

WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL DAILY BULLETIN

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Monday, December 15, 2014

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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

Wednesday 12/17: 5, 6, 7, 8 – **2 Hour Late Opening**

Thursday 12/18: 1, Tutor Time, 2, 3, 4

Friday 12/19: 5, 6, 7, 8

Winter Break: December 22 – January 4

Monday January 5: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

Tuesday January 6: 1, 2, 3, 4

Wednesday January 7: 5, 6, 7, 8

Thursday January 8: 1, Tutor Time, 2, 3, 4

Friday January 9: 5, 6, 7, 8

Athletics

Sat, Dec 13

Boys Basketball – vs. No. Medford @ Wilson. Varsity 1:30, JV 12.

JV2 vs LO 10:15. Frosh vs. Clackmas 3:30. All at Wilson.

Freshman Baseball players - TODAY, there will be an informational meeting in room 126 at 11:40am. Grab your lunch and bring a pencil. If you have questions, see Coach Shetler in 149. [Shetler]

Men's Tennis: Spring is coming, you gotta believe! Organizing meeting for everyone interested in coming out for the Wilson Men's Tennis team this year at lunch in Rm. 106 on Wednesday, December 17. [Boly]

Unified Basketball Team signups! Wilson's Unified Basketball team invites new students to join. Unified Sports is a program through Special Olympics where students with and without disabilities play on a team together. This is a rewarding way to practice your basketball skills, meet new people, and earn community service hours. No basketball skills are required, just attendance and a good attitude. If you have questions, e-mail Kendall Kracke at kendall.jms@gmail.com, or talk to Mr. LeFave in room 17. [Kracke]

Seniors

Need help filling out your FAFSA? PCC offers workshops: Sign-in is at 5:30 and info from 6-8pm

Monday, January 12, PCC-Cascade

Monday, January 13, PCC-Sylvania

Wednesday, January 14-PCC-Rock Creek

[Fleming]

Thinking about taking a year off before heading to college? Lincoln High School is hosting the Portland Gap Year Fair on Monday, January 26th 2015. There will be a speaker at 6 PM and a Fair from 6:30 – 8:30 PM in the cafeteria (lower level). [Fleming]

Grad Night News

Grad Night Electronics Recycling – Save your stuff and donate April 26th!

You know you'll get some fun new electronic gadgets over the holidays. Please **HOLD ON TO YOUR OLD STUFF** and donate them on April 26th to support a fun and safe Grad Night Party. For a small donation, we'll take all kinds of things off your hands and will see they get fully recycled! Partial list of items accepted include: cell phones, cameras and laptops to monitors, ink cartridges, printers, TVs, stereos, and even as large as washers, dryers and ovens! Questions? Contact Wendi Makuch jsmakuch@comcast.net

Everyone

Winter Formal is coming up in about a month on the 10th of January and we are looking for about 12

chaperones! We will need people for coat and ticket check and monitoring the dance. This year the dance is being held at the Tiffany Center downtown and will be from 7-10pm. We are asking that the chaperones arrive at around 6:30 and stay until 10. If you are interested please email wilsonhsleadership@gmail.com and we will send you a confirmation email and answer any additional questions! [Wilson Leadership]



Wilson Booster Annual Christmas Tree Sale on now at A-Boy on Barbur at Terwilliger. Saturdays and Sundays 10:00am to 5:00pm & Wednesdays thru Fridays 5:00 – 7:00pm. Find your perfect tree thru December 20.

It's that time of year again...**Winter Formal tickets are on sale now at lunch.** One for \$30 or Two for \$50. See the bookkeeper in Rm. 120. [Wright]

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.

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 student from each class sells 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 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)**

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

Foster Youth Scholarships

http://www.oregon.gov/dhs/children/fostercare/ind_living/ilp.shtml

<http://childrensactionnetwork.org/scholarship.htm>

www.oregonstudentaid.gov

<http://www.fc2success.org/programs/scholarships-and-grants/>

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