

LOVE PROVES INDIVISIBLE IN WILSON'S 'PRIME' PRODUCTION



Follow the link below to read a story written by <u>Kelsey O'Halloran</u> for The Southwest Community Connection newspaper.

Sydney Yeargers and **Aidan Sivers-Boyce** deal with the complications of a love triangle as 'Constance' and 'Trey' in 'Prime.'

Photo courtesy of Jenna Hillenbrand

http://pamplinmedia.com/scc/123-education/250591-119482-love-proves-indivisible-in-wilsons-prime-production.

WILSON'S WINTER PLAY, CONTINUES FEBRUARY 20-21

Wilson Theater's Winter play, *Prime* opened last weekend and runs through February 21st on the following dates:

Thursday, Feb 19, at 7:00pm Friday, Feb 20 at 7:00pm Saturday, Feb 21 closing night at 7:00pm

This piece, written by Ellen Margolis and directed by Matt Zrebski will be the third annual collaboration between SouthWest StageWorks and the Teen West Project through Playwrights West. You can purchase tickets here: https://app.arts-people.com/index.php?ticketing=whsta. Enjoy the show!

WILSON STUDENTS' ART SELECTED FOR EXHIBITION, FEBRUARY 19

The Portland Public Schools Visual Art Student Exhibition will be at the Newmark Theater on Thursday, February 19th at 6pm. A few art pieces from every PPS elementary, middle, and high school will be on display. The Newmark Theater is located at 1111 SW Broadway Ave, Portland. Congratulations to Wilson's art students who will have artwork in the exhibition:

Lily Wilson Alicia Evans Zander Robinson

WILSON STUDENTS' ART SELECTED FOR JURIED SHOW, OPENING FEBRUARY 19

The Oregon College of Art and Craft Juried High School Show opens on Thursday, February 19th and ten Wilson HS art students were selected to be in show! Congratulations to:

Idit Cahana Lakota Killian Eric Roe Fiona Murphy Anabelle Hamburger Christian Cho Sarah Nash Sophie Merrill Alex Little Lesley Behena-Patino

The show will run February 19th - March 4th. The opening reception is Thursday, February 19th from 4pm - 6pm. The show is at the Hoffman Gallery on the Oregon College of Art and Craft campus at 8245 SW Barnes Rd, Portland.

WILSON SPEAKERS PLACE AT MT. HOOD TOURNAMENT

Seven members of the Speech and Debate team competed at a large tournament Saturday at Mt. Hood Community College, and two of them placed in their events. Congratulations to **Hannah Borel**, 3rd in Prose Interpretation, and **Tatum Bair**, 2nd in After Dinner Speaking. The group of mostly freshmen and sophomores did well overall in open division competition against much more experienced speakers. Our senior debate team represents us next weekend at the University of Oregon, and the full squad competes again at Oregon City March 7.

EXCITING WEEK FOR WILSON SPORTS LAST WEEK

By Mike Easton, Wilson Athletic Director

At the energetic **Cheer** championships at the Coliseum Saturday, our Wilson team finished in the Top 10 in the 6A small group competition.

Also on Saturday at the PIL **swimming** Districts, **Evan Carlson** won the 50 and 100 Freestyle. **Sierra Sexton** also won the 50 and 100 Freestyle. And the team of **Evan Carlson**, **Christian Cho**, **Tommy Harvison** and **Matt Harvison** won the 200 Free Relay in a thrilling finish. All these swimmers are going to State.

On Friday night the **boys varsity hoops** team was down 17 to Lincoln but come back to win an epic 75-70 battle in OT. We are now in a race for 2nd with Lincoln and Grant with 4 games to go.

This week **Wrestling** Districts are Friday and Saturday at Marshall and State Swimming is at Mt. Hood CC Friday and Satuday.

Also, Wilson is hosting Grant Thursday and on this night we are going to celebrate the 30 year anniversary of Wilson's 1985 state championship in **boys basketball**. Honorary captains for the game will be **Gary Rubin**, **Glenn Coblens**, and others off that '85 squad. We'll honor them briefly before the boys tipoff at 7:30pm. (The '85 team happened to beat Grant in the state championship that year!)

VOTE FOR WILSON BASKETBALL PLAYER

Ben Lensch, Wilson hoopster, has been nominated for Athlete of the Week on OregonLive! Please vote for Ben ASAP at http://highschoolsports.oregonlive.com/news/article/-6483753711357977863/the-oregonians-high-school-athlete-of-the-week-for-feb-9-15-poll/

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DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER - HELP WILSON BUILD FOR THE FUTURE

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You can <u>purchase your raffle ticket</u> now \$100 per ticket. Thank you to <u>Malka Diamonds & Jewelry</u> for donating the diamond and Certificate of Appraisal. 200 tickets will be sold; **you do not need to be present to win**; the drawing will be held during the PTA WHS Auction on April 18, 2015. Buy your raffle ticket at:

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SHARE YOUR PPS BUDGET PRIORITIES

Jon Isaacs, Chief of Community Involvement & Public Affairs is pleased to invite you to participate in shaping the 2015-16 budget for Portland Public Schools. Beginning Monday, Feb. 23 through April 27, you will have 10 opportunities, in every high school cluster, to share your budget priorities. On Tuesday, March 31, Superintendent Carole Smith will present her proposed budget to the Portland School Board. The board is scheduled to vote on the budget in May. We need to hear from you. Please attend events that best fit your schedule. Click here for the details on the events and dates: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/files/cipa/2-15-Budget-meetings-flier.pdf.



You are invited to attend the WHS PTA "Under the Big Top" Auction on April 18, 2015 at the Mittleman Jewish Center 6651 SW Capitol Hwy, Portland

BE A TABLE SPONSOR for an extra \$75. As a table sponsor, you will have a reserved premier table as well as your choice of which other registered guests may be seated at your table. 8 and 10-seat tables available for the same \$75 add-on price. https://wilsonhighschoolpta.schoolauction.net/2015/give.

HAPPY HOUR SPONSORSHIP, JUST \$200. Individuals and businesses can sponsor the first part of the evening - Happy Hour is the silent auction portion of the event, and is a great opportunity for families or businesses that want to be listed as a sponsor in the catalog, the slide presentation and on signage during the silent auction. To sponsor the Hour Happy, https://wilsonhighschoolpta.schoolauction.net/2015/give.

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*TROJAN BOOSTER CLUB - VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES, FEBRUARY 24

No Sign Ups = No Concessions

No Concessions = Less Proceeds to give back to Clubs/Groups when needed Concession volunteering is FUN and EASY ... and revenue goes back to ALL students

Click on the link to sign up on VolunteerSpot: http://vols.pt/zLYCmC.

Questions? Contact: Wilson Trojan Booster Club at: www.wilsonboosterclub.com.

BASKETBALL CONCESSIONS

Date: Tuesday, February 24

1) EVENT: Women's Freshman Basketball: Time: 3:45pm - 5:30pm

2) EVENT: Women's JV Basketball: Time: 5:30pm - 7:30pm

3) EVENT: Women's Varsity Basketball: Time: 7:30pm - 8:45pm

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*LOOKING FOR MOCK INTERVIEWERS, MARCH 17

The Portland Workforce Alliance_is looking for 20 -25 more Mock Interviewers for the NW Youth Career Expo on March 17th. Volunteers must have strong interviewing experience and be able to engage successfully and happily with the students. There are three other roles we need 10-15 more volunteers: 1) student check in/line volunteers and 2) we need people to give presentations on resume and interview or 3) be in the room to answer student questions. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Natalie Miller (PWA Board member) at 1-503-799-5362 or Natalie.Miller@LHH.com, Portland Workforce Alliance: http://www.portlandworkforcealliance.org/.

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AP STUDENTS: REGISTER ONLINE NOW FOR AP EXAMS

Register online now for the AP exams at: www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/602.htm. Students scoring well on the exam may receive college credit. Students must register by February 13th, with payment of \$65 per test. First 20 people are entered into the drawing. Don't pass up this exam if fees are a concern. Fees are waived for students on the Free & Reduced Lunch Program; just complete a Financial Assistance form and return it with your registration. Not on Free & Reduced Lunch but the cost is a financial hardship? Financial assistance is available for others needing help paying the fee. Pick up registration and Financial Assistance forms and list of study sites in the Main Office or on the Wilson website (www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/). Questions, contact Abby Menashe, amenashe@pps.net.

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NEW PSAT AND SAT TESTS TO BE RELEASED THIS SPRING

Get a jump on the competition by enrolling in the SAT Prep Class right here at Wilson HS that starts on February 10th!

Tuesdays and Thursdays, February 10th through March 12th, 2015 5:30pm - 8:00pm ACT/SAT prep class, Room 215

Here is the schedule/details and enrollment page: http://www.kaptest.com/class/SAKJ15092. These classes are being advertised as an opportunity for students and not as a fundraiser for Wilson's PTA.

COACHING OPENINGS AT WILSON HIGH SCHOOL

1. Head Volleyball Coach 2. Head Boys Soccer Coach

Key points of the job description for Head Coach:

- Manage a successful grade 9-12 program, as well as provide direction for youth program.
- Assist in implementing an off-season program.
- Work with Athletic Director and Principal in carrying out duties as assigned.
- Maintain high ethical and professional standards.

Interested candidates should contact Mike Easton, A.D., at measton@pps.net; 503-916-5280, ext. 75236.

RIGOROUS SUMMER OPPORTUNITY

The PLACE program is a highly recommended rigorous summer opportunity. Join students throughout the Portland Metro area as you explore and understand what urban planning is. PLACE gives you the opportunity to learn about how government, nonprofits, and the public operate to shape our communities while building writing, research, and leadership skills. PLACE is for high school students and recent high school graduates. To apply or for more information please visit: http://catlingabel.finalsite.com/page.cfm?p=757.

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VOLUNTEER WITH "SHARE YOUR CAREER"

Are you interested in sharing your career story with Wilson High School Students? We are looking for parents, friends, neighbors of Wilson families who could dedicate approximately one hour to share their employment journey, and how they got from high school graduation to where they are now. Volunteers will speak for about 20 minutes, and students will have a question and answer session afterwards. Please feel free to contact Kate Morgan (kmorgan@pps.net) with any questions or concerns. Interested parties should fill out this information page at: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1g6Yd3hyEBjX6zBql3pmagqsXMG7f1JX9UtK9LT2ykdl/viewform?c=0&w=1 and we will get back to you with more information about volunteer dates. Thank you for your interest in sharing your professional journey with Wilson High School Students!

WOMEN'S LACROSSE REGISTRATION- DEADLINE EXTENDED TO FEBRUARY 23

Registration for the women's lacrosse team is now open. New this year, registration will occur via our website at www.wilsonlax.com. Interested players (new and returning) must create a user account and update their US Lax membership before registering for the 2015 season. Tryouts begin Monday, March 2nd.

WILSON POETRY SLAM

Get ready for the Wilson Poetry Slam in April and possibly Verselandia on April 20th! FREE Slam Poetry Workshops and Open Mics: All workshops are downtown at the Literary Arts office, and you can attend more than one event. The dates are: Sat., Feb. 28th; and Sat., March 7th. For more information about who will be teaching each class, please go to the Library and pick up a flier.

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OREGON HUMAN SOCIETY, FEBRUARY 19

Are you junior and senior that loves animals? The Oregon Humane Society will host a career day on Thursday, February 19th from 9:30-12:15. On this career day you will visit the OHS shelter for a day and speak with a variety of Animal Professionals. This career day will fill up quickly! Please see Mrs. Morgan in 221 to apply.

CAREER WITH MICROSOFT, FEBRUARY 20

Are you interested in learning about working for Microsoft? Microsoft Career Day is open to grades 10-12 and will take place Friday, February 20th. Students will participate in hands on activities, creative presentations, engaging with employees and developing interview skills. Learn to code, create a sales pitch and have fun with technology. To register please visit: http://www.hillsborochamberor.com/stw/xmicrosoft/.

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YOUR HELP NEEDED AT PTA CLOTHING CLOSET, FEBRUARY 26

Do you love clothes – making sure some little body is dressed warm this school year? Come help us at the PTA Clothing Closet. We need a few volunteers on February 26th, from 9:30am - 1:30pm at Marshall High School, 3905 SE 91st, room B60. Help make a difference shopping with a young energetic student at the center or spend a little time organizing some of the amazing donations. No experience required, a smile and a willingness to help is all that is needed. Since 1964, the PTA Clothing Center has given age-appropriate clothing 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. If you are interested in volunteering at the February 26th event, let me know: Bev Masters - BevMasters@UmpquaBank.com. Phone number (cell): 503-577-5254. Thanks for your support! Bev Masters, Wilson PTA Clothing Closet Chair

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

Then 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 Friday, March 6th from 8:30- Noon. **Please See Mrs. Morgan in 221 to register**.

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CAREER IN BUSINESS, FEBRUARY 27 - MARCH 1

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65th ANNUAL OREGON MODEL UNITED NATIONS SPRING CONFERENCE, APRIL 8-11 Members of Wilson's Model UN leave for Eugene on Wednesday, April 8th at 4:30pm and return Saturday, April 11th at 3:00pm. MUN is a is a simulation of the United Nations in which high school students participate as delegates on committees. Participants create political positions that reflect the real positions of their countries. This year's conference with over 1,000 students from 120 high schools from Oregon, Washington and Idaho will gather together to represent 158 countries and work together to pass resolutions.

GRAD NIGHT ELECTRONICS RECYCLING - SAVE YOUR STUFF AND DONATE APRIL 26

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

IT'S BATTLE OF THE BOOKS SEASON

The Oregon Battle of the Books (OBOB) is under way! The book lists were announced in May. The battles begin around the state in February. Between now and then, students have a lot of reading to do. Multnomah County Library is happy to give support to OBOB teams by offering lots of copies of each title to our patrons. We have traditional print copies but also offer ebooks and audiobooks when they are available. You can find OBOB lists on our website, www.multcolib.org. From the front page, search OBOB 2015 to find lists organized by grade division and format (print, e-books, audiobooks). You can put books on hold or access digital copies from the lists. You can also talk to staff at any Multnomah County Library location. They will be happy to help you find the books your team needs to prepare for the 2015 Oregon Battle of the Books. Read on!

LINK FRED MEYER REWARD CARD TO WILSON

Like raising funds for your students' school without it coming out of your pocket? Link your Rewards Card to Wilson HS PTA. When you use your linked Rewards Card when shopping at Freddy's, you will be helping us earn a donation. 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! Ask grandparents, aunts, uncles, neighbors and friends to sign up for WHS. 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!

FOLLOW PRINCIPAL CHATARD ON TWITTER at: @principalBchat

ALL THINGS WILSON

- Be sure to visit the <u>Wilson website</u> at: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/ to find many useful resources for parents and students including:
 - Event, activity, and holiday listings on the Wilson calendar,
 - Online student research tools: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/210.htm,
 - Links to the <u>Daily Bulletin</u> (http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/228.htm) and <u>Wilson Spotlight</u> (http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/228.htm),
 - Information on Academic Planning, College and Career, and Family Resources from the Counseling Department (http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/216.htm),
 - How to get involved with PTA, Boosters, or Foundation at: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/917.htm,
- Be sure to check out our <u>Facebook</u> page as well at: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Woodrow-Wilson-High-School-Portland-OR/217740154927750

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*WILSON JUNIOR BASEBALL FUNDRAISER, FEBRUARY 21

Bobby Knight, Wilson Junior Baseball president invites everyone to the poker fundraiser at **Round Table Pizza** (10070 SW Barbur Blvd, Portland, OR 97219) to benefit Wilson Junior Baseball on Saturday, February 21st 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 \$30 buy-in and unlimited buy backs. Please RSVP to Bobby Knight (vpknight@msn.com) or Vince Carbone (vcarbone99@gmail.com), for those who not yet done so. That way 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 me. Finally, feel free to pass this email along to poker players or youth baseball supporters.

WILSON YOUTH LACROSSE REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

Free Beginner's clinic, February 22

Interested in playing the fastest growing sport in the USA? Wilson Youth Lacrosse is for boys & girls, 1st - 8th grades. More info or to register now --> www.wylax.net. Join us for an information meeting, Thursday, February 12th at 7:00pm, in the Jackson Middle School Library. Parents and players welcome! Want to try it? Come to our FREE Beginner's clinic at Fulton Park on Sunday, February 22rd! Separate sessions - Boys @ 11:30-12:30 and Girls @ 1-2pm. Bring a stick if you have one otherwise borrow one of ours. Questions or to RSVP for the 2/22 clinic - Boys: Wendi Makuch, boyswylax@gmail.com. Girls: Sue Baer, wilson/youthgirlslax@gmail.com. Click here for the flier: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/wilson/files/school-wilson/lacrosse flier 2015.pdf.

SW HOPE STARTS FOOD DRIVE, FEBRUARY 15 – MARCH 29

According to Rick Seifert from the Hillsdale News, February 15th kicks off the eighth annual "SW HOPE: Feed the Hungry" community food drive. The drive involves more than 60 faith and other community partners to collect food and funds in support of Neighborhood House's Emergency Food Box Program. Each year the SW HOPE campaign rallies support to supplement the sharp drop off in donations that occurs after the holidays. The Neighborhood House food pantry in Multnomah Village provides emergency food boxes twice a month to 450-500 families (approximately 1.500 people per month). The number of families seeking emergency food assistance has not declined over the last four years. The 2015 campaign has set a goal of raising 175,000 pounds of food or the cash equivalent. Because every \$1 donation is equivalent to approximately four pounds of food purchased through Oregon Food Bank, cash donations are the most effective way to support the program. Supporters can also make food and cash donations at Neighborhood House, located at 7780 SW Capitol Hwy., or online at www.swhope.org. For more information about the food and fundraising drive and how you can help, contact Neal Nyssen, Neighborhood House Emergency Food Box Program Coordinator, at (503) 246-1663 x5118 or nnyssen@nhweb.org, or go to www.nhpdx.org. For more information about receiving the Hillsdale News editor at: editor@hillsdalenews.org.

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

Always check with coaches/main office for most up-to-date schedule

Check here for all sports schedules: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/departments/athletics/645.htm

Tuesday, Feb 17

Boys Basketball – @ Cleveland-- Varsity 7:30, *Bus 5:30*JV 5:45, Frosh 4:00. *Bus for both 3:00 Release 2:45*Girls Basketball – vs. Cleveland @ Wilson; Varsity 7:30; JV 5:45, JV2 4:00

Wednesday, Feb 18

ATHLETIC SCHEDULE CONTINUED

Thursday, Feb 19

Boys Basketball – vs. Grant, Varsity 7:30 @ Wilson
JV @ Grant 4:00, Frosh 4:15 @ Grant Aux. Bus 2:45, Release 2:30
Girls Basketball – vs. Grant, Varsity 5:45, JV 4:00 @ Wilson
JV2 5:45 @ Grant, Bus 4:00

Friday, Feb 20

Boys Basketball –Benson @ Wilson, Varsity 8:00, JV 5:00 Frosh @ Benson 4:15 Bus 3:00 Release 2:45 JV2 @ Forest Grove 4:30, Bus 3:00 Release 2:45

Girls Basketball – Varsity vs. Benson 6:30; JV 3:45 @ Wilson, JV2 @ Benson Aux 4:00 Bus 3:00 Release 2:45 Swimming – State @ Mt. Hood Community College Wrestling – District Tournament @ Marshall Bus 1:00, Release 12:45

Saturday, Feb 21

Swimming – State @ Mt. Hood Community College Wrestling – District Tournament @ Marshall *Bus 7:15am*

Good luck, Trojans!

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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.

FEBRUARY

27 Coffee & Conversation, 9:15am, Auditorium Foyer

MARCH 2 Boosters Meeting, 7pm 6 Mr. Trojan, 7pm 23-27 NO SCHOOL, SPRING BREAK

APRIL

- 2 All Choirs/Orchestra Concert, 7pm
- 7 Site Council meeting, 3:30pm
- 8-11 Model UN Trip, April 8 @ 4:30pm and return Saturday, April 11 @ 3pm
- 8 PTA Parent Education Night, 6:30pm
- 9 PIL Choir Festival @ Grant
- 15 Foundation meeting, 7pm
- 18 "Under the Big Top" Wilson High School PTA Auction, Saturday
- 24 Coffee & Conversation, 9:15am, Auditorium Fover
- 25 Wilson Prom, 7pm

MAY

- 4 Boosters Meeting, 7pm
- 9 OSAA State Choir Competition
- 10 WAVE performs at Schnitzer Auditorium
- 11 PTA Meeting, 7pm
- 12 Site Council Meeting, 3:30pm
- 19-20 Trojanantics, 7pm
- 21 Comedy Night, 7pm
- 22 PowerTuff Volleyball, 6:30pm
- 25 NO SCHOOL, Memorial Day Holiday
- 27 Band Concert, 7pm
- 29 Coffee & Conversation, 9:15am, Auditorium Foyer

JUNE

- 2 Last day for seniors
- 4 Booster sponsored Senior BBQ
- 4 Foundation Meeting, 7pm
- 5 Troscars Theatre Awards, 7pm
- 9 Site Council Meeting, 3:30pm
- 10 Graduation rehearsal @ Memorial Coliseum @ Noon
- 10 Graduation @ Memorial Coliseum @ 5:30pm
- 10 All Night Grad Party immediately following Graduation
- 11 Last Day of school 2014-2015 school year

JULY

AUGUST

- 17 Fall Sports Tryouts/Practices Start for 2015-2016 school year
- 19 Senior and Junior Registration for 2015-2016 school year
- 20 Sophomore and Freshmen Registration for 2015-2016 school year
- 26 Make up Registration for 2015-2016 school year
- 27 School Starts for 2015-2016 school year

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