



Wilson Spotlight

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WILSON STUDENTS TAKE THE CHALLENGE

For more than 60 years, students across the country have taken up the challenge of one of the most prestigious math contests, The American Mathematics Competitions (AMC). This year the Wilson Math Department (organized by **Brian Sahler** and **Kent Dorsey**, Wilson Math teachers) hosted the annual AMC on February 4th. Thanks to the following Wilson teachers: **Thor Esbensen**, **Kent Dorsey**, **Alex Rabchuk**, **Brian Sahler**, **Dave Thompson**, **Jennifer Uppendahl**, **Cora Crossen** and **Jeremy Shetler**. Congratulations to the following Wilson students:

Top 20 – Grade 12 – AMC scores

	<i>First</i>	<i>Last</i>
1	Toby	Aldape
2	Kenny	Noble
2	Will	Sims
3	Saba	Zewdie
5	David	Anuta
5	Peter	Behrens
6	Gabriel	Kauffman
7	Tristan	Anastas
7	George	Crary
7	Jacob	Todd
10	Austin	Blatt
10	Peter	Kukla
10	Aidan	O'Malley
10	Edward	Szczepenski
15	Ben	Makuch
15	Tyler	Woodland
17	Raichle	Dunkeld
17	Henry	Mahar
19	Sarah	Murphy
20	Ally	Kershner
20	Abbas	Wanchu

Top 20 – Grade 10 – AMC scores

	<i>First</i>	<i>Last</i>
1	Riley	Waugh
2	Henry	Bringenberg
2	Sagan	Ghim
4	Gabrielle	Cohn
5	Jordan	Samuel
6	Jacob	Apenes
6	Zach	Kauffman
8	Nicolai	Apenes
8	Aidan	Sievers
8	Michael	Streinz
11	Marley	Kinser
11	Maddy	Tomastik
13	Corey	Bissonette
13	Samantha	Lesch
13	Luke	Mitchell-Nelson
16	Benedict	Hamilton
17	Carter	Crail
17	Henry	Souza
17	Elric	Wu
20	Amelia	Jamonel
20	Eugene	Munblit
20	Elizabeth	Nguyen
20	Jake	Van Horn
24	Sabine	Pigg
25	Maddy	Conkle

Congratulations to all of the Wilson students who participated in Grade 10 AMC competition:

Aaats, Simon	Hamilton, Benedict	Peterson, Jessica
Apenes, Jacob	Harper, Beck	Pigg, Sabine
Apenes, Nicolai	Hays, Jack	Samuel, Jordan
Axline, Ben	Hermach, Alice	Sandifor, Eleanor
Bennett, Marley	Howard, Chase	Sexton, Sierra
Bissonette, Corey	Jacobsen, Matthew	Shreeve, Evan
Bringenberg, Henry	Jamonel, Amelia	Sievers, Aidan
Burkholder, Sophie	Jewell, Nathan	Sikora, Elizabeth
Butenhoff, Emma	Kauffman, Zach	Souza, Henry
Castles, Elyse	Kemling, Grace	Streinz, Michael
Cohn, Gabrielle	Kinser, Marley	Thompson, Quinland
Coia, Juliette	Lesch, Samantha	Tian, Minhtam
Conkle, Maddy	Loiselle, Brooklyn	Tomastik, Maddy
Crail, Carter	Makuch, Jake	Tomko, Brittney
Davis, Hannah	Marshall, Camille	Turker, Ben
Engstrom, Hannah	Mitchell-Nelson, Luke	Van Horn, Jake
Ewton, Erica	Munblit, Eugene	Van Horn, Quinn
Fajer, Diana	Nguyen, Ayu	Vinspeybrock, Nina
Felix-Sheldon, Maya	Nguyen, Vivian	Waugh, Riley
Ghim, Sagan	Noble, Kyle	Woodland, Kyle
Grimshaw, Aidan	Palanuk, Spencer	Wu, Elric

Congratulations to all of the Wilson students who participated in Grade 12 AMC competition:

Aldape, Toby	Dunkeld, Raichle	Crary, George
Anastas, Tristan	Hudson, Blake	O'Malley, Aidan
Anuta, David	Kauffman, Gabriel	Sawab, Hamzah
Banks, Zavier	Kemling, Gabe	Schenk, Amy
Baranow, Natasha	Kershner, Ally	Sims, Will
Behrens, Peter	Kukla, Peter	Szczepanski, Nikki
Bell-Padgett, Alyssa	Mahar, Henry	Szczepenski, Edward
Blatt, Austin	Makuch, Ben	Todd, Jacob
Brown, J. Michael	Murphy, Sarah	Wanchu, Abbas
Conklin, Cole	Noble, Kenny	Woodland, Tyler
		Zewdie, Saba

GIRL'S BASKETBALL BEATS CLEVELAND 46-27

Follow this link to read an article about the talented Wilson Girl's Basketball Team in The Oregonian by Jerry Ulmer:

<http://highschoolsports.oregonlive.com/news/article/-7168587411527555618/wilson-girls-beat-cleveland-46-27-to-put-stranglehold-on-5a-pil/>

BOYS TAKE PIL TITLE IN DISTRICT SWIM MEET



Boys Team Wins District



Boys Team Captains Kevin Zumwalt and Brennan Westerman with seniors Hunter Lien and Payden Daly and Coach Sarah Wiggins after the big win.



Girls Team Captains Courtney Olson and Madeline Stapleton join in the celebration.



Seniors Kevin Quan and Payden Daly head for State.

Congratulations to the Wilson Boys and Girls Swim Teams for their efforts at the PIL district swim meet held this past weekend.

The Boy's team took 1st Place for the third year in a row and the Girl's tied for 3rd Place.

District Swim meet final results:

Boys

200 Yard Medley Relay: 1st Place - **Evan Carlson, Payden Daly, Liam Reese, Kevin Quan**
(New 5A PIL record)

200 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Evan Carlson**; 4th Place - **Kevin Zumwalt**
6th Place - **Daniel Hyounai-Herrera**

200 Yard IM: 2nd Place - **Liam Reese**; 3rd Place - **Christian Cho**

50 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Kevin Quan (New 5A PIL record)**

2nd - **Tommy Harvison**; 3rd Place - **Matt Harvison**

100 Yard Butterfly: 3rd Place - **Liam Reese**

100 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Evan Carlson**; 2nd Place - **Payden Daly**

500 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Sam Reed**; 5th Place – **Jonah Hart**; 6th Place – **Caleb Seely**

200 Yard Freestyle Relay: 1st Place - **Payden Daly, Matt Harvison,**
Tommy Harvison, Kevin Quan (New 5A PIL record)

100 Yard Backstroke: 4th Place – **Sam Reed**; 5th Place – **Brennan Westerman**

100 Yard Breaststroke: 1st Place - **Kevin Quan (New 5A PIL record)**;

2nd Place - **Payden Daly (Also broke existing 5A PIL record)**

400 Yard Freestyle Relay: 1st Place - **Evan Carlson, Matt Harvison**

Brennan Westerman, Liam Reese

Girls

200 Yard Medley Relay: 4th Place – **Erica Ewton, Minhtam Tran, Elizabeth Nguyen, Aubrey Lloyd**

200 Yard Freestyle: 6th Place – **Minhtam Tran**

200 Yard IM: 3rd Place - **Erica Ewton**

50 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Sierra Sexton (New 5A PIL record)**; 5th Place – **Chrysanthe Belgique**

100 Yard Freestyle: 1st Place - **Sierra Sexton (New 5A PIL record)**

500 Yard Freestyle: 3rd Place - **Lily Wilson**

200 Yard Freestyle Relay: 4th Place - **Erica Ewton, Minhtam Tran**

Chrysanthe Belgique, Saba Zewdie

100 Yard Backstroke: 4th Place – **Erica Ewton**

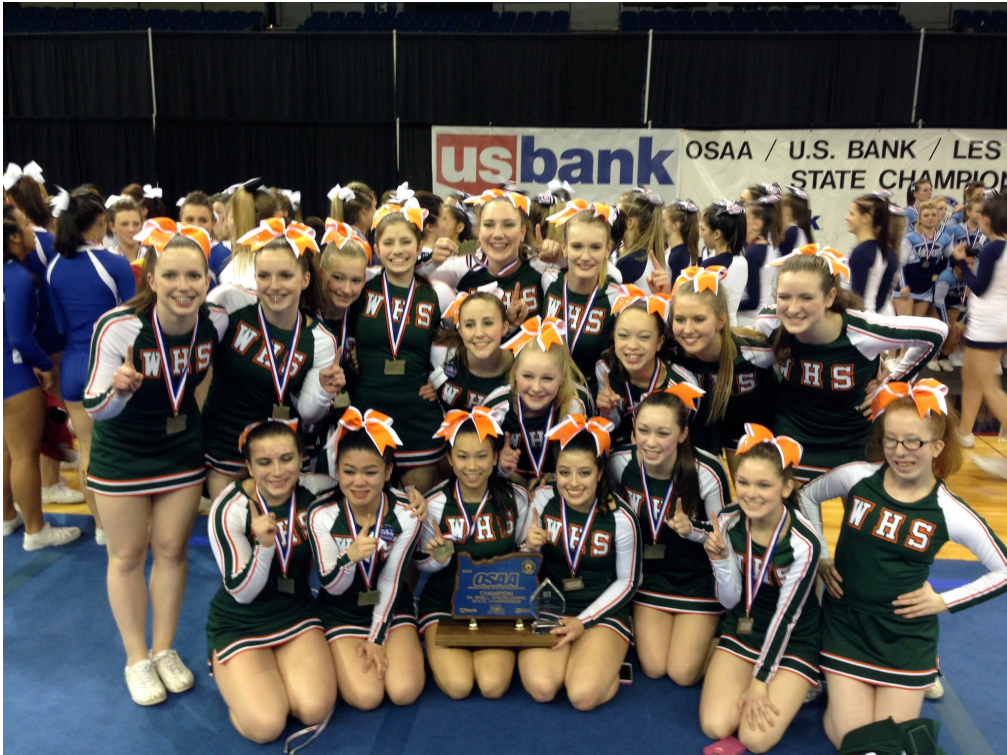
100 Yard Breaststroke: 4th Place – **Minhtam Tran**; 5th Place - **Emily Norquist**

400 Yard Freestyle Relay: 4th Place – **Courtney Olson, Emily Norquist**

Madeline Stapleton, Saba Zewdie

ON TO STATE: For the boys team, seniors **Kevin Quan** and **Payden Daly** qualified for State in two individual events and two relays. Freshman **Evan Carlson** also qualified in two individual events and two relays. Senior **Liam Reese** qualified for State in one individual event and two relays. Junior **Matt Harvison** qualified in two relays and junior **Sam Reed** qualified in an individual event. Senior **Brennan Westerman** and sophomore **Tommy Harvison** each qualified in a relay. Alternates to State include: **Christian Cho, Kevin Zumwalt, Hunter Lien, Daniel Hyounai-Herrera, Austin Graham, Jonah Hart** and **Austen Lake**. For the girls, **Sierra Sexton** qualified in two individual events. The State meet takes place at Mt. Hood Community College on February 21st and 22nd. The boys and girls teams are coached by **Sarah Wiggins** and **Kelsey Bowers**.

WILSON CHEER - 2014 OSAA 5A STATE CHAMPIONS!



Cheerleaders have done it again! They were crowned the 2014 OSAA 5A State Champions this past weekend. The cheerleaders performed their best routine of the season and came out on top, beating Springfield who is nine-time State Champion. In addition, Wilson Cheer won the Leslie Maley Choreography Award voted on by the judges as the favorite routine of the 75 teams competing. "Our cheering section was again, the loudest in the Memorial Coliseum!" states Head Cheer Coach Chris Fazzolari. Our coaching staff is extremely proud of these athletes!

Coaching staff: **Chris Fazzolari, Gabe Testa, Laura Strahan, Katie Fazzolari, Abi Gango.**

Cheerleaders	Chloe Hage	Sydney Smith	Taylor Bergstrom
Alissa Le (captain)	Ilia Duckler	Anna Lyons	Rachel Leville
Faith Leiva (captain)	Haley Hamilton	Jessica Dozier	Rylee Hilligoss
	Rachel Koch	Maddie Conkle	Kaleigh Phillips
	Erin Koch	Rosie Quinn	Jillian Young
			Sophie Rubin

WILSON GRAD WATCHES DAUGHTER WIN GOLD

Congratulations to **Kaitlyn Farrington**, daughter of Wilson grad **Suzanne (Suz') Locke '73** and Gary Farrington, for **winning the Gold medal for women's halfpipe at the Olympics!**

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CHECK OUT WILSON'S FACEBOOK PAGE, AND DON'T FORGET TO "LIKE" IT

Visit Wilson's Facebook page and see what's up:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Woodrow-Wilson-High-School-Portland-OR/217740154927750>.

WILSON THEATRE PRODUCTION STARTS FEBRUARY 15

It's time for SouthWest StageWorks, your Wilson High School Theatre Company, to open its latest production! In its second year, Teen West Project brings SouthWest StageWorks and Playwrights West together to premiere a riveting teen drama...**The Waves** by Patrick Wohlmut, directed by Matthew B. Zrebski.

Cosgrove Auditorium at Wilson High School:

February 15, 19, 20, 21, 22 at 7:00pm

February 16 at 2:00pm

Show Advisory: Performances 2/20-2/22 will be canceled in the event of a PAT Strike...please plan accordingly

SHOW SUMMARY: When Gemma transferred to Athens High School, other students were drawn to her intelligence, her unconventional beliefs, and her courage in standing up for those in trouble. But when she creates a system by which students can put each other on trial - a system that was meant to defeat Athens High's biggest tyrant - she inadvertently threatens to create a whole new generation of bullies. Now on trial herself and defending against allegations that she indirectly caused the death of another teenager, Gemma must try and stop the trials before they consume everybody in the school.

Tickets: \$15 General Admission / \$10 Students and Educators - Advance tickets at: www.southweststageworks.blogspot.com. Limited Seating! Advance purchases advised!

This show recommended for audiences Middle School Aged or Older, due to some mature language and situations

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE SOTOMAYOR, MARCH 11

Through a special Multnomah County Library grant, Wilson will have **free tickets for 30 students** to attend the Sonia Sotomayor lecture at the Schnitz on March 11th. Students will need to arrange their own transportation or they can go with a parent. Supreme Court Justice Sotomayor has an inspiring story to tell about her life, which she describes in her book: *My Beloved World*. We also have copies of her book for students to check out. The lecture will be presented from 7:30 to 9 pm. All students who are interested in attending please see Linda Campillo in the Library to get a permission slip.

WHS PTA AUCTION 2014 PRESENTS “A GAME OF LIFE”

<http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/937.htm>

Saturday, April 12, 2014 – Dinner and Live & Silent Auctions. Reservations Required. Tickets \$50 each and are limited. **BUY YOURS TODAY.** <http://attendthis.org/wilsonauction>.

TABLE SPONSOR \$75 extra. As a table sponsor, you will have a reserved premier table as well as your selection to seat registered guests with you. 8 and 10 seat tables available.

<https://wilsonhighschoolpta.tofinoauctions.com/whsauction2014/register/checkout>.

WILSON PTA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Dear Parents and Friends of Wilson - The PTA is actively seeking volunteers for these upcoming activities and events. Take a look at <http://www.volunteerspot.com/group/10255776920106>.

Your large or small contribution of time and energy makes a huge difference to our kids. Thank you for all you do! Wilson PTA

HOST AN ITALIAN STUDENT AND YOUR CHILD WILL BE INVITED TO ITALY!

Ergon, an Italian-based organization and partner with NorthWest Student Exchange, is looking for families to host a 16 or 17 year old Italian exchange student for a semester or the school year (2014-15). Italian families are in turn happy to host your child during summer vacations and we sponsor the flight! We specialize in a rigorous selection process ensuring that participating students are responsible, motivated, and proficient in English; we then carefully match students with host families. They are fully insured and come with pocket money for all expenses, including recreation activities and vacations. Several of our Italian students have attended Lincoln and Riverdale high schools in Portland and the best high schools in Seattle and Eugene with positive experiences for students and families alike. Past and present host families are our best references and will be happy to share their experiences with you. Exchanges offer students and their host families the opportunity to experience a different culture and build international bridges through friendships and knowledge. To know more, please email our Portland coordinator Bahar Sadeghi at bahar.sadeghi@ergon-se.org.

A.C.T. PREP CLASS – NOW OFFERED AT WILSON

Kaplan Test Prep offers an adaptive study plan based on your performance, keeping you focused on the areas with the most potential to increase your score. You'll be in a familiar, comfortable environment right here at WHS! You'll score higher or get your money back!

Please call **1-800-KAP-TEST** or go online to www.kaptest.com/college to enroll, using the class code: ACKJ14006. **Classes begin Monday, March 3rd** and continue Monday and Wednesday afternoons at 4pm through April 9th (no meetings over Spring Break). To view the complete schedule on the Kaplan site go to: <http://www.kaptest.com/class/ACKJ14006>. Tuition for these classes is usually \$699. Installment plans are available. Direct questions to Maureen at 503-703-3594 or reeniebl@comcast.net.

GOT LEGOS?

Wilson's 3D Design class is seeking legos for a sculpture project. Please donate your unwanted legos to Wilson High School Art Department, attention Marie Pearson. Questions, contact Marie Pearson at: mpearso1@pps.net.

NEED PTA CLOTHING CLOSET SORTERS

Wilson PTA is in need of parent volunteers to monitor and sort donated clothing received in the Wilson Office before items are transferred to the Portland PTA Clothing Center. The donated clothing waits for you in a barrel in Wilson's office and all you have to do is determine if it is clean and appropriate for kids-in-need to wear, place it neatly in boxes or bags and label for the PPS interoffice mail service to take. Easy training provided. You could also serve a day at the Clothing Center helping families in need shop through the clothing racks and take something new home. Wilson's next assigned day at the center is **February 27, 9:30am-1:30pm**. Marshall High School, 3905 SE 91st, room B60. Since 1964, the PTA Clothing Center has given age-appropriate clothing, coats, and shoes to children in Portland Public Schools. By caring for the basic needs of youth and allowing them to dress as their peers, the center encourages positive self-esteem, academic success and regular class attendance. In addition, a student aid fund provides money for shoes, eye exams, class materials and more. Thanks for your support. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact: Bev Masters, PTA Clothing Chair – bevmasters@umpquabank.com.

WILSON PEER COUNSELING OPENS ITS DOORS!

Peer Counseling is a new program at Wilson this year. Twenty-two junior and senior students were carefully chosen for this group through staff recommendations, interviews and applications. This semester they have been hard at work developing listening and helping skills in order to be effective "feet on the ground" supporting students in our community. Peer Counselors are under the supervision of Kathryn Wolff and the counseling department and can help Wilson students with things like: getting more involved at school, stress about grades, and problems with friends or teachers. Peers will also welcome students new to Wilson and be giving presentations in classrooms. They will be available to meet with students during lunch and tutor times beginning second semester in room 117, or by appointment through the counseling office. These students should be commended for their dedication and desire to make a positive difference through helping others. "I'm so proud of each one of these students and very excited about the value and service they are going to add to our wonderful school!" says **Kathryn Wolff**, Wilson High School Counselor. Click on this link to watch a video produced by Wilson Peer Counselors: <http://youtu.be/Y8XgX7urdT0>.

ARE YOU A FRED MEYER CUSTOMER? HAVE YOU LINKED TO CARD TO WILSON?

If you haven't linked your FM Rewards card to Wilson HS, then you are missing the opportunity for Fred Meyer to make donations to Wilson directly. Do you like raising funds for your students' school without it coming out of your pocket? Link your Rewards Card to Wilson HS PTA by following the instructions below. As of February 3, whenever you use your linked Rewards Card when shopping at Freddy's, you will be helping us earn a donation from Fred Meyer. If you do not have a Rewards Card, you can sign up for one at the Customer Service Desk of any Fred Meyer store. You will still get all the personal rewards Freddy's has always offered through their rewards program, but now you can add rewards for Wilson too! Who doesn't like **free money**? Log in to <http://www.fredmeyer.com>. Hover over the red REWARDS tab in the center. Click on COMMUNITY REWARDS. Click on the purple tab LINK YOUR REWARDS CARD NOW. Type Wilson HS into the search bar and click SEARCH. Check the button for Wilson HS - Portland 1151 SW Vermont. Click SAVE and you're done! Thanks for allowing Fred Meyer to donate cash to benefit all programs at WHS! Questions? Contact Maureen at 503-246-1474 or reeniebl@comcast.net.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS/DEADLINES

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CAREER DAY OPPORTUNITY

Microsoft Portland is excited to announce that DigiGirlz 2014 is open for registration. DigiGirlz, is a Microsoft program that gives high school girls the opportunity to learn about careers in technology, connect with Microsoft employees, and participate in hands-on computer and technology workshops. Learn more and register at: www.digigirlz.com.

Kaplan S.A.T. Prep class will be postponed or relocated on Tuesday and Thursday, Feb 18 and 20 in the event of a strike. Please contact Kaplan at 1-800-KAP-TEST or go online to www.kaptest.com/college for more information.

S. A. T. PREP CLASS – NOW OFFERED AT WILSON ... STARTS FEBRUARY 4

Kaplan Test Prep offers an adaptive study plan based on your performance, keeping you focused on the areas with the most potential to increase your score. You'll be in a familiar, comfortable environment right here at WHS! You'll score higher or get your money back! Classes begin Tuesday, February 4, 2014 and continue Tuesday and Thursday afternoons through March 6. Please call **1-800-KAP-TEST** or go online to www.kaptest.com/college to enroll. Tuition for these classes is usually \$699. Installment plans are available. Direct questions to Maureen at 503-703-3594 or reeniebl@comcast.net.

PTA PARENT EDUCATION NIGHT, FEBRUARY 18 - CANCELLED

Topic: Parenting to Support the Healthy Teen Relationships Act
Wilson High Library, 6:30 - 8:00 PM, Tuesday, February 18th.

CONCERNED ABOUT HOW SUBSTANCE USE COULD IMPACT YOUR TEEN?

You are invited to participate in a series of **free drop-in parent meetings** sponsored by the Wilson Counseling Department and PTA. *"Staying Connected"* is a class for Wilson High parents who have concerns about how substance use could or is affecting their teen. You may be worried that your teen may be tempted to use, or may know that they have been using regularly, or anywhere in between. *"Staying Connected"* is about how parents can stay connected to their children and therefore provide protection from the temptations and risks of substance use. Topics include: Recognizing the signs of substance use; Knowing the local trends of teen drug use; Importance of parental guidance and strategies to influence teens; Tips for communicating tough issues with teens; and Links to community resources. **Meetings will be held at Wilson in RM 117 the following Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm: February 19 March 5 March 19** Parents are welcome to drop in to one or more meetings. **RSVP appreciated: Sharon 916-5280x75206.** Follow this link for a copy of the flyer:

http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/Staying_Connected_Flyer.pdf.

YOUTH PHOTO CONTEST, THROUGH FEBRUARY 28

It's time again for the annual Oregon Youth Photo Contest - The Way I see it. This year the theme is Health Belongs to Everyone and is sponsored by the Northwest Health Foundation and the Oregon Public Health Division. Oregon youth between the ages of 12 and 18 are eligible to submit photos exploring how the various conditions where we live, learn, work and play can affect our choices and our opportunity to be healthy. The **contest begins on February 1st**, and entries can be submitted until February 28th, 2014. Contest winners will be announced during Public Health Week in early April, and will receive cash prizes (\$300. first place, \$200. second and \$100. for third). Contest rules & submission instructions can be found at: <http://nwhf.org/photocontest/>. Follow this link for more information: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/2014.Oregon.Youth.Photo.Contest.flyer.pdf>

CALLING ALL ARTISTS, WRITERS, CREATIVE TEAM PLAYERS, MARCH 6

Wieden + Kennedy Career day is for you! As a full- service, creatively driven advertising agency, W+K have offices across the globe, but employ amazing professionals here in Portland. Spend a morning behind the scenes with Creative Directors, Studio Design Specialists, PMs, Interactive Producers, Group Media Directors, and many creative writers. The career day will take place Thursday, March 6th from 8:30- Noon. Please see your career coordinator, Kate Morgan, to apply. For More Information please visit: www.wk.com.

CAREER DAY, OREGON DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, MARCH 13

The Oregon Department of Human Services is hosting a career day on Thursday, March 13th, from 9:00-12:00. DHS is Oregon's principle agency for helping Oregonians achieve well-being and independence through opportunities that protect, empower, respect, and preserve dignity. For more information about this opportunity please see Mrs. Morgan in 221.

CAREER DAY, DOVE LEWIS, MARCH 20

Dove Lewis is hosting a Veterinary Career Day on Thursday, March 20th from 9:00-12:00. It is open to 10-12 graders interested in veterinarian career. For more information please see Mrs. Morgan in 221. Or apply @: <http://hillchamber.org/stw>.

PTA PARENT EDUCATION NIGHT GATHERING, APRIL 9

Wednesday, April 9, 2014; 6:30 - 8:00 in The Lounge

Interested to join this committee? Contact Carter Latendresse carterlatendresse@yahoo.com.

RECYCLE YOUR ELECTRONICS, APRIL 26

Got new electronics over the holiday?? Can't drop them off for the Rummage Sale??

Grad Night Committee presents: Electronic Recycling Fundraiser to support Grad Night Party
April 26th 8am – 1pm in the side parking lot

For small a donation we will take all kinds of electronic items from all computer related items (Sorry, there will be no on-site hard drive destruction), televisions, office machines, stereos, all type of phones, washers/dryers. Look for more details as the events gets closer. Questions? contact Marie Dolson mcd57@mac.com.

PTA MEETING, MAY 12

Monday, May 12, 2014 in the Library OR the Cafeteria at 7:00pm

Questions? Contact Chantal Wright at chantalwright3@gmail.com.

WILSON JUNIOR BASEBALL FUNDRAISER, FEBRUARY 22

Wilson Baseball Families, there will be a **poker fundraiser** at Round Table Pizza (10070 SW Barbur Blvd, Portland, OR 97219) to **benefit Wilson Junior Baseball on Saturday, February 22nd at 6:30pm** (cards dealt at 7:00pm). Round Table closes at 11pm, so we will play till 10pm, with a 10:30pm drop dead time. The game will be no limit Texas Hold'em, with a \$40 buy-in.

Please RSVP to Bernt Jacobsen (bernt@berntlaw.com) or Ivan Kidoguchi (itk@uw.edu) so we can determine what we will need for tables and prizes. If you would like to donate a prize, or know of anyone who you think would like to donate something, please contact one of us. Finally, feel free to pass this email along to poker players or youth baseball supporters.

JACKSON MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT'S NIGHT OUT, MARCH 14

You Are Invited!!

Friday March 14 Jackson Bernie O'Stein Fundraiser

Mt Park Recreation Center 7pm

You are invited to Jackson Middle School's no auction parent's night out in support of the Bernstein Artful Learning Model. Music by The New Iberians- Zydeco Blues Band. Mix a little Mardi Gras with your St Patty's! This is an arts-based instructional model inspired by the vision of the great American composer, Leonard Bernstein. Today, Jackson is a national leader in the use of the Bernstein Model and is the only school in Oregon that integrates it into its curriculum. Jackson receives no public funding for this program, relying entirely on the Jackson PTA's fundraising efforts to support it. Come support this and all the other programs the PTA funds! Tickets and more information on the Bernstein Artful Learning Model <http://www.jacksonpta.org/>

DATES FOR COMMUNITY RECYCLING COLLECTION

Details at: <http://www.community-recycling.org/>. Bring items to St. Luke Lutheran Church, SW Vermont & 46th Ave, Portland on:

April 12, 2014

July 12, 2014

October 11, 2014

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

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

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. 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/files/school-wilson/Wilson_Fall_2013.pdf for order forms.

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.

FEBRUARY

15, 19, 20, 21, 22 Winter Play at 7:00pm

16 Winter Play at 2:00pm

17 Presidents' Day, school and office closed

~~18 PTA Parent Education 6:30-8pm in Wilson Library CANCELLED~~

19 Free Drop-In Parent Meeting "Staying Connected" topic: teen substance use, Rm 117, 6:30-7:30pm

26 Spring One-Act Auditions, 3:30-4:30pm

27 Trojan Factor Dress Rehearsal, 3:30-4:30pm

28 Trojan Factor Assembly 9:35-10:15am

28 Coffee & Conversation, 8:15-9:15am

MARCH

3-4-5 Spring Play Auditions, 3:30-4:30pm
3 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge
5 Free Drop-In Parent Meeting "Staying Connected" topic: teen substance use, Rm 117, 6:30-7:30pm
6 Advanced Acting Auditions, 3:30-4:30pm
11 Winter Sports Awards
12 Band Concert & Art Exhibit, 7pm
14 Mr. Trojan, 7pm
18 Career Expo
19 Free Drop-In Parent Meeting "Staying Connected" topic: teen substance use, Rm 117, 6:30-7:30pm
21-30 Baseball Spring Trip
21 Improv Marathon
24-28 Spring Break

APRIL

1-30 Student Art @ Baker & Spice in Hillsdale
2 AVID Family Night, 6:30pm
3 Spring Choir/Orchestra Concert and Art Exhibit, 7pm
8 PIL District Choir Festival @ Grant
9-12 Model UN Trip
9 PTA Parent Education 6:30-8pm in The Lounge
10-13 Drama Ashland Trip
11 No School, Teacher Planning Day
12 WHS PTA AUCTION 2014 PRESENTS "A GAME OF LIFE" 6PM
15 Hillsdale Pizzicato "Dough for Dollars" fundraiser, 20% of sales goes to Wilson Foundation
22 Earth Day
25 Coffee & Conversation, 8:15-9:15am
26 Prom, 7pm
27 ~~Baseball Pancake Breakfast fundraiser~~ rescheduled to May 4

MAY

3 OSAA State Vocal & Instrumental Competition
4 Baseball Pancake Breakfast fundraiser – new date
5-6-7-8-9-12-13-14-15-16 AP testing
5 Boosters 7pm, Faculty Lounge
10 Spring Play, 7pm
11 Spring Play, 2pm
12 Wilson PTA 7pm in the Wilson Library
15 OSAA State Orchestra Competition
15-16-17 Spring Play, 7pm
20-21 Trojanantics, 7pm
26 Memorial Day, School and office closed
28 Band Concert and Art Exhibit, 7pm
28-29 Spring One-Acts, 7pm
30 Coffee & Conversation, 8:15-9:15am

JUNE

3 Spring Sports Awards, 7pm

4 Senior BBQ on the track

6 Troscars Theatre Awards, 8pm

11 Last Day of School

11 Wilson Graduation, 5:45pm at Memorial Coliseum

11 Wilson All Night Grad Party immediately following graduation

13 Teacher Planning Day

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