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# WILSON BAND CELEBRATES 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF LOUIE LOUIE

The school has barely begun and our student musicians are off! Last Thursday, the WHS Band and Band Director **Nick Caldwell** were invited to play as Mayor Charlie Hales celebrated the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of *Louie Louie*, a song written by Richard Berry and best known for the 1963 hit version by The Kingsmen from Portland. According to Ross William Hamilton from The Oregonian, cheerleaders from David Douglas and marching bands from Wilson and Lincoln played *Louie Louie* as the Mayor unveiled a plaque and declared October 5<sup>th</sup> *Louie Louie* Day in Portland. Follow this link for the story:

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Watch out for the Wilson Bands at Pep Assemblies and Football Games!

Symphonic Band	Lukas Aberle	Conor Appleton	Kendra Autumn	Sam Behrens
Erik Dant	Sydney Dossett	Erica Ewton	Matt Foran	Maddie Geraths
Jack Greaves	Marissa Hale	Evan Hamilton	Finn Henell	Ally Ion Egbert
Belle Lemoine	Sarah McInroy	Yahaira Meja Molina	Wes Mitchell	Caelen Murray
Kenny Noble	Emily Norquist	Simone O'Halloran	Hunter Parks	Jennifer Piacentini
Elle Sandifer	Kyle Sautter	Evan Schreeve	Colin Starker	Brian Stephan
Henry Stecker	Michael Streinz	Jacob Todd	Jack Williams	Ashley Wilson
Uriah Wilson	Arlen Witter	Bethany Woods	Bare Worman	Ben Zweber
<b>Concert Band</b> Raymond Hill Miette Lapierre DeVonte Swain	Araya Bowen Rachel Hunt Samantha Lesch Jacob VanHorn	Summer Cook Nathaniel Jewell Rowan McIntosh Elsie Worman	Hannah Davis Allison Joyce Chis Nussbaum	Nathan Haight Mitchell Kelly Ava Schnoll

## JACK DUNN ... WILSON'S HOME RUN HERO

Jack Dunn is a baseball legend and so much more! Follow this link to read more about this celebrated coach from an article written by Drew Dakessian '08 in the Southwest Community Connection newspaper: <u>http://portlandtribune.com/scc/103-news/160621-home-run-hero</u>.

## NEW INDEPENDENT FEATURE FILM CREATED BY AND STARRING WILSON GRADS

*Bad Exorcists* is a feature length comedy about a group of high school seniors working on a film about an exorcism. Things take an unexpected turn when their lead actress is possessed by an actual demon. The core of the talented cast and crew for *Bad Exorcists* began making movies together at Wilson. "Several of us were inspired by our WHS experiences and spent the next four years attending film schools all around the country," adds Louie Sloss '07 (Producer, Assistant Director). This summer they were brought back together to shoot *Bad Exorcists* in Portland.

The cast and crew of Bad Exorcists includes the following Wilson High School graduates:

Class of '07	
Kyle Steinbach - Director, Writer, Producer	Louie Sloss - Producer, Assistant Director
Collin Davis – Editor	Jocelyn Lang - Craft Services

Class of '08 Alex Knapp - Lead Actor Lucas Cruzen - Actor

Class of '09 Zach Shivers – Producer Claire Berger - Lead Actress Derek Brown - Production Assistant

According to the filmmakers, *Bad Exorcists* is 100% filmed and is currently being edited. "This means the riskiest and most challenging part of making this film a reality has already been completed, and we are so grateful for all the support we've received getting to this point. Our performances and production value have completely exceeded our expectations and we are confident we have made something special. But they could use some help to get them through postproduction of the film." They just launched a Kickstarter campaign to raise the funds to hire a colorist, a composer, a sound designer and a special effects artist - all highly specialized fields that are cost prohibitive with their current budget: <a href="http://www.kickstarter.com/projects/573714290/bad-exorcists">http://www.kickstarter.com/projects/573714290/bad-exorcists</a>. As the filmmakers state on their website, "So many people have helped get us this far. As we continue post-production, any amount of support is truly appreciated! Thanks so much, and please help give us that push to get *Bad Exorcists* to the finish line!"

#### LOTS OF WAYS TO SUPPORT WILSON STUDENTS

There are lots of ways to support Wilson students. Anyone can purchase scrip and a percentage of the price comes to Wilson. You can join PTA and/or Booster. Support the Wilson Fields Improvement Project. Enjoy and evening with friends at the Auction or If you're into fashion and purses, attend the eagerly anticipated "In The Bag" Sale and Silent Auction.

Scrip: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/20\_Scrip\_Spring\_2013.pdf Auction: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Auction\_Flyer.pdf PTA volunteer: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/PTA\_Volunteer\_2013\_14\_.pdf PTA membership: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/PTA\_Insert\_membership\_2013.pdf PTA booklet: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/PTA\_booklet\_2013\_14.pdf Booster: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/PTA\_booklet\_2013\_14.pdf In The Bag (arts): http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/In The Bag\_2013.pdf

## DANCE TEAM TRY-OUTS, SEPTEMBER 16 - 17 - 19

Dance Team Try-outs are September 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> in the gym at 7:00pm. We have a new Coach, Michelle Bennett, and are excited to have our Dance Team back in action! Please see Mr. Aker in Room 121 for more information. All are welcome!

## **OPPORTUNITY TO BE HOST FOR WILSON EXCHANGE STUDENT**

This outstanding boy is an A+ student who won first place for his singing in an Azirbaijan Olympiad. He likes sports, drama, choir, debate which helped him win a US State Dept. Scholarship to attend high school in America. His scholarship provides health insurance, school fees and spending money. A host can be a single person, retired, any combination family who provides a bed, study place, & meals with the hosts (he is a vegetarian). He is glad to share family chores and learn about your America. For more information call PAX Coordinator Mimi Sanders 503-293-6195, <u>mimisandersart@hotmail.com</u>.

## WHS PTA AUCTION 2014 PRESENTS "A GAME OF LIFE" Saturday, April 12, 2014 6PM

Get "on board" and buy your tickets today! LIMITED-TIME "BACK TO SCHOOL" offer is going on now through September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Go to: <u>http://wilsonhighschoolpta.tofinoauctions.com/whsauction2014/homepages/show</u> and click on the "Buy Tickets" tab to enjoy the savings.

#### **RESCHEDULED AGAIN!!!**

WILSON HS PTA AUCTION 2014 presents "A Game of Life"... "KICK-OFF" MEETING- originally scheduled for Oct 2nd, rescheduled for WEDNESDAY, SEPT 25<sup>th</sup> WHS Faculty Lounge 7pm. Want to get to know more people? Learn your way around WHS? Be a part of the biggest PTA event of the year? Then why not join the auction team! We are currently looking for people interested in being a group liaison.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS! The Wilson PTA sponsors the auction and invites your group to participate. Your group (favorite team, sport or activity club, performing arts program etc.) must be comprised of primarily WHS students. Your group will solicit auction items on behalf of your group. Proceeds from the sale of each item go directly back to the group who procured it. If your group intends to participate, a **representative/liaison** must attend the **Auction "Kick-Off" meeting on WEDNESDAY, SEPT 25<sup>th</sup> 7pm.** 

IN THE MEANTIME, DONT MISS OUT ON THE BACK TO SCHOOL ONLINE TICKET SPECIAL (ending Sept 30th)

Simply go to: <u>http://wilsonhighschoolpta.tofinoauctions.com/whsauction2014/homepages/show</u> to purchase 2 tickets and receive 2 free raffle tickets, a \$40.00 savings. Raffle details will be revealed shortly but will be comprised of 3 prizes, each with a minimum value of \$250.00. That's 6 chances to win at no additional cost to you so don't delay!

For more information regarding volunteering, email Danni McLaughlin @ wilsonauction2014@gmail.com or Annie Bottinelli @ a.bottinelli@comcast.net.

# WILSON PTA GRAD NIGHT 2014

## Information and Registration Forms

PTA Grad Night 2014 is a drug, alcohol, tobacco and weapon free, all night celebration for the graduates of Wilson High School. PTA Grad Night 2014 begins right after the **Commencement Ceremony on June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014.** The event is a wonderful night of fun activities, prizes, great food, and memories our students will keep for years to come. The graduates will leave on buses directly from graduation to a secret location. Graduates will be returned to Wilson High School no later than 6 am on June 12th. Keep up to date with WHS PTA Grad Night 2014 information on-line at <u>www.WilsonGradNight.com</u>

**Save Money, Register Early!** Until September 30<sup>th</sup>, tickets for the event are \$85. After September 30<sup>th</sup>, the tickets are \$110. It is our goal that all graduates of the WHS Class of 2014 attend this event – requests for scholarships may be made on the **Permission to Attend** form.

## IMPORTANT - We would like all forms/payment returned by December 20, 2013.

**To register**, please complete the Permission to Attend/Payment, Medical Release, Facility Waiver and Parent Volunteer forms. Then attach your payment (checks may be made out to "WHS PTA Grad Night"). Mail to: WHS PTA Grad Night 2014 Committee, 1151 SW Vermont Street, Portland, OR 97219 or deposit in the Grad Night Box in the WHS Office.

**PTA Grad Night 2014 Committees will meet Monday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm in the WHS Teacher's Lounge.** Everyone who would like to participate in planning or volunteering for PTA Grad Night 2014 is welcome to attend. If you have any questions about registration call/email PTA Grad Night Co-Chair: Maggie Daly: <u>daly8138@comcast.net</u> or 503-245-3077.

## VOLUNTEERS FOR FOOTBALL CONCESSIONS NEEDED

The Wilson Trojan Booster Club runs the concession stands for all home games! We need your help this Football Season. It's easy to do and even easier to sign up!

1. Click <u>Booster Volunteer</u> to go to our invitation page on VolunteerSpot.

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 Wilson Booster Club and you can be signed up manually. Contact: <u>wilsonboosterspdx@gmail.com.</u>

## JUNIORS AND JUNIOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

If your student is a junior this upcoming school year (2013-14), then s/he will be taking the PSAT at Wilson on October 16<sup>th</sup>. The district requires that all 10th graders take the PSAT and at Wilson we also want all of our 11th graders to participate. The PSAT gives meaningful feedback to students to help them prepare for college and their post-secondary goals. It helps students prepare for taking the SAT. On average, students who take the PSAT/NMSQT score 145 points higher on the SAT than those students who do not. Students who take the PSAT also have free access to My College QuickStart which is an on-line college-and-career planning tool. It is powered by student responses to the test and provides personalized information that helps students take their next steps toward college, explore majors and careers, and get a personalized SAT study plan. Since WHS is focused upon a college-and-career-readiness culture, we believe that this feedback to 11th graders is essential and relevant. Also, it is during the junior year that students can gualify for the National Merit Scholarship program by demonstrating academic achievement on the PSAT. Students who gualify for recognition in the National Merit Program are notified through Wilson in September. Approximately 9,200 students win the scholarship nation-wide each year and we would like to have more Wilson students earn this recognition. For juniors there is a \$20 fee for the PSAT. Students who gualify for a free or reduced lunch rate can register for the PSAT for \$5. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding PSAT testing of your student. The PSAT will be administered to all 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> graders on October 16<sup>th</sup>. Thank you. Ayesha C. Freeman, Vice Principal

## WELCOME BACK WILSON FAMILIES!

The Wilson Trojan Booster Club is excited about a new school year! Come talk to us at Back to School night, September 16, and learn what we're all about! We will have information and membership forms, plus Wilson merchandise for sale! <a href="http://www.wilsonboosterclub.com">www.wilsonboosterclub.com</a>

## WHS TURF PROJECT

We have raised \$21,000 in August – We need to raise \$79,000 in September!

HELP Wilson HS bring a turf surface to the stadium field - All donations and pledges sent in from August 1 to September 30 will be matched 100% -up to \$100,000 from the family of Robert and Marcia Randall. We have raised \$21,000 in August – We need to raise \$79,000 in September! This includes all BRICK orders placed during this time! Two sizes are available 4x8 \$100.00 and 8x8 \$250.00. Place your brick order today <a href="http://wilsonfields.org/Events.html">http://wilsonfields.org/Events.html</a>.

We are asking for your help to meet the fundraising goal so we can replace our field as quickly as possible. You can donate by cash, check or credit card. We even have PAYPAL! at: <u>http://wilsonfields.org/Donate.html</u>. Of course all donations are tax deductible. Checks should be written to Wilson Fields Improvement Project and can be mailed to Wilson High School, 1151 SW Vermont, Portland, Oregon 97219.

To stay up to date on meetings, pledges and events Like our Facebook page. The next meeting is 9/10 at 7pm at WHS. All are welcome!

Please support the Wilson Fields Improvement Project and become part of the success of Wilson High School. <u>http://wilsonfields.org/</u>.

## 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.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS OR WORK EXPERIENCE

Are you looking for community service hours, or work experience? Have fun while you build your resume, add job-ready skills, and get a great workout volunteering at **Hillsdale Library**! Afterschool shifts are available helping to check-in and shelve materials. Scheduling is flexible during library open hours. Apply online on at: <u>https://multcolib.org/volunteer</u> or come talk to us at the library.

## LOCAL NEWSPAPER SEEKS STUDENT COLUMNIST

Are you a Wilson High School student with something to say? Apply to be The Southwest Community Connection's 2013-14 Student Columnist! As a student columnist, you will write a monthly 500-word column about the issues that matter to you — a student at Wilson, and a citizen of Southwest Portland — working with Lead Reporter Drew Dakessian, an alumna of Wilson's Class of 2008. This is an excellent opportunity to learn how to write clearly and compellingly while sharing your thoughts with our community! To apply, please send an email with three column ideas and a little about yourself to DDakessian@SWCommConnection.com.

## 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)
  Gabriel Park Veterinary Clinic (4421 SW Vermont St)
- Korkage Wine Bar & Shop (Hillsdale)
  Sip D'Vine Wineshop (Multnomah)
- Switch Shoes & Clothing (Multnomah) donate here and receive 20% off coupon, valid off one full priced item, one coupon per donation, not valid with other discounts or promotions.
- **Paloma Clothing** (Hillsdale) donate here and receive 20% off any one non-sale item per donation, not valid with other discounts or promotions.
- Wilson High School

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

## WINE AND THE ARTS

We also sell wine at IN THE BAG fundraiser for the arts at Wilson. Korkage Wine Bar & Shop in Hillsdale will discount wine bought in their store for IN THE BAG by 20%. Just pick out a bottle of wine 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

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#### WILSON FIELDS IMPROVEMENT PROJECT MEETINGS, SEPT 10 AND SEPT 24

You are invited to attend the Wilson Fields Improvement Project\_(<u>www.wilsonfields.org</u>) Committee meetings – **September 10 and September 24 at 7pm** – Wilson High School. We are in need of a secretary to take minutes at meetings as well as data entry and people who can help with community outreach. All are welcome! Questions – contact Angela Duarte <u>aduarte@techweb.com</u>.

#### **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 <u>www.pilhalloffame.org</u> and <u>http://www.pilhalloffame.org/events/golf.shtml</u>.

#### 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: <u>tntt@lhs.org</u> 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!

#### IN THE BAG: BENEFIT FOR THE ARTS, NOVEMBER 10

Come to this wildly successful sale and silent auction (IN THE BAG: benefit for the arts) on Sun, November 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 3pm at O'Connor's @ The Vault in Multnomah Village.

The community, celebrities, and businesses donate handbags and other items and then we hold the pop-up sale. We have every color, style and price of bag. The more we sell, the more money we raise for the Arts. There is a silent auction for our "special" items, like designer bags, autographed books, and gift certificates. It's going to be hard to choose the "perfect bag"—don't worry, we'll help you out with free mimosas to ease the pain of decision-making. If you still can't decide, buy five. Dish the rest out as holiday gifts. FREE admission, FREE mimosas and FREE treats. Get there early! Great holiday gifts! We look forward to seeing everyone at the sale. Here's to the Arts!

Check us out on facebook and help spread the word: <u>https://www.facebook.com/InTheBagPDX</u>

Sunday, November 10 10am to 3pm O'Connors @ The Vault

Thanks to our sponsors:

Wilson Area Arts Council, O'Connors Restaurant (Steve Arel)'67, Paloma Clothing, Switch Shoes & Clothing, KeyBank Hillsdale, Korkage Wine Bar & Shop, Gabriel Park Veterinary Clinic (Libbi Hawkins '77)

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## CHESS AT HILLSDALE LIBRARY

Starting on Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 2-4pm, the Hillsdale Library will be hosting "Chess at the Hillsdale Library". The program continues every Sunday thereafter aside from school holidays.

## TIPS FOR CRAFTING YOUR BEST COLLEGE ESSAY

The Hillsdale Library is also hosting "Tips for Crafting Your Best College Essay". Marilyn Petrequin, or Petrequin Colledge Consulting will give tips on how to write an effective college essay. This workshop is especially aimed at high school juniors and seniors. **Tuesday, October 22, 4-5.** 

## 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, <u>Imundt@Iclark.edu</u>, 503-380-1778 <u>http://www.lclark.edu/programs/academic\_english\_studies/community\_friends/</u>

## 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: <u>herrseilheimer@gmail.com</u> for more information.

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

## Monday, September 9, 2013

Men's Soccer – JV2 @ Lakeridge 4:00 *Early release-2:30* Women's Soccer – JV2 Oregon City @ Gabriel Park 4:15 *Early release-3:00* 

### Tuesday, September 10, 2013

Men's Soccer – JV @ Clackamas 4:30 *Early release-2:45* Men's Soccer – Varsity @ Clackamas 7:00 Volleyball – Franklin @ Wilson 5:00 / 6:30 Women's Soccer – JV Lake Oswego @ Gabriel Park 4:15 *Early release-3:00* Women's Soccer – Varsity Lake Oswego @ Wilson (Stadium) 7:00

### Wednesday, September 11, 2013

Cross-Country - @ Hood River 4:00 *Early release-12:55 Bus-1:15* Men's Soccer – JV2 Central Catholic @ Gabriel Park 4:15 *Early release-3:00* Women's Soccer – JV2 @ Jesuit 4:00 *Early release-2:30* 

### Thursday, September 12, 2013

Football – Frosh Franklin @ Wilson 4:00 *Early release-2:55* Football – JV Franklin @ Wilson 6:00 Men's Soccer – JV Centennial @ Gabriel Park 4:15 *Early release-3:00* Men's Soccer – Varsity Centennial @ Hamilton Park 4:15 *Early release-3:00* Volleyball - @ Benson 5:00 / 6:30 Women's Soccer – JV @ Canby 4:30 *Early release-2:25 Bus-2:45* Women's Soccer – Varsity @ Canby 7:00 *Early release-2:25 Bus-2:45* 

## Friday, September 13, 2013

No contests

<u>Saturday, September 14, 2013</u> Football – Varsity @ Franklin 6:00 *Bus-4:00* Volleyball – Varsity @ Aloha Tournament 8:00 am

## Always check with coaches for most up-to-date schedule

Volleyball Varsity (as of Sept 1): <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/wilson\_varsity\_volleyball\_001.jpeg</u> Volleyball JV (as of Sept 1): <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/wilson\_JV\_volleyball\_001.jpeg</u> Volleyball JV2 (as of Sept 1): <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/wilson\_JV\_volleyball\_001.jpeg</u>

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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: <u>schulte@easystreet.net</u> or call 503-244-5072. 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: <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/931.htm</u> 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: <u>http://www.wilsonalumni.com/reunions.htm</u>

## 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: <u>http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html</u>.

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** <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/</u>. 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: <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/departments/student-transportation/1404.htm</u>.

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

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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: <u>http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/</u>

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

SEPTEMBER 9-10-11-12-13 Fall Musical Auditions 3:30pm 10 Site Council 3:30pm 10 Wilson Fields Improvement Project meeting, 7pm. All are welcome! 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 23 PTA Grad Night Committee meeting, 7pm Faculty Lounge 23 Auction Committee Kick-Off Meeting, 7pm Faculty Lounge rescheduled for SEPT 25<sup>TH</sup> 25 Auction Committee Kick-Off Meeting, Faculty Lounge 7pm 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 Kick-Off Meeting 7pm rescheduled for SEPT 25<sup>th</sup> WHS Faculty Lounge 7pm 3 Nov SAT registration deadline 4 Football Wilson @ Hood River 7pm 5 SAT testing 7 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge 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 at Wilson 18 Football Madison @ Wilson 21 PTA Parent Education 6:30-8pm 21 PTA Grad Night Committee meeting, 7pm Faculty Lounge 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 4 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge 10 IN THE BAG: BENEFIT FOR THE ARTS at Wilson, donate your purses/bags today!

#### DECEMBER

JANUARY 6 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge

FEBRUARY

MARCH 3 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge

APRIL 12 WHS PTA AUCTION 2014 PRESENTS "A GAME OF LIFE" 6PM

MAY 5 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge

#### JUNE

11 Wilson Graduation, 5:45pm at Memorial Coliseum

11 Wilson All Night Grad Party immediately following graduation

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