says Jamie. A heartrending tragedy with very human characters, *The Children's Hour* is a gripping emotional tale about the power of rumor and innuendo, and the consequences of not pursuing both sides of the story. Please Support Our Local Theatre!!! *Submitted by Liz Loughney, Wilson parent*

The Children's Hour Performances are:

Friday and Saturday, November 13 & 14 7 P.M.

Sunday, November 15 Matinee at 2 P.M.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, November, 19th, 20 and 21 7 P.M.

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GRAD NIGHT NEWS, MEETING NOVEMBER 9

There is a Grad Night meeting Monday, November 9th in WHS Faculty Lounge at 7pm, much has been happening, we have been very productive! All registration forms for Grad Night Party should be turned into school office.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ON SALE NOW

Entertainment Books 2010 are now on sale at Wilson High School for a limited time. Each book is filled with thousands of local coupons including \$20 in Savings from Safeway, up to 50% off on restaurants in the Portland area such as Chevys, TGI Fridays, Dominos, Cold Stone, Baskin Robbins, La Costita, The London Grill at the Benson and Marco's Café just to name a few. There are also savings on entertainment such as Regal Cinemas, Theatre, Portland Timbers, Portland Beavers, golf, ski lift tickets, movie/game rentals and much more. Each book is \$20.00 and all funds go to support Wilson High School Cross Country/Track & Field. We only have 10 books left so order your copy today. E-mail Angela Duarte aduarte@techweb.com or call 503 246 4472.

WILSON BATTLE OF THE BOOKS MEETING, NOVEMBER 10

There is a mandatory meeting for the Wilson Battle of the Books Club, Tuesday, November 10 at lunch in the Wilson Library.

WILSON AREA ARTS COUNCIL ... CALLING ALL YOUNG MUSICIANS IN SOUTHWEST PORTLAND

Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to show your talent and be discovered! We are making a music CD. Be part of the SW PDX Young Musician's CD - Vol. 1. To participate you can send a link to your online audio file (myspace, etc.) to jlauzzana@gmail.com, drop by a demo CD to 1509 SW Sunset Blvd #2B Portland OR 97239 (across from Wilson High) or call Julian at (503) 616-8740 to schedule an in-person demo of your song. A portion of the funds will benefit Wilson Area Arts Council's (WAAC) small grants program for music in Wilson Cluster schools. Participating artists will also have the opportunity to sell the CDs for a portion of the profits. We are planning a holiday no-host CD release party on December 13 at O'Connors Restaurant, The Annex, so move fast on this!!! Groups will get the opportunity to perform at the CD release party. The CD is filling up, so contact us right away. Deadline is November 10. Please, no profanity on the tracks. Sponsored by Primal Digital, LLC and WAAC.

ROSE FESTIVAL COURT MEETING, NOVEMBER 11

Are you interested in being on the Wilson Rose Festival Court? Did you know that the program is open to junior and senior girls with a 3.0 GPA or above? Come to the informational meeting on Wednesday November 11 at 1:00 pm, 421 SW Oak Street, Willamette Conference Room. Parking is free as Veteran's Day is a legal Holiday. Applications are now available online: www.rosefestival.org/events/rosecourt/apply.shtml.

WILSON GIRLS' LACROSSE ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING, NOVEMBER 12

The Wilson Girls' Lacrosse team will hold its first organizational meeting for parents and players on the evening of Thursday, November 12th at 7:00 PM in the faculty lounge at Wilson (near the main office). Head coach Sarah Bromley will announce team policies, pre-season plans and will be available to answer questions. Questions? Email Coach Sarah (broms20@yahoo.com) or parent coordinator Chris Dearth (dearth@pcez.com).

POINSETTIAS FUNDRAISER FOR WILSON CHOIR, ORDER THROUGH NOVEMBER 13

Wilson Choir, in addition to its traditional wreath and greenery fundraiser, is selling stunning poinsettias – red, pink and white in 6" and 8" containers. All funds raised are used to promote and enrich our incredible choirs which have nearly doubled in size since last year. Greenery can be ordered through November 6 with pick up for December 2nd or 3rd. Products can be viewed at www.northwestwreathcompany.com. Poinsettias can be ordered through November 13. See them at www.newleafgreenhouse.com. For information, contact Jan Kuhl-Urbach at 503.246.9416.

MEN'S LACROSSE MEETING, NOVEMBER 18

The Wilson Men's' Lacrosse team will hold its organizational meeting for parents on the evening of Wednesday November 18th at 7:00 in the Wilson High School choir room. Sarah Marin, the club registrar, will discuss the registration procedure and head coach Herb Hincks will discuss team policies and answer any questions. If you have questions contact Coach Hincks (hhincks@mtgender.com) or club president Lynn Shrauger (shrauger8808@comcast.net).

WAVE PERFORMS NOVEMBER 21

Wilson's WAVE performs the Prelude Concert at 7 P.M., Saturday, November 21, at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall in Downtown Portland. This series showcases local high school music as "warm-up groups" for Oregon Symphony Concerts. This will be the Wilson Choirs 4th consecutive appearance in the beautiful lobby of the Schnitz.

WILSON CHOIRS HEAD TO GROTTTO, DECEMBER 4

We are also looking forward to the Festival of Lights performance at The Grotto on Friday, December 4th, 8 P.M., plus plenty of seasonal caroling gigs, KBPS radio recording, our Winter Chorale, Singing in the Halls, and more. *Submitted by Liz Loughney, Wilson parent*

DONATE YOUR SHOES, NOVEMBER 16 - DECEMBER 4

Please join Wilson DECA and SEA, in donating shoes for Soles4Souls, a non-profit organization that dedicates itself to donating shoes to adults and children in need. The shoe drive will be occurring from November 16 to December 4. There will be drop-off stations at Wilson High School, the Southwest Community Center, the MJCC, and OHSU.

2010 WILSON YEARBOOK

The Wilson yearbook staff is hard at work creating the 2010 yearbook.

PRE-ORDER: If you have not yet reserved your copy, make sure to do so before the price goes up at the beginning of the new year. Books can be pre-ordered with the bookkeeper or by visiting <http://www.myyear.com/>.

SENIOR PARENTS: Looking for a great way to celebrate your senior's success? Have you considered a senior parent ad in the 2010 yearbook. If you have not yet been contacted by a Jr. Troyan staff member about this amazing opportunity, please contact Keith Higbee at teachhigbee@mac.com for details.

SENIORS: Now's the time for you and your friends to start thinking about putting together a half or full-page senior ad for the 2010 yearbook. Contact Mr. Higbee (rooms 137/214) at teachhigbee@mac.com, or talk to a Jr. Troyan staff member for details.

WHS 8TH GRADE FAMILY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 4

Eighth grade students and their parents are invited to attend this year's Wilson High School's Eighth Grade Family Night on February 4 at 7:00pm in the Wilson Auditorium. Questions, contact Erica Meyers at emeyers@pps.k12.or.us.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR WILSON PLANT AND ORGANIC VEGETABLE SALE

This year the Wilson PTA is resurrecting the Wilson Plant and Organic Vegetable Sale in **May, 2010**, thanks to the efforts of Jaci Evans ('02, '05, '07 alumni parent), Linda Doyle ('05 alumni parent) and Karen Russell, (freshman parent). We know that it is early, but we wanted to let you know ahead of time so that you can mark your calendars. Ninety percent of the proceeds from your order will go directly to your favorite group/program at Wilson. The Wilson PTA will receive the remaining 10% of all proceeds. If you would like **your group/program to receive proceeds** from the plant sale, send your name, group name/program name, and contact information to Linda Doyle at: lsdoyle@earthlink.net **by December 15**. Plant **orders will be due** to Wilson plant sale coordinators by **early April (exact date to follow)**. The New Leaf Greenhouse will **deliver our orders** to Wilson on **Friday, May 7 at noon**. This is one week before Mother's Day, so plan ahead. These are great presents for Mother's Day. We will also need help in May on the day of the distribution to unload the truck, separate orders, help hand out orders, and then cleanup. This is a lot of fun and a great way to catch up with old friends and make some new ones. So if you would like to help, contact Linda Doyle at lsdoyle@earthlink.net.

DONATE YOUR USED STUDENT CLOTHING AT WILSON!

The Center is currently in need of little boys (size 5x- 8ish) jeans/pants! 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, Hillside Library.

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/mailling 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

Daily Bulletin Submissions has a change of email address. Faculty, staff, students and parents: 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.

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2ND ANNUAL HAYHURST/ODYSSEY ALL-SCHOOL POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER, UNTIL NOVEMBER 10

This year Hayhurst/Odyssey is offering Red and White Poinsettias in two sizes by New Leaf Greenhouse, a great local nursery. These beautiful red and white poinsettias are a perfect gift for friends, neighbors, families, co-workers, teachers, classrooms and are a fantastic way to brighten up your home or office for the Holidays! By supporting this fundraiser, YOU will make a great difference and feel good about supporting Hayhurst/Odyssey PTA fund to help enrich the lives of our young children! 6" plants are \$12 ea. and 8" plants are \$22 ea. Order forms are available in the Hayhurst office starting October 26 and on the school's website. Orders are due to Hayhurst office no later than November 10. Poinsettia pick-up is December 3 from 1-4:00pm at Hayhurst School. This event is open to the public. Questions: contact Shannon Weiland at shannon@scubed.net.

HILLSDALE NEIGHBORHOOD CLEANUP, NOVEMBER 14

Join friends at the Hillsdale Food Front for the next Hillsdale Neighborhood Clean-up on Saturday, November 14, from 9:00am to 10:00am. Help clean up trash in the immediate neighborhood and afterwards sit on the patio at Food Front and have free coffee and treats.

SKI AND SNOWBOARD SWAP, NOVEMBER 14 & 15

The Grant and Cleveland High School ski teams are sponsoring a ski and snowboard equipment swap as a fundraiser. WHEN: Saturday, November 14 from Noon to 5:00pm; and Sunday, November 15 from 10:00am to 2:00pm. WHERE: The Mt. Shop, NE Broadway and 7th Ave., Portland. Admission: \$2 per person or \$5 for the whole family. WHAT: Great deals on ski and snowboard equipment and winter weather clothing and gear. You can buy new or used gear or (barely used) demo models and sell your old gear on commission. All proceeds benefit the Grant & Cleveland HS Ski Teams. Questions, contact Janis Adler at janisadler@g.com.

ANNUAL CHANUKAH GIFT FAIR, NOVEMBER 15

Mark your calendar for the upcoming Annual Chanukah Gift Fair, Sunday November 15 from 9:00am – 4:00pm at Neveh Shalom, 2900 SW Peaceful Lane, off Beaverton-Hillsdale Hwy. Shop. Schmooze. Eat. Support the local vendors in our community. Thank you, Portland Chapter of Hadassah.

CANNED FOOD DRIVE, NOVEMBER 16 - 30

[Neighborhood House](#), a local non-profit social service agency is partnering with Starbucks for a canned food drive. Ten local Starbucks, including the Starbucks in Hillsdale, will hold a canned food drive from November 16 - November 30 to benefit Neighborhood House. Annually, Neighborhood House serves over 12,000 individuals through their programs helping families succeed by reducing hunger and homelessness, helping children succeed in school, and helping seniors maintain their independence. Donations of canned food will benefit Neighborhood House's Emergency Food Box Program that currently provides 450 food boxes a month, feeding approximately 1,400 people. Next time you go to Starbucks, let's help feed the hungry in our community by donating canned food. Together we can make a difference.

SCREENING "INGREDIENTS" DOCUMENTARY FILM AT MAPLEWOOD, NOVEMBER 13

Maplewood ES is hosting a special fundraising screening of INGREDIENTS, a feature documentary film about the local food movement. This one night only screening will serve as a fundraiser where 100 percent of the proceeds go directly to Maplewood School. Mark your calendar for November 13, 7:00pm at the Maplewood Gym. Tickets \$6 in advance, \$8 at the door. INGREDIENTS is a film about the journey that reveals the passion and the people behind the movement to bring good food back to the table and health back to our communities.

HILLSDALE LIBRARY, TAPESTRY OF TALES, NOVEMBER 17

Tales of Wonder and Wisdom: An Evening with Rafe Martin, 6:30–7:30 p.m. Hillsdale Library. An author and a storyteller, Rafe Martin draws on a range of stories that delve deeply into myth and the mysterious realms of the imagination. His stories draw from complex and evocative Irish love tales and myths, original tales of the Animal Dreaming, stories of the Buddhist tradition, eerie Japanese ghostly tales as well as powerful Native American narratives. Join Rafe for an evening of insight and surprises—expect laughter, magic, mystery, love, anguish, and vivid exploration. Read about Rafe Martin. Recommended for teens and adults. Admission is FREE, but space is limited. Tickets will be given out 30 minutes before the event is scheduled to begin.

HILLSDALE LIBRARY, TAPESTRY OF TALES, NOVEMBER 21

Family Matinee, 11 a.m. Will Hornyak at Hillsdale Library. Formerly a journalist, Will Hornyak traveled widely through Peru, Bolivia, Chile, Argentina and Venezuela. While there, he was influenced by Latin American folk culture, music, poetry and storytelling. Studying mythology, drama, storytelling and performing in San Francisco, Seattle and Portland, Hornyak developed a repertoire of over 60 traditional and original stories for performance. A strong advocate for storytelling as a tool in personal and social empowerment, he teaches in the Portland area and performs throughout the United States. Recommended for ages 5 and up. Recommended for ages 5 and up. Admission is FREE, but space is limited. Tickets will be given out 30 minutes before the event is scheduled to begin.

THE PORTLAND BALLET HOLIDAY PERFORMANCE, NOVEMBER 27-28

Our good neighbors, The Portland Ballet will be performing their holiday class La Boutique Fantasque to LIVE accompaniment by the Portland State University Orchestra, November 27 & 28, 2:30pm & 7:30pm at the Newmark Theatre. For tickets go to: <http://theportlandballet.org/Tickets/index.htm>.

PORTLAND PLAN WORKSHOP, DECEMBER 7

The City of Portland is holding a series of workshop of the City's strategic plan for the next 25 years. One workshop will be held at Wilson High School on December 7 from 6:30 to 9:00pm. Come join your neighbors to discuss challenges, define priorities, and guide investments for the future.

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WILSON BAND PERFORMANCES/CONCERTS

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

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!

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](#).

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

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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

NOVEMBER

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, Wilson auditorium 7pm

15 The Children's Hour by Lillian Hellman, Wilson auditorium, 2pm

17 Fall Sports Awards 7pm

19-20-21 The Children's Hour by Lillian Hellman, Wilson auditorium, 7pm

21 WAVE choir, 20-minute pre-symphony performance @ Arlene Schnitzer concert hall, 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 The Wilson OneAct Festival, a Wilson Thespians event, Wilson's Studio 108, 7pm

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 Trojanantics 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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