



Wilson Spotlight

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B, Periods 5-8

This issue is a combined Spotlight/Bulletin

BELL SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 28 – OCTOBER 2

Monday, September 28: B
Tuesday, September 29: A
Wednesday, September 30: B
Thursday, October 1: A/Tutor Time
Friday, October 2: B/Tutor Time

BELL SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 5 – 9

Monday, October 5: A
Tuesday, October 6: B
Wednesday, October 7: A/Early Dismissal
Thursday, October 8: B
Friday, October 9: No School

****** DAILY BULLETIN ******

COLLEGE VISITS AT WILSON THIS WEEK

Sign up for college visits in Naviance and don't forget to print out the confirmation page to give to your teacher. To log into Naviance, go to the Wilson website, scroll down to the bottom of the homepage and click on the Naviance icon. Log in to your account. Go to the college tab to see a list of all colleges who are signed up to come so far—colleges are still signing up, so keep checking back. Click on the specific college to sign up for the visit. If you don't know your login come in to the counseling office.

HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE: Monday, September 28, 9:53 am
SEATTLE PACIFIC UNIVERSITY: Monday, September 28, 12:45 pm
OBERLIN COLLEGE: Tuesday, September 29, 8:15 am
PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY: Tuesday, September 29, 9:53 am
CARROLL COLLEGE: Tuesday, September 29, 12:04 pm
SOUTHERN OREGON UNIVERSITY: Tuesday, September 29, 1:42 pm
HAWAII PACIFIC UNIVERSITY: Wednesday, September 30, 9:53 am
AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE: Wednesday, September 30, 12:04 pm
THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE: Thursday, October 1, 12:51 pm

The following colleges will be at Jesuit HS on Sunday, October 4, at 7:00 pm:

EMORY UNIVERSITY
THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL
UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

ATHLETICS

Go to wilsonathletics.com for complete sports schedules.

Monday, September 28

Football vs Franklin: JV @ Wilson, 7:00

Boys Soccer vs Franklin : JV2 @ Gabriel Park, 4:15; bus 3:15, release 3:00

Girls Soccer vs Tigard: JV2 @ Tigard, 5:30, bus 3:45

Tuesday, September 29

Volleyball vs Cleveland: Varsity @ Cleveland, 6:30; bus 3:30; JV & JV2 @ Cleveland, 5:00; bus 3:30

Girls Soccer vs Benson: Varsity @ Buckman, 6:00; bus 4:30; No JV game

Boys Soccer vs Benson: Varsity @ Wilson, 7:00; JV @ Gabriel Park, 4:15; bus 2:55, release 2:40

Wednesday, September 30

Cross Country Meet @ Fernhill: 4:00; all buses 2:30, release 2:15

Boys Soccer vs Lincoln: JV2 @ Delta Park, 4:00; 3:00 vans/cabs, release 2:45

Girls Soccer vs Lincoln: JV2 @ Gabriel, 4:15; bus 3:30

Thursday, October 1

Girls Soccer vs Grant: Varsity @ Grant, 4:15; bus 2:45, release 2:30; JV @ Rose City, 4:15; bus 2:45, release 2:30

Boys Soccer vs Grant : Varsity @ Wilson, 7:00; JV @ Wilson, 5:00

Volleyball vs Madison & Lincoln: Varsity @ Lincoln, 4:00 & approx. 5:30; bus 2:45, release 2:30; JV @ Wilson, 5:00 and approx. 7:00; JV2 @ Madison, 5:00 & 7:00; bus 2:20, release 2:06 (end of last period)

Friday, October 2

Football vs Roosevelt: Varsity @ Jefferson, 7:30, bus 5:00; Frosh @ Jefferson, 4:30; bus 3:00, release 2:40

Saturday, October 3

Volleyball Tournament JV @ Lake Oswego, 8:00am; bus 7:00am

Volleyball Tournament JV2 @ Lakeridge High School, 8:00am; bus 7:00am

ACTING FOR THE CAMERA WORKSHOP, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 4:00PM

Student Actors: WHS Drama/SouthWest StageWorks is hosting representatives from the New York Conservatory for Dramatic Arts for this workshop. If you'd like to participate with these fine folks, please contact Mr. Miller to sign up!

REPRESENTATIVES FROM ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY'S HERBERGER INSTITUTE FOR DESIGN AND THE ARTS VISIT MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2:00PM

Student Artists: If you are considering studies in Visual Art, Design, or Performing Arts, this is a great opportunity to hear what it takes to be a part of that work at the pre-professional level. This session is open to all aspiring professional artists, and arrangements should be made with your 8th-period teacher to accommodate. Join us in the Drama room (108).

PERFORMING & VISUAL ARTS COLLEGE FAIR, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 7-9:00PM

Meet admissions representatives from colleges around the country at this event held at the Portland Art Museum Mark Building at 1219 SW Park Avenue. Free and open to the public. Go to <http://www.nacacnet.org/college-fairs/PVA-College-Fairs/Pages/Portland.aspx> for more information.

MEN'S BASKETBALL INFORMATIONAL MEETING, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

We will meet in the gym at the beginning of lunch.

POWDERTUFF MEETING, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, AT LUNCH IN ROOM 134

All Junior and Senior girls interested in playing in the Powdertuff Game, please attend.

YEARBOOK SENIOR PORTRAITS

Deadline for Senior Portraits is December 18th. New this year : Yearbook photographers will take your Senior Portraits for \$30. Contact (503) 730-0722 if interested.

ORDER YEARBOOKS ONLINE

<http://shop.balfour.com/smi62107/catalog/category/view/s/yearbook-and-accessories/id/312795/>

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Pick up school photos at lunch, during tutor time, or after school. If you haven't ordered yet but have had a picture taken, come pick up the "proof" packet—it has the ordering information you need.

FOLLOW WILSON'S MAGAZINE, THE TROJAN HORSE

On Twitter [@whstrojanhorse](#); On Instagram [@whstrojanhorse](#). Use the hashtag #whshorse and send us your pictures. This month's theme: Out 'n About.

CAREER RELATED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Police Cadet and Portland Fire & Rescue Explorer Programs are now accepting applications. See Ms. Morgan in room 221 or go to their websites:

Police Cadet Program: <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/police/article/420436>

Portland Fire & Rescue Program: <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/fire/58421>

The Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce School to Work program facilitates career-related learning experiences (CRLEs) for high school students. The following career days are available to PPS students:

Aviation Career Day on October, 20th

Sport Services Career Day on October, 27th

Veterinary Career Day on October, 29th

For more information and to register please visit: <https://hillsborochamberor.com/stw.html>

OPPORTUNITY FOR RESUME-BUILDING/COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Markham Elementary is looking for student volunteers to help out at their yearly Carnival on October 29, from 5:30-8:30pm. Help set up games, help kids play games, and take-down at the end of the event. Contact Stephanie at sichaus@hotmail.com or call/text 503-246-0993 to sign up.

OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 2015-2016 UNITED STATES SENATE YOUTH PROGRAM

A unique educational experience for outstanding high school students interested in pursuing careers in public service; open to Juniors and Seniors. Application deadline is **October 23, 2015**. For more information, visit <http://www.ode.state.or.us/search/page/?id=1496> or contact Felicia Bechtoldt at (503) 947-5801.

Two student leaders from Oregon will spend a week in Washington, DC, attend major policy addresses by Senators, cabinet members, officials from the Departments of State and Defense and directors of other federal agencies, and participate in a meeting with a Justice of the US Supreme Court. Transportation, hotel and meal expenses will be provided by the Hearst Foundations; each delegate will also be awarded a \$5,000 College Scholarship for undergraduate studies, with encouragement to pursue coursework in history and political science.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Look in this space every Monday for the latest scholarships. For more details and application instructions, go to the Financial Aid and Scholarships page of the Wilson website (<http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/312.htm>)

AES ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP: Apply by October 7, 2015

COMCAST LEADERS AND ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP: Submit a resume to Julie Fleming in counseling by Thursday, October 22, 2015

KAISER PERMANENTE HEALTH CARE CAREER SCHOLARSHIP: Apply online at www.kp.org/communitybenefit/scholarship/nw by January 13, 2016.

ACF VISIONARY SCHOLARSHIP: Apply online at http://www.americancollegefoundation.org/college_planning/registr.aspx by April 1st, 2016. Grades 9-12 may apply.

****** WILSON SPOTLIGHT ******

****EVENTS****

PTA MEETING, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 7:00PM IN THE LIBRARY

COFFEE & CONVERSATION: OCTOBER 2, WILSON AUDITORIUM FOYER, 9:15AM

Join us for an informal and informative discussion with Mike Easton (Athletic Director) and Morgan McFadden (Language Arts Teacher/Activities Director) on the topics of Athletics, Title IX, Athletics Budget, Clubs and Activities. The next Coffee & Conversation will be October 16.

COLLEGE INFO NIGHT, OCTOBER 6, WILSON CAFETERIA, 7PM

Our annual College Information Night is coming soon! Please mark your calendars (and phones) and plan to be there on Tuesday, October 6, at 7pm. We end at 8:30 and you can attend up to three workshops. We have a special workshop for students and families in the 9th and 10th grades, which will be very helpful for planning and understanding the big picture. We will have the following additional workshops: Public University Admissions, Private College Admissions, Two-Year College Options, College Essay Writing, Choosing a College, College Interviews and Visits, and How to Minimize Tuition and Maximize Financial Aid.

We will meet in the cafeteria at 7pm and then move to workshops from there.

Our families find this helpful every year! Please share this information with other Wilson families. We apologize in advance for conflicts. Unfortunately, there are no nights where there are no other events. This is a night when half the family goes to a game and the other half comes to College Info Night.

****ANNOUNCEMENTS****

IMPORTANT ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

If your student has been absent for a legitimate reason (illness, doctor's appointment, etc.), please clear the absence with the attendance office within two days of the student's return to school. Unexcused absences will be referred to the Dean and may result in referral to Saturday School. Absences may be cleared with a note, phone call or email from the parent or guardian. See [Attendance Policies and Procedures](#) at the Wilson website for more information.

ALL WILSON SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS WILL TAKE THE PSAT ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

Why take the PSAT? Students who take the PSAT score higher on the SAT. And, when you take the PSAT you get free access to the My College Quick Start online college-and-career planning tool.

Why should Juniors study for the PSAT? Only junior-year PSAT scores count for the National Merit Scholarship Program!

For more information on the PSAT and a complete list of study resources, go to the [PSAT](#) page of the Wilson website.

SHADOW PROGRAM FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

Spend a day attending classes with a Wilson student to get an up-close and personal look at life in high school. Shadowing opportunities are offered October through April. Go to the Wilson website [About Us](#) page for more information and to sign up.

WILSON RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE COMING IN OCTOBER

From Wilson senior Elle Sandifer: "Next month, Wilson is working with the Red Cross to host a blood drive and I am reaching out to the Wilson community to see if anyone is able and would like to donate blood. The drive will be in Wilson's foyer from 8am-2pm on Tuesday, October 27th. Donating blood is a great and easy way to give back to your community. Each donation can save up to three lives! If this interests you or your family, please sign up in the main office at Wilson, or email me with questions at ecsandifer@gmail.com."

ALL FAMILIES OF STUDENTS IN CLUBS OR FALL ATHLETICS: IT'S TIME TO JOIN WILSON BOOSTERS

The Wilson Trojan Booster Club is an organization committed to supporting all school-related activities, clubs, programs and special events at Wilson High School. When you join Boosters and volunteer at school events, you are demonstrating your commitment and community service to our children. And you will make friends! And you will have fun! So, please, join our organization and volunteer as these are great ways to support our students, meet parents and raise school spirit with the community. We are always open to your suggestions, ideas and energy to create an organization that helps create an outstanding supportive environment where all students can find their voice or their passion.

Please follow the link to the registration form, fill it out and send it in to the school office with your dues today: <http://www.wilsonboosterclub.com/membership.html>. The Wilson Boosters Club needs YOU!!

BOOSTERS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Concession volunteering is fun and easy, and all revenue goes back to all students. If we don't have volunteers to staff the concessions booth, that means we have no proceeds to distribute to student clubs and groups, so please volunteer! When you sign up, be sure to note the club/group/sport you are representing (groups requesting Boosters funds must have volunteer hours to receive funding). Contact Wilson Trojan Booster Club at wilsonboosterspdx@gmail.com or see the website at www.wilsonboosterclub.com if you have questions.

Upcoming dates, concessions volunteers needed; click on the link to sign up: <http://vols.pt/zLYCmC>.

Thursday, October 1

JV Volleyball, 4pm-6pm, Gym Shack

Monday, October 5

JV Football, 7pm-9pm, Track Shack

Wednesday, October 7

JV & JV2 Volleyball, 5pm-7pm, Gym Shack

Thursday, October 8

Freshman Football, 4:30pm-6:30pm, Track Shack

Monday, October 12

JV Football, 7pm-9pm, Track Shack

Tuesday, October 13

Women's Varsity Soccer, 7pm-8:30pm, Track Shack

Wednesday, October 14

PowderPuff Football, 7pm-8:30pm, Track Shack

Thursday, October 15

JV & JV2 Volleyball, 5pm-6:30pm, Gym Shack
Varsity Volleyball, 6:30pm - 8:30pm, Gym Shack
Women's JV Soccer, 5pm - 6:45pm, Track Shack

ATTENTION SENIOR PARENTS

The PTA Grad Night 2016 is a drug, alcohol, tobacco and weapon free, all night celebration for the graduates of Wilson High School that begins right after graduation on June 8th. The event is a wonderful night of fun activities, food, and memories our students will keep for years to come. Registration is now open at www.WilsonGradNight.com. Scholarships are available.

THE ROTARY CLUB YOUTH EXCHANGE STILL LOOKING FOR HOST FAMILIES FOR 2015/2016 SCHOOL YEAR

Rotary exchange students stay with three different families over the school year so the host family commitment is for about 3.5 months. This is a wonderful way to learn about another culture and to share your home and family, as well as your activities and traditions with a student from another country. Exchange students are at Wilson High School for the entire school year so we are looking for families that live in the Wilson area. Host families can be people with students at Wilson, people with younger kids in the Wilson area, people who have older kids no longer living at home, retirees, etc. Host families provide a room for the student, and share meals, family activities, chores and fun with the exchange student. This can be an incredible learning experience and lead to a lifelong friendship. For more information please call Delanie Paasche at 503-246-5009 or email delaniedelimont@gmail.com.

****COMMUNITY******CLOPTON TO BE INDUCTED INTO HALL OF FAME "TIMES TWO"**

Coach Mike Clopton will be inducted into the PIL Hall of Fame and the Oregon High School Baseball Coaches Hall of Fame this fall. Ticket information is listed below if you would like to attend.

OREGON HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES HALL OF FAME

Saturday, November 7th, at the Holiday Inn in Wilsonville. Dinner & Banquet at 7:00pm. No-host social at 6:00pm. Tickets are \$50 per person. Tables are set for 10. How to get tickets: Send check payable to: OHSBCA, c/o Kevin Clopton, D. P Nicoli, 19600 SW Cipole Rd., Tualatin, 97062. Contact Kevin if you need additional information, kclopton@dpnicoli.com or 503-209-6973. October 29th is ticket purchase deadline.

If you are unable to attend but would like to honor Coach Clopton, you can send a tax-deductable contribution to Wilson Baseball, 1151 SW Vermont, Portland, 97219 or contact Jeremy Shetler, Wilson Dean of Students and Head Baseball Coach: jshetler@pps.net.

ADVERTISE WITH WILSON FOOTBALL

Wilson football is a top-notch football program with new and exciting things occurring. We recently installed a new turf field, are adding a new concession stand that will be ready by the season, and strengthened our coaching staff at all 3 levels. Regarding sponsorship opportunities, our two main areas are still our home game media guides and sign display banners that are hung on the stadium fence. In addition to the media guide and banner sponsorship opportunities, which we have listed in 3 different package options, we also have additional items that can be purchased via a la cart listing, such as being a sponsor on our Portland SportsBeat live-stream radio broadcast, our website, PA announcements, game ball sponsors, etc. Please look it over and you will see there is something that fits everybody. Having a strong business community that supports our football program is mutually beneficial for us as well as the SW Portland Community. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Wilson Football Sponsor please reach out to Sponsor Coordinator Kelsey McCauley for an order form or let her know if there is more information that you need in order to make a decision. Attached is the pricing plan for the media guide, banners, a la cart options, and sponsorship packages. We appreciate your consideration and hope you can join us in supporting the players of the Wilson High School Football Program.

Thanks for supporting Wilson football, we are looking forward to a great season. Go Trojans! Sponsor Coordinator Kelsey McCauley, Email: k.mccauley16@gmail.com, Phone: 503.348.9148. Be sure to like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter. Please visit our website for the latest Wilson Football news - www.trojantdc.com.

****CONNECTIONS****

ALL THINGS WILSON

Be sure to visit the Wilson website at: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/> to find many useful resources for parents and students including:

- Event, activity, and holiday listings on the Wilson calendar
- Online student research tools
- Links to the Daily Bulletin and past issues of the Wilson Spotlight
- Counseling Department
- How to get involved with PTA, Boosters, or Foundation
- How to order scrip (http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/scrip_4_15.pdf.)

WHS DAILY BULLETIN

Send to vfriedman@pps.net.

HAVE GOOD NEWS TO SHARE?

Send the details to Valeurie Friedman at vfriedman@pps.net.

FOLLOW WILSON LEADERSHIP ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Twitter: [@wilson_trojans](https://twitter.com/wilson_trojans)

Instagram: [wilson_trojans](https://www.instagram.com/wilson_trojans)

Facebook: [Wilson Leadership](https://www.facebook.com/WilsonLeadership)

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ALUMNI NEWS

Wilson High School official alumni website: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com>

ALUMNI CLASS REUNIONS

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

WILSON GRADUATES WHO HAVE SERVED OR ARE SERVING IN MILITARY

To add your name and information to the archive of Wilson Military Graduates, click on this link: <http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html>

WILSON SPORTS SCHEDULES

<http://www.wilsonathletics.com>

For late-breaking athletics schedule changes, go directly to [pilathletics.com](http://www.pilathletics.com).

WEATHER & EMERGENCY CLOSURE

With winter weather fast approaching, all the information you need to know about weather related school closures, sign up for alerts and how the district makes their decision is available at <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/departments/student-transportation/1404.htm>.

FACULTY/STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

If you would like to contact faculty or staff at Wilson go to <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/>.

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