



Wilson Spotlight

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TWO BIG EVENTS AT WILSON THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, August 24, 2013 Project COMMUNITY CARE DAY

This is our annual campus clean up day. We just got confirmation that volunteers can be on campus at Wilson for Community Care Day-- and if you have been by our school this summer you are aware there is lots of work to be done to get ready for the first day of school! We would love your help and support!! Please **meet our volunteers by the tennis courts** on Saturday, August 24th at 9am. Bring your rakes, shovels, edgers, trimmers, and weed wackers to this very special community event. The whole family is welcome for this school service opportunity! A Celebration BBQ will follow on the Rieke Campus beginning at Noon.

Sunday, August 25, 2013 TROJAN TROT

Help Wilson High School Fields Improvement Committee build an artificial turf field during the 1st annual Trojan Trot 5k Walk/Run on SUNDAY August 25th.

All are welcome!

Location: Start and end at Wilson High School Track. Time: 9 am Check in: 8 am

Cost: Adults (18 +) \$35.00 Youth (6 to 17) \$15.00 Kiddies (0-5) FREE

WHS Athlete Free with \$100 or more pledges collected

Register on Sunday at the Wilson Track between 8am-8:45am.

Following the run/walk on the Wilson field we will have live music from **The Magnets**. They will be busting out the classics from the last 40 years. Hopefully there will be something for everyone to enjoy and dance to! Bring a blanket and a lawn chair, get a bite and a cold drink from the Wilson Booster's snack shack and have some fun catching up with friends.

VOLUNTEER FOR TROJAN TROT, AUGUST 25

We're using VolunteerSpot (an online signup and reminder tool) to organize our upcoming activity. **Please sign up to volunteer for TROJAN TROT - here's how it works in 3 easy steps:**

1. **Click this link** to go to our invitation page on VolunteerSpot: <http://vols.pt/zDLh87>
2. **Enter your email address:** (You will NOT need to register an account on VolunteerSpot)
3. **Sign up!** Choose your spots - VolunteerSpot will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Easy!

Note: VolunteerSpot does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.

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SPORTS NEWS AT WILSON

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NOT TOO LATE TO TURN IN TEXTBOOKS FROM LAST YEAR

Parents, please assure that your students have turned in all of their textbooks from previous school years. Now is the time to resolve students' records of lost books and fines. Everyone can check students' library/textbook records during registration. Thank you to all the students who cleared their records at the end of the school year. Thanks parents for your help with this.

WILSON FALL REGISTRATION

Wed August 28:	Juniors: A – M @ 8:30-10am Juniors: N – Z @ 10-11:30am Seniors: A – M @ 12:30-2pm Seniors: N – Z @ 2-3:30pm
Thur August 29:	Sophomores: A – M @ 8:30-10am Sophomores: N- Z @ 10-11:30am Freshmen: A – M @ 12:30-2pm Freshmen: N – Z @ 2-3:30pm
September 4:	Make up registration (first day of school)

VOLUNTEER WITH WILSON SCHOOL REGISTRATION

We also will need help with registration. If you are available, please consider signing up here for <http://vols.pt/1QyWui> to volunteer or email Erica Meyers at emeyers@pps.net or cell phone 541-521-8282.

HELP THIS YEAR ALSO NEEDED IN FOLLOWING AREAS

- **Coaches for Constitution Team.** We currently have six lawyer coaches and we are looking to have seven more coaches so we can have two coaches per subject. If you can dedicate a couple hours a week to our constitution team (or if you have a friend or peer who may be interested), please email Erica Meyers at emeyers@pps.net.
 - **College and Career Learning Support.** We need help in the College and Career Center, guest speakers to come to Wilson to talk about their career and the path that it took to get there, and help with college visits, scholarship and financial aid support. To register to support the College and Career Center, *see the link below*. If you would like to be a guest speaker about your profession, please email Erica Meyers to set this up at emeyers@pps.net.
 - **Registration Days 8/28 and 8/29.** We need help with all registration days, 1st day of school 8/24, Trojan Trot 8/25 (turf field fundraising) and community care day 8/24. To sign up to volunteer for this, please *see the link below*.
 - **Main Office Support.** To volunteer for this once a week need, *see the link below*.
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HERE ARE THE LINKS To sign up to volunteer:

Registration, Make Up Registration, First Day of School Help (Need Parents and/or Students to help with this): To Register for these volunteer opportunities, click on this link: <http://vols.pt/1QyWui>

College and Career Center: To Register for a once a week (2 hour per day volunteer position) visit this link: <http://vols.pt/5HwMYZ>

Main Office and Administrative Support: To Register for a once a week volunteer position, visit this link to sign up: <http://vols.pt/pid7G1>

8th Grade Families Nights (two are scheduled this year- one in December and the other in February): To Register to Volunteer for either of these evening events, please visit this link: <http://vols.pt/ECxJYd>

Chaperoning Dances (three dances scheduled this year): To sign up to volunteer for Homecoming, Winter Formal and Prom help, visit this link to sign up: <http://vols.pt/vxgmiB>

HELP US BRING TURF FIELDS TO WILSON

• Matching Funds

Your donations to the Wilson Fields Improvement Project will be matched dollar for dollar August 1-September 30, 2013.

All pledges or donations will be matched dollar for dollar up to a maximum of \$100,000 coming from the family of Robert and Marcia Randall. Any pledges during this period must be converted to an actual cash donation prior to March 31, 2014 to qualify. To donate <http://wilsonfields.org/Donate.html>.

• Leave Your Legacy! Buy A Brick

Show your support with a gift to the Wilson Stadium Plaza Bricks campaign. In appreciation for your gift, Wilson Fields Improvement Project will install a brick engraved with your personalized message at the Wilson Plaza in the Wilson High School stadium. Two sizes are available 4x8 \$100.00 and 8x8 \$250.00. Place your order today – deadline is September 30, 2013. <http://wilsonfields.org/Events.html>

WILSON BASEBALL NEWS

Last spring sophomore **Cole Conklin** and freshmen **Chase Howard** and **Jackson Miller** had a perfect 4.0 GPA to lead the baseball program in third quarter grades. Sixty percent of the baseball players earned a 3.0 GPA or better, up 10% from third quarter last year. Other honor roll members are: 3.83 **Ben Turker**; 3.75 **Sean Haxby**; 3.75 **Jack Williams**; 3.71 **Riley Tindell**; 3.6 **Gerhett Moser**; 3.57 **Jonah Harris**; 3.57 **Steffen Jacobsen**; 3.5 **Austin Andrews**; 3.5 **Jake Gonyea**; 3.5 **Zach Madsen**.

Eighty Baseball Alumni and Friends of Wilson Baseball played in the 23rd annual Wilson baseball golf fundraiser tournament. Tournament sponsors were **Carl Cadonau Jr, Alpenrose Dairy, and Joe Driggers, Frank Bashor Supplies. John Phillips, Grand & Benedicts**, sponsored the golf carts. The scramble format tournament was held at Meriwether National Golf Course in Hillsboro on Sunday, July 14th. A box lunch was provided by Ken Kvarnstrom, West Hills American Legion Post #66, and dinner was provided by **Jake Hammer, Everett St. Autoworks**.

This summer at the Wilson Alumni Baseball Game, **Mikey Travers** had two home runs and three RBI's to propel the odd-numbered years alumni to a game # 1 win over Alpenrose Dairy 8-7. **Cary Cadonau** had two hits and two RBI's. **Dustin Dauenhauer** (traveled from Texas), **Darren Nigo, Ashkan Abedini, Tim Looney, and Ben Stewart** had the only hits in the game # 2 loss, 3-0. **Stuart Fewel** earned the win in game one. He had four Ks in two innings and **Paul Erickson** got the save. **Jesse Martin** had five Ks in two innings of work. **Shane Lopez-Johnston** and **Shaun Fagan** each had 4 Ks.

MEL KRAUSE MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT, SEPTEMBER 16

Please help support Portland Interscholastic Athletics by joining Steve Rudolph (1975 Wilson grad) as a golfer, volunteer, sponsor or supplier of auction or raffle prizes at the Mel Krause Memorial Golf Tournament Sept. 16, 2013 at Broadmoar Golf Course at 1:00 pm. Additional information and registration form can be found at www.pilhalloffame.org and <http://www.pilhalloffame.org/events/golf.shtml>.

GOT BAGS? DONATE THEM TO THE ARTS

Bring us your new and gently-used purses, bags, clutches, wallets, and briefcases for the next **IN THE BAG: BENEFIT FOR THE ARTS** at Wilson (November 10, 2013).

Drop off bags today at:

KeyBank (Hillsdale)

Switch Shoes & Clothing (Multnomah)

Paloma Clothing (Hillsdale)

Gabriel Park Veterinary Clinic (4421 SW Vermont St)

Korkage Wine Bar & Shop (Hillsdale)

Proceeds benefit choir, drama, band, orchestra, and visual arts at Wilson. Questions: Linda Doyle, Lsdoyle@earthlink.net. Keep up with all the IN THE BAG news on Twitter @InTheBagPDX or "Like" us on Facebook <http://fb.me/InTheBagPDX>.

WINE AND THE ARTS

As you may know, we also sell bottles of wine at IN THE BAG fundraiser for the arts at Wilson. **Korkage Wine Bar & Shop** in Hillsdale has generously offered to **discount wine bought in their store for IN THE BAG by 20%**. Just pick out a bottle of wine (minimum \$15 value) and mention IN THE BAG when you buy the wine, get the 20% discount, and then place the bottle of wine in the donation container at Korkage.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS/DEADLINES

2013 TEEN DRIVER'S LICENSING WORKSHOP, NOVEMBER 7

2013 Teen Driver's Licensing Workshop – sponsored by Legacy Health, AAA Oregon/Idaho, Trauma Nurses Talk Tough. Teen and parents attend together – location is Legacy Emanuel Hospital, 2801 N Gantenbein Ave, Portland. Pre-register by emailing: tntt@lhs.org or call 503-413-4960. \$20 fee per family – appropriate for ages 14-18 - no children under 12 admitted. It is a sad fact: car crashes are the leading cause of death for teens. This tough talk workshop can help!

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VOLUNTEER WITH LEWIS & CLARK COLLEGE’S COMMUNITY FRIENDS PROGRAM

Lewis & Clark College’s Community Friends Program is looking for local families, couples, or individuals (with or without children) to help international students practice their English skills and learn more about US culture and our way of life. Most of the students live on campus, where they spend much of their time with other students. You can help them experience American culture outside a campus environment and increase their real-world language skills. Program is:

- A short-term commitment. Most students are here for one or two semesters.
- Not time-consuming. We hope that you will do something with your student once or twice a month. You and your student set the guidelines.
- Fun for you and your student. Any activity may become a lifelong memory.
- Inexpensive. You don’t need to spend money unless you choose to. Any activity will be new, different and interesting to your student.
- Enlightening. You will learn more about cultural similarities and differences than you expected and you'll help a young person get to know the US as we really are.

For more information, contact: Laura Mundt, CAS '91, Community Friends Program Coordinator, lmundt@lclark.edu, 503-380-1778
http://www.lclark.edu/programs/academic_english_studies/community_friends/

HOST AFS-USA EXCHANGE STUDENT THIS FALL

Curious to see America through different eyes? Think about expanding your family by hosting an AFS-USA exchange student! AFS-USA, a leader in high school intercultural exchange programs for more than 60 years, is starting a **new Community College Exchange Program in Portland this fall!** The students, from Europe and Asia, will attend PCC with a focus on American culture and the English language. While the nature of college will make them generally more independent than the students in the High School Program, these bright and active young adults need a solid and loving home base for their year long stay in our beautiful city! Families receive a modest stipend to defray expenses. Contact Peter Seilheimer at: herrseilheimer@gmail.com for more information.

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

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WHS Daily Bulletin Send to: wilsonbulletin@yahoo.com

HAVE GOOD NEWS TO SHARE? Send the details to Linda Doyle at: Lsdoyle@earthlink.net

PTA SCRIP ORDERS, ORDER SCRIP NOW ...Get your Scrip order in ... If you would like to order Scrip, please email Martha at: schulte@easystreet.net or call 503-244-5072.

SCRIP

Thinking of buying holiday or thank you gifts for your employees or clients? Then think 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: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/931.htm> for order forms.

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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>.

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

PHONE # Wilson 503-916-5280 . Attendance 503-916-5294

Note: PPS Athletic hotline is no longer in service. The Wilson Main Office will have the information when games are changed.

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

Please note: schedules can change at the last minute. Always check with your student, or teacher/coach, or call the school to confirm.

AUGUST

19-22, Wilson Volleyball Tryouts
24 Saturday, End of Summer Wilson Campus Cleanup 9am- Noon with BBQ
25 Trojan Trot benefiting Wilson Fields Project, 8am check-in; 9am start time. www.wilsonfields.org
28 Parents Athletic meeting, 7pm
28 Senior Registration: 12:30-3:30
28 Junior Registration: 8:30-11:30am
29 Sophomore Registration: 8:30-11:30am
29 Freshmen Registration: 12:30-3:30pm
29 Host JV Football game at 4pm
30 School closed
30 Football @ Lincoln 7pm
31 Frosh Football @ Cleveland Jamboree 9:00 am

SEPTEMBER

2 Labor Day
4 Make up registration (first day of school)
4 First Day of School
4 Freshmen Orientation 8:15-10am
4 School starts all grades 10:15
5 Full day for all students
5 JV FB @ Sandy 4:30
5 Volleyball Madison @ Wilson 5:00 / 6:30
5 Women's Soccer vs. St. Mary's @ Buckman 4:15 / 6:15
6 Varsity Football Sandy @ WHS 7pm
6 Oct SAT registration deadline
7 JV2 Volleyball @ Oregon City Tournament 8:00 am
8 Wilson Area Arts Council's FREE Chalk Art Festival, Hillsdale Farmers Market- Rieke ES sidewalk
9-10-11-12-13 Fall Musical Auditions 3:30pm
10 Site Council 3:30pm
14 Football @ Franklin 7pm
16 Booster Pizza Dinner Sale 6pm
16 Back-to-School Night 6:30pm
16 Mel Krause Memorial Golf Tournament, PIL fundraiser
18 Improv Team Auditions 3:30pm
20 Coffee and Conversation, 8:15-9:15am
20 Football Roosevelt @ WHS 7pm
21 ACT testing
20-21 Wilsingers/WAVE Retreat
27 Homecoming Tailgater 5pm
27 Homecoming Dance following football game
27 Football Jefferson @ WHS 7pm
27 Oct ACT registration deadline
30 PTA meeting 7pm

OCTOBER

- 2 Fall OneActs auditions 3:30pm
- 2 Powder Puff Football 7pm
- 2 Auction Committee Meeting 7pm
- 3 Nov SAT registration deadline
- 4 Football Wilson @ Hood River 7pm
- 5 SAT testing
- 7 Boosters 7pm
- 8 Site Council 3:30pm
- 8 College Info Night 7pm
- 10 Blood Drive
- 10 Football Wilson vs Benson @ Marshall 7pm
- 11 No school
- 14 Foundation meeting 7pm
- 15-16-17-18 College Recommendation Workshop Rm 144 @ Lunch
- 16 Picture Retakes
- 16 Sophomore (some juniors) PSAT Testing
- 18 Football Madison @ Wilson
- 21 PTA Parent Education 6:30-8pm
- 22 Wilson Cluster ELL/TAG Parent Meeting
- 23 AVID Family Night 6:30pm
- 24 Fall Choir/Orchestra Concert and Art Exhibit 7pm
- 25 Football Cleveland @ Wilson 7pm
- 25 Coffee and Conversation 8:15-9:15am
- 25 Senior Class Meeting
- 26 ACT Testing
- 28 Performing & Visual Arts Fair @ Portland Art Museum 6-8pm

NOVEMBER

- 10 IN THE BAG: BENEFIT FOR THE ARTS at Wilson, donate your purses/bags today!

For current and past issues of the Wilson Spotlight, see: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/>. Tell a friend about the Wilson Spotlight and encourage them to sign up.

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