## WILSON DAILY BULLETIN Wilson High School 1151 SW Vermont St, Portland 97219 Office: (503) 916-5280; Attendance (503) 916-5294

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The Daily Bulletin is an excellent resource for students, parents, staff, and the community to stay informed about events and activities at Wilson. Email Valeurie Friedman (vfriedman@pps.net) to submit news and events. Items received before noon will appear in the Bulletin for the following day. Thanks for reading!

## Friday, May 18 A, Periods 1-4

### SCHEDULE FOR MAY 14 - 18

Monday, May14: A Tuesday, May 15: B Wednesday, May 16: A/Tutor Time Thursday, May 17: B/Tutor Time Friday, May 18: A

### SCHEDULE FOR MAY 21 - 25

Monday, May 21: B Tuesday, May 22: A Wednesday, May 23: B/Early Dismissal Thursday, May 24: A/Tutor Time Friday, May 25: B/Tutor Time

#### **Athletics**

No contests on Friday, May 18

### **EVENTS**

Friday, May 18

AP Testing

Click here for schedule.

### **Prom Ticket Sales END TODAY**

### Tickets will not be available at the door.

Prom tickets can be purchased at lunch in front of Room 118 by cash or check, in the bookkeeper's office by card, or online at **schoolpay.com** (juniors only). See below for more info.

#### Seniors: Graduation Survey Deadline

This is the last day to complete the Graduation Survey on Naviance. Important: This tells us where to send your final transcript.

## *Shut Up! You Can't Tell Me What To Do. You're Not My Real Dad!* Studio 108, 7:30pm

### Saturday, May 19

## Compassion Clinic Free Medical and Dental Clinic, Wilson High School, 8:00am-3:00pm

Free services: Dental treatment Basic medical exams Eye exams Chiropractic care Footcare Haircuts Massages Physical therapy Social services Childcare More info at www.pps.net/Page/426#calendar569/20180519/event/72254.

**Cheer Tryouts, Wilson Gym, 9:00am** More info **here**.

Dance Tryouts, Wilson Gym, 11:00am More info here.

Prom, World Trade Center, 121 SW Salmon St, 7:00-10:00pm

#### Sunday, May 20

### New: Southwest Portland Community Band Concert & Fundraiser, Fulton Park Community Center, 4-6pm Sunday, May 20

Join the SW Portland Community Band, directed by Nick Caldwell, for a benefit for the Wilson High School Acoustic Shell Project. Free admission, food available for purchase. Tacos by Koi Fusion, plus a selection of other food and beverages. Concert at 5:00pm.

### **News**

### A Bang-Up End to the Season!

Wilson Unified Soccer had a huge day at the state tournament on May 12, winning the gold medal and the sportsmanship award. They won with class and were outstanding representatives of our community. Congratulations to all the players and Coaches Bradach and Holzmer!

### **Wilson National Merit Scholarship Winners**

Senior **Craig Weeks** has been selected to receive a National Merit \$2500 scholarship. Only about 7,500 students are awarded this honor, from an initial pool of 1.6 million students nationwide! Craig plans to study mechanical engineering at

the Oregon State University Honors College next year, to continue running and to keep up with music. At Wilson, Craig plays trumpet in the band and runs cross country and track. His favorite classes have been computer science and Mr. Boly's English class.

Senior **Steven Peterson** has been awarded a full-tuition scholarship to Arizona State University, in Tempe, Arizona, through the National Merit Scholarship Competition. He will attend the Honors College and study computer systems engineering with plans to explore careers in computer engineering at a company like Intel, or possibly in cybersecurity. He looks forward to hiking and other outdoor activities in Tempe, and is excited to be near Phoenix and all the tech opportunities in that region.

Congratulations to Craig and Steven!

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## Upcoming Dates (see the Wilson calendar for details)

May 21: PTA General Meeting May 22 & 23: Trojanantics May 23: Summer Job Fair May 24: WestFest, Band Concert May 28: Memorial Day Holiday

### New: Need Some Ideas for Summer?

Get some inspiration at www.pps.net/Page/10263#summer\_opportunities.

## **Opportunities to Get Involved at Wilson Start Now**

Wilson relies on parent volunteers to help create a community that goes above and beyond for our students—all three of our parent groups, Boosters, PTA, and Foundation, have volunteer openings for next year. Get involved now to be part of the great things happening at Wilson. Click here for the details: www.pps.net/ domain/4900#volunteer\_needs.

## **PPS Summer Scholars Registration is now OPEN!**

Students should see their counselor to register for a summer school session. Session 1 is June 25-July 13 and Session 2 is from July 23-August 9. Students can earn .50 credit in each session. Credit can be initial credit or recovery credit (for a D or F grade). Sessions are M-F from 8:30-noon. Don't delay, see your counselor today for all of the information!

## Junior Parents, Start Planning Grad Night 2019 Now

Why think about Grad Night now? Because your child will soon become a senior! Planning begins in June 2018 so a venue can be reserved. Let's get the party started! Email **phyllis@ksnyder.com** to volunteer.

The philosophy and ideals behind Grad Night are founded on the basic ingredients of providing a safe, sober, and spectacular celebration the night our children graduate. More than "just a party", Grad Night is a united commitment by parents, school, and community to conduct a safe and sober even on what is statistically a dangerous night. How can you get involved? Volunteer to help: Grad Night 2019 needs a planning committee, and some of the roles are:

- Co-Chairs, oversee the planning and event
- Registration, manages the registration process and coordinates with the treasurer.
- Treasurer (must know QuickBooks)
- Communications, handles all communications, promotion of event and sharing important event information.

To step up and help email phyllis@ksnyder.com.

## Leave Your Legacy, Buy a Brick to Support Wilson High School

Leave your legacy by purchasing an engraved brick with your personalized message to be permanently installed at the Wilson Plaza in the Wilson stadium. Proceeds will be used for future improvements to the Wilson field and stadium. Gift certificates available. Order at **www.bricksrus.com/order/wilsonfields** or pick up an order form at the Wilson main office.

4" x 8" brick: \$100

8"x 8" brick: \$250

Call Jan Haxby (503-887-2544) with any questions. Order deadline is June 8, 2018. Makes a great graduation gift, coaches gift, memorial, or tribute!

## **Seniors/Senior Families**

### 60-Day Rule for Seniors Started on April 2

Seniors may be disqualified from participation in commencement exercises and related activities if within 60 consecutive days of the last senior school day they are found to be in violation of District Drug and Alcohol policy or any violation resulting in a disciplinary action Level 3 or greater.

### All the Grad Night Details

Click **here** to read a helpful letter with everything students and parents need to know about Grad Night.

### Attention Seniors and Parents/Guardians of Seniors

This is it! Graduation is right around the corner and will be here before we know it. Are you signed up for Grad Night? Because you don't want to miss it. Scholarships are available so nobody will be left out. Everything about Grad Night can be found at **www.pps.net/domain/792**, including registration forms and information on the many fundraisers to keep Grad Night affordable and full of amazing fun activities, experiences and food! Fundraisers now going on: Prom flowers, yard signs, and ongoing fundraising just for going to Superplay any M-F afternoon. See you there!

### Grad Night Needs Your Help!

There are many ways to support this year's Grad Night celebration, so please read on:

## Can you donate time? Volunteer at grad night! contact Jen Kelly (jenkelly33@comcast.net)

Don't have time? Here are some other ways you can help . . .

- Procure or donate items for the Grad Night Raffle. All grads get tickets for drawings that last thought the night. Some great ideas for raffle prizes are dormsize tv, mini fridge, coffee maker, portable speaker, iPad, gift cards (Target, Best Buy, Apple, etc.). Leave gift cards in the Grad Night mailbox in the Wilson office. If you have larger items to contribute, contact Melissa or Julie.
- Donate cash for the purchase of raffle prizes.

Contact the 2018 PTA Wilson HS Grad Night Chairs Melissa Rubin (**dmjlrubin@yahoo.com**) and Julie Jacobsen (**juliejacobsen5678@gmail.com**) with any questions. Thanks for supporting our grads!

### Hey, Parents of Graduating Seniors!

Let the neighborhood know and brag a little with a "A Graduate Lives Here!" yard sign! It's a fundraiser for Grad Night, cost is \$20, available in the office, at home baseball games, or from Julie Jacobsen (**juliejacobsen5678@gmail.com**) or Tony Hansen (**tony@projectconniption.com**). Take a look at the sign here: **www.pps.net/domain/792** 

### Seniors—A Required Task to Complete

Seniors! Please go into Naviance and complete the **two** mandatory graduation surveys. Look under the "About Me" tab and you'll see the surveys listed on the left hand side of the page.

- #1 Graduation Survey (3 questions)
- #2 2018 High School Exit Survey (for district)

### Senior Slideshow Now Under Construction

Seniors and Parents of Seniors: The time has come to gather photos of seniors and their friends over the years and send them in for the Senior Slideshow (to be shown at the Senior Awards Assembly on June 1 and at the Grad Night Party). Submission guidelines:

- 1. Send photos electronically to Valeurie Friedman at wilsonhs@pps.net.
- 2. Each photo's filename (not just the subject line of the email) must contain the student's name and a unique number (for example, Jessica Smith photo 1, Jessica Smith photo 2, etc.).
- 3. Photos may be of the student at any age, but include at least one recent photo.
- 4. Group photos with other Wilson students are encouraged, but if submitting multiple photos we would like at least three to be individual shots.
- 5. Limit five photos per student.
- 6. Deadline for slideshow submissions is May 1. Thanks to everyone who sent theirs in by the deadline! If you haven't gotten yours in yet, do it asap!

# Help Freshmen Learn about Careers, Thursday, May 24, 12:15-3:00pm

Dear Wilson Community Members: As we approach the end of the school year we need your help connecting students to career exploration activities. Career exploration is so important for students to connect learning in classrooms to the world of work. We are looking for parents, friends, neighbors of Wilson families who could dedicate time to share their professional journey. Students would love to hear what path you took from high school to where you are now. We need 15 speakers to share their professional journey. Email Kate Morgan (kmorgan@pps.net) if you can attend this event.

## **Wilson Boosters T-Shirt Design Contest**

Haven't found the Wilson T-shirt that's just right for you? Would you like to have the satisfaction of seeing your friends and family in the bleachers wearing a style that you created? Design your own! The Wilson Booster Club is holding a design contest for a student tee: a t-shirt designed by a student, for students. The winning design will be featured on a t-shirt sold by Boosters in the Fall. The winner not only gets the satisfaction of seeing their design around school, but they will also get a set of shirts to outfit their family! **Turn in your entries by May 25** to Miss Pearson in room 247 or to her box in the main office. Here are some guidelines to keep in mind while you're working on your creation:

- Original designs only
- Enter as many designs as you'd like
- Keep it positive
- No corporate logos
- Cannot be specific to one particular sport
- Three colors max, no color gradations
- Design will be screenprinted on a white or dark green shirt (your choice)
- Two-screenprint placement max (ie: front and back, front and sleeve, etc.)
- Submit on paper (min. 8.5"x11", but not bigger than a standard scanner) or electronically in .pdf or Adobe Illustrator format
- Winner(s) will be announced June 1

Email Kris Leeper (kgleeper@yahoo.com) with questions.

## Wilson Juniors Are Invited to PSU's Viking Scholars Reception, Tuesday, May 22, 5:30-8:00pm

Portland State University welcomes high-achieving Oregon high school Juniors and their families to campus for the Viking Scholars Reception. This annual reception honors Oregon high school Juniors who have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher. Students who attend the event will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to be applied toward their first year, should they choose to attend Portland State University in Fall 2019. RSVP here: https://crm.pdx.edu/eman/events/registration/?eventId=803.

## **Calling All Available Parents!**

On Friday, June 1, the WHS Booster Club needs volunteers to staff the annual Senior Picnic, immediately following the Senior Award Ceremony (at approximately 11:00am). This is an annual celebration that the Wilson Booster Club hosts for our graduating seniors and faculty. The event is broken into different shifts, as we will need assistance with varying stages of this event. Some happen before and after the Award Ceremony so senior parents can help; non-senior parents are needed during the ceremony. The picnic will be held in the area between the track and the snack shack. Please sign up today! Go to the link and scroll down to the shifts on June 1st. Thank YOU! http://vols.pt/zLYCmC.

### Prom

### Chaperones Needed for Prom on May 19

Leadership is in need of chaperones for this year's prom at the World Trade Center from 7-10 on May 19, 2018. If you are interested in getting involved, please contact our activities director Morgan McFadden (**mmcfadden@pps.net**) for more details. Volunteers will need to fill out the required background check at **www.pps.net/Page/149**. Thank you for your continued dedication to Wilson, and we hope to see you there!

#### Prom Tickets On Sale Now

Wilson Leadership is excited to announce this year's Prom will be "Around the World" at the World Trade Center on Saturday, May 19, 7-10:00pm. This dance is dedicated to upperclassmen; underclassmen may attend if they are invited by a junior or senior. Tickets must be purchased in advance—they will not be available at the door.

Tickets are \$40 for one, \$70 for two. Tickets can be purchased at lunch in front of Room 118 by cash or check, in the bookkeeper's office by card, or online at **schoolpay.com** (juniors only). Tickets purchased online must be picked up at the bookkeeper's office with a receipt. Seniors must pay all dues (transcript fees, library/

textbook fines, sports fees, etc.) before they can buy Prom tickets. Please check in with Ana Curtis in the bookkeeper's office inside the main office to pay and outstanding fees.

Ticket sales end on March 18 after lunch. If you have a financial need, please see your counselor or our social worker, Maureen Brennan—we want all juniors and seniors to be able to attend!

### Prom Guest Passes Available Now in Room 139

Students bringing a guest from outside Wilson must fill out and return a guest pass by May 16. Guest passes must be approved by Wilson administration before the guest can come. Guests will not be able to enter the dance without an approved form.

## Two Opportunities to Help Wilson's Social Worker Support Wilson Students

Wilson's social worker Maureen Brennan's weekly ukulele group is growing! Students participating in Music Mondays gain healthy coping skills to reduce anxiety, increase self-confidence and experience a positive social interaction with other students. Do you have a ukulele tucked away in the closet, collecting dust? Please consider donating it to Maureen's Music Monday group.

Maureen's pantry is bare! Donations of granola bars and fruit snacks for students would be most welcome and will help students get through their days.

Ukulele or food donations can be dropped off in the main office marked "Attn: Maureen Brennan." Monetary donations are welcome as well! Thank you in advance for your generosity. Contact Maureen (503-916-5280 x-75340, mbrennan@pps.net, room #146-B) if you have any questions.

## Scholarships

For more scholarships, go to www.pps.net/Page/7697#scholarships.

# Wilson High School Dragon Boats Has Room for More Paddlers!

It's an exciting team sport that anyone can do. Join the fun on the waterfront in front of RiverPlace Hotel at the Marina downtown on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:30pm and Saturdays at 8:30am. If you have questions, ask student leaders Kate Kelly (katekelly9399@gmail.com) Christine Castles (castles.christine@yahoo.com), or Scott Bremmer (bremmerscottw@gmail.com), or email coach/advisor Rob Bremmer (rob.bremmer@gmail.com).

## Earn Volunteer Hours at Rieke Carnival

Students needing volunteer hours, please consider joining the fun at the Rieke Carnival on Friday, June 1, anytime between 3:30-9pm. Mark your calendar and be on the lookout for a signup in the next week or so. There will be multiple shifts available, so you and a friend can tailor your volunteer time accordingly. Email Carla Asplund (cartroy@mac.com) to volunteer.

## Scrip

Scrip is an easy way to support the PTA that costs you nothing extra! This program works with local and national vendors, including most of your favorite grocers, restaurants and retailers. Leave your order with the Wilson Bookkeeper on Monday, pick up your scrip on Friday afternoon. Or place your order by phone, postal mail, or e-mail! Contact Martha Schulte (schulte@easystreet.net; 503-244-5072) for more information or to place an order. Download order forms here.

## CONNECTIONS

The Wilson Daily Bulletin is an electronic newsletter full of useful information and interesting news emailed to Wilson students, parents, staff, and community members. The Bulletin is published every day. The Monday Edition has the widest distribution and includes more general announcements; Thursday-Friday the focus

is on events more specific to the school and what goes on in the building during school hours. Archives can be found **online** at the Wilson website. If you would like to be added (specify whether you would like to be on the daily list or just the Monday list) or removed from the distribution list, send your email address to Valeurie Friedman at **vfriedman@pps.net**. Have good news to share about Wilson students or alumni? Send the details to Valeurie Friedman at **vfriedman@pps.net**.

### Wilson Calendar:

www.pps.net/Page/426

### PPS Calendar for 2017-18:

Find it online at https://www.pps.net/cms/lib8/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/ 4/School-Quarter-Calendar-2017-18.pdf.

## **ALL THINGS WILSON**

Be sure to visit the Wilson website at: https://www.pps.net/site/default.aspx? DomainID=162 to find many useful resources for parents and students including:

- Event, activity, and holiday listings on the Wilson calendar
- Online student research tools
- Links to the Daily Bulletin and past issues of the Wilson Spotlight
- Counseling Department
- How to get involved with PTA, Boosters, or Foundation
- How to order scrip (https://www.pps.net/Page/3714)

### Stay in Touch with the Wilson Counseling Department

Follow **#wilsoncounseling** on Instagram for scholarship, college, and special events!

## Follow Wilson Leadership

Twitter: @wilson\_trojans Instagram: wilson\_trojans Facebook: Wilson Leadership

## **Follow Wilson Yearbook**

Instagram: @wilson.yearbook Twitter: @WilsonTroyan

## Follow Wilson's magazine, The Trojan Horse

Twitter: **@whstrojanhorse** Instagram: **@whstrojanhorse** Use the hashtag #whshorse and send us your pictures.

## Follow SouthWest StageWorks, the Wilson High School Theatre Company

Website: southweststageworks.com Facebook: SouthWest StageWorks/Wilson High School Drama Announcements Twitter/Instagram/Snapchat: @SW2Official Blog: southweststageworks.blogspot.com

## 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 the Military

To add your name and information to the archive of Wilson Military Graduates, click on this link: http://www.wilsonalumni.com/Military.html

### **Wilson Sports Schedules**

http://www.pilathletics.com

## Faculty/Staff Contact Information

If you would like to contact faculty or staff at Wilson go to https://www.pps.net/ domain/805.

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