

WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL DAILY BULLETIN

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Monday, December 8, 2014

Bell Schedule for December 8 – 12:

Skinny Monday 12/8: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Tuesday 12/9: 1, 2, 3, 4
Wednesday 12/10: 5, 6, 7, 8
Thursday 12/11: 1, Tutor Time, 2, 3, 4
Friday 12/12: 5, 6, 7, 8

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Skinny

Bell Schedule for December 15 – 19:

Skinny Monday 12/15: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Tuesday 12/16: 1, 2, 3, 4
2 Hour Late Opening - Wednesday 12/17: 5, 6, 7, 8
Thursday 12/18: 1, Tutor Time, 2, 3, 4
Friday 12/19: 5, 6, 7, 8

College Visits – College Center Rm. 220

Sign up for the visits on Naviance - See Mrs. Dailey in Counseling with questions.

Concordia University – Portland – Tuesday, December 9 @ 12:04

University of Oregon – Tuesday, December 9 2 1:42

Athletics

Tuesday, Dec 9

Boys Basketball – vs. Westview at Wilson. Varsity 7:30, JV 5:45, Freshmen 4:15.

Wednesday, Dec 10

Wrestling – Frosh/Novice @ Wilson 6:00.

A.M. speed, agility, quickness and core training for those out-of-season athletes who are interested starts **TODAY** @ 7:15 a.m. Trainings will continue every Monday and Wednesday. See Coach MacDicken in Rm. 232. [MacDicken]

Students

Club group photos are being taken on December 9th, 10th, and 11th during lunch in the foyer. If your club doesn't get your photo taken on one of these dates, your club won't have a group photo in the yearbook. Be there!! [Yearbook Staff]

Grad Night Party News

PARENTS OF SENIORS:

PTA Grad Night 2015 Committee is meeting TONIGHT at 7:00 p.m. in the WHS staff lounge. We need your help! Come to the meeting and hear how you can get involved – everyone is welcome to help plan for the 2015 Grad Night. Our goal is to have parents of all participants volunteer their time and talent at least a little bit. There are many things to accomplish to give our kids the best event possible. Please consider how you can help. Questions? Contact Co-Chairs Lori Lieberman at duckler@comcast.net or Maralyn Smart at maralynbelgique@gmail.com

Everyone

Please Help Wilson Families in need this Holiday! This year we have 10 Wilson families who would like some help to brighten their holidays. You can help in the Following ways:

Buy a Gift Card (Scrip gives a percentage back to WHS) for food and/or clothes. We want parents to be able to buy clothes in the right size, style and color preference for their children to ensure their happiness!

Give cash or check to office.

Give Food - we want every WHS family to be fed!

You can help with GIFT CARDS by:

If you purchase the gift card through scrip, our bookkeeper, Megan, will make sure the gift card is given to our organizers (Key Club and Counseling Department are collaborating together on this effort).

If you purchase a gift card on your own, please drop this off in the counseling department with Sharon Dailey or with bookkeeper Megan Meisner by 12/15/2014.

You can help with FOOD by:

Please bring in non-perishable (the donation boxes are by the main office) easy to make meals including foods which go together:

Spaghetti - noodles plus sauce

Macaroni and Cheese

Canned Tuna plus Tuna Helper

Chili/Soup plus crackers

Canned chicken plus Zatrain's

Peanut butter plus honey and/or jam

Individual apple sauce or other fruit cups

Pancake mix plus syrup

Instant oatmeal packages

Cup-a-noodles

Cold Cereal

[Thank you for your support! WHS Counseling Department]

Every year Wilson High School has the opportunity to **raise money for the Community Transitional School**, which deals with children whose parents have been incarcerated, to help provide them with needed materials to give them a proper education, welfare, and improve their life in general. For 20 years now, Wilson Leadership has been fundraising with joint help from the Sheriff's department to give these kids a holiday party that they could never have on their own. Wilson Parents, Winter fundraising had begun this year and we are looking for donations to help us give the Community Transitional School not only the best holiday party ever, but also give them an environment to learn, laugh, and achieve. Our school has put together specific fundraisers to help us raise money and items for the Community Transitional School:

*Irresistibles: A boy and girl from each class sell beads for \$1 each, the class with the most beads sold earns a special prize.

*Holiday Hollas: Send a special message to a friend or colleague with the aid of a Holiday Holla during class time! Comes with a candy cane!! And who doesn't love candy canes?!

*Senior Auction: On December 12th, gracious seniors auction up their talents to underclassmen, their talents range from baking cookies to taking the kid out to lunch.

*Gold Suits: These people, decked out in gold spandex, roam the halls and accept donations from grateful students. Donations can range from a penny to \$20!!

- *Clothing Drive: Organized with the elementary schools, clothes are gathered (preferably new or not worn down) to provide much needed winter clothing items to the school.
- *Teacher Competition: A new addition this year, 4 buckets with a teacher`s name on it and students put in money to fundraise, the teacher with the most money in their jar has to wear a gorilla suit for an entire day!!
- *Nike Clothes: During Lunch in front of room 118, limited and special nike clothes are being sold for extremely discounted prices, better than anything you will find on Black Friday, perfect for looking for Holiday gifts as the clothes are brand new!!
- *Straight up Donations: In the office, there is a bin in which spare change and a few dollars can be placed in to directly donate to the Community Transitional School. Anything helps!!

Wilson High School Leadership thanks you for taking your time to read this and hopes you can make a contribution to the Community Transitional School and brighten a smile this holiday season!!

Opportunity to host high school student Carlos from Spain

Carlos attends Wilson High School and we are seeking a new host family for him starting around Jan. 24th. He enjoys rowing, tennis and skiing as well as music and photography. He is an excellent student, likes dogs and pizza. And he knows how to cook Spanish crepes. A host family can be any combination family, single parent or retiree. Hosts provide a place to sleep, study, and share family meals, chores and family activities. He is available any time in January. This is a chance to learn about another culture and share your Oregon with a host son from Spain. Program of Academic Exchange, US State Dept. approved. Contact Mimi Sanders 503-293-6195 mimisandersart@hotmail.com [Sanders]

Opportunities

Are you interested in helping people? Then this career day is for you! Students will hear about **Mercy Corps** careers and departments, learn about community development practices, engage in team activities, and design a program. Mercy Corps is a global aid agency engaged in helping people that have experienced some sort of shock: natural disaster, economic collapse, or conflict. Mercy Corps helps more than 16.7 million people each year recover from disasters, build stronger communities and find their own solutions to poverty. The career day is open to 11th and 12 graders and will take place on **Thursday December 11**, from 9:00-2:00. Please talk to Mrs. Morgan in room 221 for the application.

Are you a 9-11th grader? **Are you interested in a career as a scientist, doctor, engineer or technologist?** Then you should come to the ASE summer internship information session in the library on **Wednesday, February 4th** at 7pm! ASE matches scientists, engineers and technology innovators with smart students like you for 8 week internships over the summer. ASE is a great way to improve your college application, and students can get school credit and a \$1,000 stipend! For more information and to apply now visit: www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE. I look forward to seeing all you science and engineering enthusiasts in the library on Wednesday, February 4th at 7pm.

Scholarships Check Naviance for scholarships this year – best place to stay informed!

******Look for Scholarships in the Monday issues of the bulletin**** (others as space allows)**

AXA Achievement Scholarship. Due December 15, 2014 (limited applicants so apply early). Award: \$10,000. For more information and to apply <https://us.axa.com/axa-foundation/AXA-achievement-scholarship.html>

NFIB Young Entrepreneur Foundation Scholarship – Due December 18th, 2014; Award: \$1,000-15,000

Seniors: you must be entering a 2- or 4-year college in 2015 and own/operate an established business.

Apply online: www.nfib.com/yea

2015 Prindle Institute High School Essay Contest – Due January 10th, 2015. Awards – (5) \$300.00

Criteria: All grades 9-12 can apply, Write an essay on: Should the United States enact travel bans to regions with Ebola outbreaks? Word limit: 2,000. To apply and see rules: <http://www.prindlepost.org/highschoolessay/>

Kaiser Health & Care Career Scholarship, Due: January 14, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. PST, Awards: \$2,000, 5,000, & 10,000. Criteria: Must be a graduating senior, pursuing a career in a medical or dental health care field, have at least a 2.5 GPA, and going to attend a 2 or 4-year college ******ONE STUDENT FROM WILSON WILL GET THIS SCHOLARSHIP!!!!**

Apply online: www.kp.org/communitybenefit/scholarship/nw

Al Forthan Memorial Scholarship, Due: February 2nd, 2015, Award: \$10,000. Criteria: Must be a graduating senior who comes from a family affected by alcohol or drug addiction. Affected by addiction means you have been raised by a parent or guardian who has experienced addiction or you have abused alcohol or drugs and are now pursuing recovery. *Essay information can be found in college center.*

The Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship, Due: February 15th, 2015, Award(s): up to \$24,000/4 years

Criteria: Must be a high school senior, minority student showing leadership potential/community service and demonstrating financial need to attend an accredited 4-year college or university. Student must have a minimum SAT score of 1,000 (math and critical reading) or a composite ACT score of 22.

For information and to apply: <http://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/general-applicants.php>

OREGON COMMUNITY QUARTERBACK SCHOLARSHIP – Due: 5:00pm on Monday, March 2, 2015; Awards: 10,000 (4). Criteria: Seniors who will be attending an Oregon university, college, or trade school in 2015/16 academic year, Complete SAT or ACT, Proof of Community Involvement/Volunteerism, Financial Need For more information and to apply: <http://harringtonfamilyfoundation.org/>

ACF Visionary Scholarship – Due: April 1st, 2015; Awards: \$1,000-\$5,000

Criteria: Any 9-12th grader can apply, financial need is NOT considered, must complete 500-word essay on “Why college is important to me” To apply and for more information: www.americancollegefoundation.org

The Christian Connector - FREE scholarship resource - over \$150 million in scholarships www.christianconnector.com

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards: deadlines vary by region. \$10 million in scholarships available. Grades 7-12 can participate. To apply and see deadlines: www.artandwriting.org

This issue of the Daily Bulletin is submitted by Sara Mattheisen. To have a notice printed in the Bulletin for the next school day, please leave your notice in the Main Office or email smatthei@pps.net by Noon. Items new today are in **bold**.

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Portland Public Schools recognizes the diversity and worth of all individuals and groups and their roles in society. All individuals and groups shall be treated with fairness in all activities, programs and operations, without regard to age, color, creed, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex, or sexual orientation. Board of Education Policy 1.80.020-P. Portland Public Schools is an equal opportunity educator and employer. Persons with disabilities or who are in need of additional accommodations in order to attend or participate in an event or program at Wilson High School should contact Maude Lamont, Curriculum VP, at 503.916.5280 or mlamont@pps.net.