

Wilson Spotlight
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# WILSON PREMIERES NEW MUSICAL THRILLER, ABLAZE

Ablaze, a premiere musical by Matthew B. Zrebski

At an old abandoned high school on the outskirts of town, a group of loitering teenagers is suddenly surrounded by fire as the walls burn fast around them. They find a hole in a corner of the gymnasium floor. They jump in. They survive the flames. Then they realize...they are not alone...and someone is watching. As their nineteen days of captivity progress, personal demons and vendettas emerge with ferocity, forcing them to either turn forever against each other...or fight for survival. Based on his 2004 play, playwright and composer Matthew B. Zrebski has created a new version of his claustrophobic exploration of teenagers under the eye of a monstrous predator they can't see. Commissioned by the Wilson High School Drama Department in association with Playwrights West, this musical adaptation features 23 teenaged performers. Almost entirely sung with occasional percussive sounds and rhythmic spoken word, *Ablaze* is a bold experiment in musical theatre, and an unapologetic look at the lives of adolescents the issues they must face.

Location: Cosgrove Auditorium; 1151 SW Vermont St; Portland, OR; 97219

Dates: November 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19 at 7:00pm; Matinee on November 13 at 2:00pm

Cost: \$16 General Admission / \$8 Students and Educators with ID, Advance tickets at:

http://wilsonthespians.blogspot.com/ or at the door.

### **WILSON BOOSTER CLUB NEWS**

We want to give a HUGE THANK YOU to all of our snack shack volunteers. You braved the heat and cold and wet to help us out and we appreciate it so much. We had a successful fall, selling concessions at the volleyball and football games. We hope that new faces will volunteer for winter concessions during men's and women's basketball as well as wrestling. There is also an opportunity to sell at the school play.

### SPEECH AND DEBATE RESULTS

Wilson had a great Speech and Debate tournament last weekend at Willamette University. Congratulations to **Chris Meabe** (top speaker in Lincoln-Douglas debate, 3rd place in radio, and quarter finalist in Lincoln-Douglas debate), **Natasha Baranow** (finalist in radio) and **Libby Morgan-Steiner** (finalist in impromptu and extemp). Thanks, Amy, for driving and judging! Wilson's next tournament is November 12th at Sprague High School in Salem. They practice every Tuesday in Room 143 after school, so feel free to drop by any time! They are always welcoming to new members.

## WOMEN'S AND MEN'S SOCCER HEAD TO PLAY-OFF, NOVEMBER 8

<u>Tuesday, November 8</u>
Women's Soccer play-off at Sherwood at 7:00 pm
Men's Soccer play-off vs. Crescent Valley. Time and location to be announced on Monday.

### RECENT GRADUATE JOINS USC WOMEN'S LACROSSE TEAM

**Ceara Leo** is a 2011 Wilson graduate. She is currently attending the University of Southern California (USC) and is now a member of their new Women's Lacrosse team. She plays midfield for USC, and her major is Industrial and Systems Engineering. Here is a link to her bio on the USC Trojans Official Athletic Website: <a href="http://www.usctrojans.com/sports/w-lacros/mtt/leo\_ceara00.html">http://www.usctrojans.com/sports/w-lacros/mtt/leo\_ceara00.html</a>. Congratulations to Ceara and her parents, **Gloria & Martin Leo**.

### LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL

The journey continues after graduation from Wilson for three siblings. **Ari Goodblatt '08** is a senior at the University of Oregon. His major is Political Science with a minor in Religion. While pursuing his degree he has also developed an interest in public relations (PR) work. He has had two internships, one in Israel and one in Denver working for different PR firms. Ari is thinking about moving to Washington, DC or New York after he is done with school. **Matan Goodblatt '10** took a gap year right after high school to work in Israel. He is a now a freshman at the University of Oregon, where he shares a house with some of his long time friends from Portland and Wilson. **Tamar Goodblatt '11** is a freshman at the University of Oregon. She lives in the dorms with a long time Wilson friend and fellow ex-cheerleader Hana Matsamoto. Tamar enjoys living on her own in college and meeting new people. According to their parents, **Raphael Goodblatt and Cynthia Pfeiffer**, all three students (Ari, Matan, and Tamar) enjoyed Wilson and are happy as they continue on this challenging but wonderful journey after high school. Keep up the good work Ari, Matan, and Tamar!

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YOU'RE INVITED TO 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL IN THE BAG: BENEFIT FOR THE ARTS, NOVEMBER 13
All the purses and bags have been collected. Now it's time to do some shopping. All to support the arts at Wilson High School ... every penny raised goes to choir, drama, band, orchestra and visual arts at Wilson. New, gently-used, vintage, designer and one-of-a-kind purses in every style, color and price! Everything priced to sell! Click on this link to see just a few of the special ones, there are hundreds and hundreds more: http://www.wilsonarts.org/IN THE BAG/Purses2011.htm.

## Pop-up Sale

Sunday, November 13 from 10am to 5pm at O'Connors @ The Vault in Multnomah Village Free admission, live music, complimentary wine/appetizers

Silent auction items donated by:

Portland Timbers GoalKeeper Troy Perkins • Mayor Sam Adams • Joan Rivers

Nicole "Snooki" Polizzi MTV Jersey Shore • Ivanka Trump • Christian Siriano Project Runway

Mary Sorteberg (wife of US Senator Jeff Merkley) • Gregory Parkinson national designer

Brian Grant retired Portland Trail Blazers • Ellington • Love, Margaux • Carol Risley Handbags

Hobo • Coach • Ferragamo • Kate Spade • Vera Bradley

New Seasons Market • Trader Joe's • Fine wines • and more!

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!

Questions: Linda (<u>Lsdoyle@earthlink.net</u>) or Jaci (<u>JLE184@comcast.net</u>).

### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY FOR PARENT**

Wilson's main office could use a parent volunteer to help out once a week.

Available Shifts: Monday afternoon- noon-3:30pm

Wednesday morning- 8:00-11:30am Friday mornings- 8:00-11:30am

This is a great opportunity to get to know Wilson staff, students and parents. Please contact Erica Meyers at <a href="mailto:emeyers@pps.net">emeyers@pps.net</a> if you are interested.

## **NEW! JOIN WILSON PTA ONLINE**

Join Wilson PTA today online with a credit card at:

https://wilsonhighschoolpta.tofinoauctions.com/joinpta/give. When you join, you send the message to all of our students that you care about their school. When you join, you join hundreds of other parents and community members. When you join, you support the work that PTA does at Wilson: the all-school Auction, Grad Night Party, the Student Directory, Parent Education Nights, and more. When you join, you become a voting member of the PTA and help decide our direction, budget, and policies.

Please see the PTA section of the Wilson website for more information about Wilson PTA. Contact Valeurie Friedman at: <a href="mailto:wilsonhighschoolpta@gmail.com">wilsonhighschoolpta@gmail.com</a> with questions.

### WILSON DANCERS SELLING LOCAL COUPON BOOKS

The Wilson Dancers are selling local coupon books until November 14! Please support us and purchase one for \$20! You get an online code with purchase to continue to save you \$\$! Please contact Coach Errin: <a href="mailto:bstamv@yahoo.com">bstamv@yahoo.com</a>. Don't wait, buy now!

### JOIN BOOK GROUP FOR TOM BROKAW'S THE GREATEST GENERATION

Wilson Librarian, Linda Campillo would like to start a book group involving students and possibly parents for Tom Brokaw's *The Greatest Generation*. Wilson is receiving free tickets to attend Mr. Brokaw's lecture on December 1st at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. The book contains the experiences and stories of World War II veterans. Anyone who is interested should contact Linda Campillo at: <a href="mailto:lcampillo@pps.net">lcampillo@pps.net</a>.

### **BOTTLES FOR THE BAND!**

The Wilson band will be having a bottle drive on Sunday, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>. If you have bottles and/or cans, we will be happy to take them off your hands! Please let any band member or Mr. Jolstead know if you'd like to donate.

### **WILSON EQUESTRIAN TEAM 2012 SEASON**

Our contact information is listed on the Wilson web site under "Clubs" under the menu "Athletics/Activities". If you are interested please contact Mike Tabor, email: <a href="mailto:mtsailon@comcast.net">mtsailon@comcast.net</a>. A few of the requirements are to have access to or own a horse and the necessary equipment to ride and transport the horse to the team events Have a basic knowledge of equitation and be able to demonstrate this knowledge at team events. Thank you.

### **HOLIDAY GIVING TREE**

Wilson will be collecting donated gifts to be given to our adopted families. The wish list will be available beginning November 21st at conferences; and we will be collecting the unwrapped gifts until December 9th. Last year Wilson families supported 5 needy families with all of their holiday gifts. We hope to do this again this year!! THANK YOU!

## **ANNUAL WILSON CHOIR WREATH SALE ON NOW!**

The Halloween pumpkins are history, but our annual Wreath, Swag and Door Charm sale, sponsored by the Wilson Choir program, has just begun! Ask any choir member - there are more than 140 students involved in choir this year - for an order form! The forms must be collected by November 18th (they can be left in Ms. Murer's box in the main office. The greenery can be collected at A-Boy Plumbing Dec. 1 and 2. If you have any problems picking up the items on these dates, or if you have any other questions regarding our sale, please contact Kate Cote at: <a href="mailto:rrock5@q.com">rrock5@q.com</a> /503 892 0303, Teri Price at: <a href="mailto:btmprice@aol.com">btmprice@aol.com</a> /503 246 2755 or choir director Margaret Murer at: <a href="mailto:mmurer@pps.net">mmurer@pps.net</a>.

## **NEW WILSON SWEATSHIRTS & T-SHIRTS are FINALLY HERE!!**

As promised the Wilson Booster Club has designed new hoodie sweatshirts and t-shirts for men & women. They are available for purchase at the homecoming football game, then in the bookkeepers office after that. So tell your mom & dad to bring the checkbook and support the Boosters!

## OFFICIAL SCHOOL UMBRELLA, DON'T MISS OUT!

Is your child coming home from the bus stop dripping water onto your wood floors? Are you dreading one more [insert outdoor sporting event here] game in the rain? Do you just want to look good and show school spirit at the same time? Then get your official Wilson Umbrella! These brilliant rain repellant tools are for sale at Football concessions and the Bookkeeper's office for only \$25.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT AVAILABLE TO WILSON STUDENTS

Students, are you looking for opportunities to be involved in your community? Rieke Elementary School is looking for students to help out at their auction on November 11th. There is plenty of work to do including: decorating, merchandising, check in/out data entry, heads or tails, beads sellers, cake table, runners, baggers, and clean up. Grab your friends, get some free dinner and enjoy the fun!! If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Erica Meyers at Wilson <a href="mailto:emeyers@pps.net">emeyers@pps.net</a>.

### **WILSON BOOSTER CLUB MEETING- WED, NOVEMBER 9**

6:45PM Cafeteria. Come check us out, find out what we do and how you can help. All are welcome! We are gearing up for our biggest fundraiser of the year. Christmas Tree Sale at A-Boy. Love to see you there!

## POSTER & POETRY CONTEST, DEALINE NOVEMBER 10

National Career Development month is in November! In partnership with NCDA, the Oregon Career Development Association is coordinating its annual Poster & Poetry Contest in honor of National Career Development Month. Contest offers K-12 students the opportunity to explore their career dreams through art and poetry. First place entries in each category receive a \$25 gift card and entry into the National Career Development Association contest. Students must complete the Official Entry Form and a Permission Slip and submit them with their poster or poem. Some schools have a school-wide contest with local prizes (Homecoming Dance tickets, yearbook, student store swag, gifts from local vendors). English teachers and art teachers may be willing to make this an extra credit assignment too. Postmark deadline for mailing the poster or poem with accompanying entry materials is Thursday, November 10, 2011. For complete guidelines, registration info, and other details, visit: <a href="www.ocda.info/contest">www.ocda.info/contest</a>. Questions: Angela Doty, Associate Director of Career Services at George Fox University 503-554-2331 or: <a href="mailto:adoty@georgefox.edu">adoty@georgefox.edu</a>.

## PTA GRANT ALLOCATION MEETING, NOVEMBER 16

Wednesday, November 16th, Grant Allocation Meeting, **All PTA members welcome**. If you are a PTA member and would like to participate in deciding how to allocate PTA grant funds, please join the board to consider the proposals submitted. We will meet at 7 pm on Wednesday, November 16th, at McMenamin's Hillsdale Pub on Sunset Boulevard in Hillsdale. RSVP to Valeurie Friedman at: wilsonhighschoolpta@gmail.com.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL ANNIE BLOOM'S BOOK FAIR AT WILSON, NOVEMBER 21-22

Again this year during parent/teacher conferences PTA will host a Book Fair to benefit the Wilson Library.

Wilson Cafeteria, Monday, November 21st, and Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> from 4:30 to 8:30 pm.

In partnership with Annie Bloom's we will offer a selection of general interest and gift books for all ages. The Wilson Library will receive 15% of all sales, including gift certificates. Get a start on your holiday shopping, stock up on AP test guides, or make sure you have a good book to read over winter vacation. You may also purchase copies of the Wilson Student Directory at the Book Fair.

## **NO COST DENTAL CARE, NOVEMBER 21-22**

Oregon Mission of Mercy (OrMOM) is a large-scale dental clinic at the Oregon Convention Center on November 21-22, where **dental treatment is provided at no cost to individuals who cannot access and/or afford dental care**. This event is completely volunteer driven and is possible because of the generous support of OrMOM partners. Here's the link to more info: <a href="http://www.oregondental.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3767">http://www.oregondental.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3767</a>

### 2012 GRAD NIGHT

Heads up seniors and senior parents! Grad Night 2012 is a drug, alcohol, tobacco and weapon free, all night celebration for the graduates of Wilson High School. Grad Night begins right after the Commencement Ceremony. It's never too early to sign up and get all the facts. Check here for all the important news and forms: <a href="http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/927.htm">http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/927.htm</a>.

# **WHS PTA AUCTION 2012**

April 21, 2012 at Mittlemen Jewish Community Center 6:00pm.

Thank you to all who took advantage of the September ticket special for the WHS PTA Auction. We are off to a great start with nearly 50 tickets sold in less than 4 weeks! Regular admission ticket forms will be available on the WHS website and in the office until we get our new auction software up and running with the capacity to order online. Teams are getting organized and designating their liaisons. If you think your WHS group, club or sport is interested in participating you must send a representative to the auction kick-off meeting on November 2nd at 7:00pm in the WHS faculty lounge. We will be jumping right in with donation letter requests and procurement guidelines. So please come to see what it's al about. Come as a liaison or if you are interested in joining the auction team. It's a really great way to get involved and help the school in a big way! If you have any questions or concerns please contact Annie Bottinelli at: whsauction2012@gmail.com.

### **SCRIP**

Scrip is an easy way to support Wilson PTA that doesn't cost you anything extra--simply purchase gift cards for Fred Meyer, Kaady Car Wash, or many other local vendors. Orders are collected every Monday. Go to: <a href="http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/931.htm">http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/931.htm</a> for order forms and more information.

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## WILSON CAREER CENTER NEWS – check out this new section!

Students and Parents: For Career Related Learning Opportunities, please visit: <a href="http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/1259.htm">http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/1259.htm</a>. In October Wilson opened a Career Center. Located in room 149 near the office, this room will provide students with the opportunity to learn about career options and job related experiences such as job shadowing and internships. The Career Center will be open during periods 1, 2, 7, 8, and at lunch. To make it a success, parent volunteers are needed to help students utilize this resource. Training will be provided. If you are available to help students in the Career Center, or if you would like more information, please contact PTA Volunteer Coordinator Leslie Starker at LNStarker@comcast.net. For more information about any of the following announcements, please contact Erica Meyers, Business Manager and Career Coordinator at 503-916-6142 or email: emeyers@pps.net.

## INTERESTED IN CAREER AS SCIENTIST, DOCTOR, OR ENGINEER, DECEMBER 7

Are you a 9-11<sup>th</sup> grader? Are you interested in a career as a scientist, doctor, or engineer? Then you should come to the ASE [PRONOUNCED ACE] summer internship information session in the Library on Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> 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 many students receive school credit and a \$1,000 stipend! 2011 ASE application and other important information is now available at <a href="https://www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE">www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE</a>. I look forward to seeing all you science and engineering enthusiasts in the Library on Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm!

### STUDENTS INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT PERSONAL FINANCE

For Students: If you are interested in learning about **personal finance**, **EverFi**, **a free online personal finance program is available to Wilson High School students**. It's a fun, interactive way for students to learn about personal finance. Go to: <a href="www.EverFi.net">www.EverFi.net</a> Username: portland Password: portland. Once you log in, click over to the curriculum tab and you can begin the course. There's also a youtube video <a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gQDEcD4FASE">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gQDEcD4FASE</a>.

## MULTICULTURAL NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES CAREER DAY, NOVEMBER 12

On November 12, 2011, Linfield College Portland will be hosting **Multicultural Nursing and Health Sciences Career Day.** This free event is a great opportunity for students who are interested in learning more about **Nursing** at **Linfield College**. They will meet current students, tour the labs and facilities, learn about the academic requirements, and about financial aid and scholarship resources. Family members are welcome as well! Please help us spread the word out about this event and encourage students to attend. Online registration can be found on the Multicultural Programs website: http://www.linfield.edu/portland/multicultural-programs/

### OREGON NATIONAL PRIMATE RESEARCH CENTER

# -Opportunities for Students and Teachers

# © Tours of the Center (scheduled for groups as large as 60 students)

Tours are free of charge and feature a presentation about the history, mission, and current research projects being conducted at the Center. The presentation is tailored to meet the individual needs of each group (minimum age 10 years; 4<sup>th</sup> grade through university-level). Following the presentation, students tour the outdoor monkey enclosures. Tours of individual labs may be possible for older students, depending on group size. Please schedule your tour with me at least 3 weeks in advance, by phone, e-mail, or on-line at: <a href="http://www.ohsu.edu/xd/research/centers-institutes/onprc/public-outreach/tourreqform.cfm">http://www.ohsu.edu/xd/research/centers-institutes/onprc/public-outreach/tourreqform.cfm</a>. Dress for the weather!

## © Speakers Bureau

A number of Center personnel (scientists and others) can be scheduled to make on-site classroom visits to schools located within a 30-minute drive of the Center. For schools outside of that radius, videoconferencing may be arranged, depending on your access to such technology. A list of topics and speakers is attached. Please contact Erica Meyers by phone or e-mail at least 3 weeks in advance to schedule a classroom speaker.

### © High School Apprenticeships

Administered through the Saturday Academy's "Apprenticeships in Science and Engineering" program (ASE), each summer 3-8 high school students spend 8 weeks conducting a research project under the direction of a Primate Center scientist. One of the apprenticeships is awarded to a student from a historically underrepresented ethnic group. Application materials can be found at: <a href="https://www.saturdayacademy.org/ase">www.saturdayacademy.org/ase</a>. Application deadline: January 2012.

## © Partners in Science Program

In collaboration with the M.J. Murdock Charitable Trust's "Partners in Science" program, scientists at the Center mentor selected high school science teachers for 8 weeks during each of two consecutive summers. Additional information about this program can be viewed at: <a href="http://www.murdock-trust.org/grants/partners-science.php">http://www.murdock-trust.org/grants/partners-science.php</a>. For a list of scientist mentors and application materials, contact Diana Gordon by phone or e-mail. *Deadline to notify Primate Center of intent to apply: Oct 21, 2011. Deadline for application to Trust: Dec 1, 2011.* 

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### **EXPERIENCED TUTORS WANTED**

**Tutor Doctor is recruiting experienced tutors, levels K-16, who live in or near** the neighborhoods of Portland SW Hills (**Hillsdale, Multnomah Village**, Johns Landing), Lake Oswego, Portland SE and Portland NE (close-in). They pay \$17-\$20 per hour. To learn more: <a href="http://www.yourtutordoctor.com/mseker/opportunities">http://www.yourtutordoctor.com/mseker/opportunities</a>.

## THINKER TOYS OFFERS BENEFIT DAYS TO LOCAL SCHOOLS

Thinker Toys Will Donate 15 Percent of Sales to the School of Your Choice **When You Shop between November 14-16**. This year, the specialty toy shop in Multnomah Village will donate 15 percent of sales all day between Monday and Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, to any school that a customer chooses. For more information and a video tour of the store, visit: http://thinkertoysoregon.com/.

## TEEN LOUNGE & HOMEWORK CENTER, HILLSDALE LIBRARY

Use library computers, get homework help, or just do your homework and listen to music. For teens in grades 6-12, Thursdays, 3:30-5pm.

### **HUMANE SOCIETY OF USA ANNOUNCES EDUCATION MINI-GRANTS**

The <u>Humane Society of the United States</u> is accepting applications for its new Humane Education Mini-Grant program, which funds innovative humane education projects in K-12 classrooms. The purpose of the program is to provide funds for classroom teachers who lead innovative, standards-based programs and curricula in humane education, specifically the teaching of kindness and respect for animals and their natural habitats. Funded projects should engage students in hands-on activities that lead to the acquisition of new knowledge, awareness, and self-discovery as they relate to humane education. The mini-grant may be used to pay for supplies or materials necessary for students to create a product, conduct an experiment, or learn a new skill through service-learning and community outreach. Applications will be judged according to a rubric that emphasizes humane education components, innovation, clarity of objectives, standards-based work, possible service-learning components, replication feasibility, evaluation methods, and cost effectiveness. All certified K-12 teachers in the United States are eligible to apply for the grant. Applicants must be U.S. residents. A maximum of \$1,000 will be awarded for each classroom project. The number of grants awarded will vary from year to year, depending on the total amount requested by applicants. Typically, one or two grants will be awarded each year. Deadline: November 30, 2011. For more info:

http://www.humanesociety.org/parents\_educators/award/humane\_education\_mini\_grant.html.

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**ATHLETIC SCHEDULE -** All schedules subject to change. Check with coaches and the players.

Tuesday, November 8

Women's Soccer play-off at Sherwood at 7:00 pm

Men's Soccer play-off vs. Crescent Valley. Time and location to be announced on Monday.

http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/kkersey/Fall Sports Schedule.pdf

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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: <a href="http://www.wilsonalumni.com/reunions.htm">http://www.wilsonalumni.com/reunions.htm</a>

### 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: <a href="http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html">http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html</a>.

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

PHONE # Wilson 503-916-5280 . Attendance 503-916-5294 . Athletic Hotline 503-916-3689

WEATHER & EMERGENCY CLOSURE http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/

**FACULTY/STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION** - If you would like to contact faculty or staff at Wilson go to: <a href="http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/">http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/</a>

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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

For complete calendar listings, see official school calendar online at: <a href="http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/">http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/</a>

### **NOVEMBER**

- 7 National College Fair Convention Center 9-Noon
- 8 Site Council 3:30
- 8 December SAT registration deadline
- 9 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 9 Fall Sports Awards 7pm

### **NOVEMBER CONTINUED**

- 10 No School Teacher Planning Day
- 10-11-12 Fall Play Ablaze 7pm
- 11 Veteran's Day No School
- 13- Fall Play 2pm
- 13 In the Bag: Benefit for the Arts Purse Sale for Wilson arts, O'Connors 10am-5pm
- 14 Statement article deadline
- 14 Choir Wreath sales begin
- 16-17-18-19 Fall Play Ablaze 7pm
- 21 NO SCHOOL
- 21 Conferences 8:15-Noon Priority
- 21 Conferences Appointments 1-3:30pm Priority
- 21 Conferences Appointments 5-8pm Arena
- 21 PTA Book Fair
- 22 NO SCHOOL
- 22 Conferences 8:15-Noon Priority
- 22 Conferences Appointments 1-3:30pm Priority
- 22 Conferences Appointments 5-8pm Arena
- 22 PTA Book Fair
- 24 Thanksgiving
- 25 NO SCHOOL
- 26 Booster Tree Sales @ A-Boy begins
- 28-29 Choir Wreath pick-up @ A-Boy Noon-7pm
- 29-30 Winter Play The Tempest auditions

### **DECEMBER**

- 1 Winter Play- The Tempest auditions
- 2 Wrestling @ Hood River
- 3 SAT testing
- 6 Financial Aid Night 7pm
- 7 Wilson Choirs @ Grotto 7pm
- 8 Wrestling @ Gresham
- 10 Winter Formal
- 13 Site Council 3:30pm
- 13 Band and Orchestra Winter Concert 7pm Auditorium
- 14 Wrestling @ Franklin
- 14 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 15 Winter Choir Concert & Art Exhibit 7pm
- 16 Men's Basketball vs Cleveland @ Wilson
- 16 Women's Basketball @ Cleveland
- 16 Booster Tree Sales @ A-Boy ends
- 17 Wrestling @ West Salem
- 19 Winter Break (Monday) begins
- 20 Men's Basketball Las Vegas Tournament
- 30 January SAT registration deadline

### **JANUARY**

- 11 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 23 PTA Parent Education 6-8pm (refreshments 6-6:30, presentation begins 6:30)

### **FEBRUARY**

- 8 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 13 Wilson PTA meeting 7pm Wilson Library
- 25 Band and Orchestra Solo & Ensemble @ Grant HS All Day

### **MARCH**

- 13 Band and Orchestra Pre-Festival Concert 7pm
- 14 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 14 Winter Sports Awards 7pm Auditorium
- 15 Trojan Talents 7pm
- 20 PIL Band and Orchestra Festival @ Wilson TBA
- 26 (Monday)- Spring Break begins

### **APRIL**

- 2 Back to School after Spring Break
- 11 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 19 PTA Parent Education 6-8pm (refreshments 6-6:30, presentation begins 6:30)
- 21 Wilson Auction @ MJCC

#### MAY

- 9 Boosters 6:45pm in Cafeteria
- 10 OSAA 5A State Band Championship TBA
- 11 OSAA 5A State Orchestra Championship TBA
- 23 Spring Band Concert 7pm Auditorium

### JUNE

- 2 Starlight Parade Evening
- 5 Spring Sports Award Night, 7pm Auditorium
- 6 Band plays at Wilson Graduation @ Memorial Coliseum 8pm
- 6 Graduation Rehearsal Memorial Coliseum 9:30am
- 6 Graduation @ Memorial coliseum 8pm
- 6 Grad Night Party
- 13 Last Day of School
- 25 PPS Summer School begins @ Benson

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