WILSON DAILY BULLETIN

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Welcome to the Wilson Daily Bulletin Daily Newsletter! The Daily Bulletin is an excellent resource for students, parents, staff, and the community to stay informed about events and activities at Wilson. Parent and student emails are automatically added to the list based on info provided by parents/guardians on the Student Verification form. To add additional parent or student emails to the distribution list, or to be removed from the list, email Valeurie Friedman (vfriedman@pps.net). To submit news and events, email vfriedman@pps.net. Items received before noon will appear in the Bulletin for the following day. Thanks for reading!

Wednesday, October 31 A, Periods 1-4

SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 29-NOVEMBER 2

Monday, October 29: No School Tuesday, October 30: B Wednesday, October 31: A Thursday, November 1: B Friday, November 2: A

SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 5-9

Monday, November 5: B Tuesday, November 6: A Wednesday, October 7: B Thursday, November 8: A/Tutor Time Friday, November 9: B/Tutor Time

COLLEGE VISITS AT WILSON

More than 100 colleges will visit Wilson beginning in September. Log in to **Naviance** to see the complete schedule (under "What's New" on the homepage) and sign up for visits. Colleges are still scheduling visits, so keep checking back. If you don't know your login come in to the counseling office. College visits are in Room 150 unless otherwise specified.

Whitman College: Wednesday, October 31, 8:15am
Landmark College: Wednesday, October 31, 2:30pm
Eckerd College: Thursday, November 1, 8:15am
Montana State University, Bozeman: Thursday, November 1, 9:40am
University of Utah: Thursday, November 1, 10:40am
University of Illinois at Chicago: Thursday, November 1, 12:35pm

EVENTS

Friday, November 2

Order deadline for Grad Night Pie Sale

Order forms are online at www.pps.net/cms/lib/OR01913224/Centricity/ Domain/792/2018Pie%20Order%20Forms.pdf.

Mamma Mia! Wilson Auditorium, 7:30pm

Tickets are on sale at the door, and online at **southweststageworks.com**. Admission is \$15/adult, \$10/Students and Educators.

Saturday, November 3

Mamma Mia! Wilson Auditorium, 7:30pm

Tickets are on sale at the door, and online at **southweststageworks.com**. Admission is \$15/adult, \$10/Students and Educators.

Sunday, November 4

Mamma Mia! Wilson Auditorium, 2:00pm

Tickets are on sale at the door, and online at **southweststageworks.com**. Admission is \$15/adult, \$10/Students and Educators.

News

New Wilson Student-Athletes of the Week

Avery Poulsen, Women's Cross Country: According to her coaches, Avery ran a really gutsy race to help the Trojans make a run at the district title. Her performance solidified the team's runner-up finish and state-qualifying berth. Her aggressiveness inspired her teammates and she had the fastest final finish on the track passing several runners in the last 300 meters!

Caden Samkutty, Men's Cross Country: The coaches report that Caden ran a PR of 16:09 to move him into the Wilson All-Time Top Ten. His 9th-place finish at the PIL Championships greatly helped lead the Men's Team to a 3rd-place finish and a state-qualifying berth. He is one of the best leaders for the Wilson XC Team ever!

New Blood Drive Results

The Wilson Red Cross Club want to thank everyone who participated and/or helped sponsor the blood drive on Tuesday, October 23rd. We could not have hosted the drive without the dedication of our of our wonderful Red Cross Club volunteers and a special thank you to those of you who were able to donate.

Each donation can save up to three lives, so as a result of Wilson's drive, up to 255 patients may receive the gift of life!

I cannot thank you enough for your dedication and commitment to the Wilson Red Cross Club! —Aaron Olsen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Dates

See the Wilson website for all the details: www.pps.net/wilson
November 5-8: College Application Week at Wilson
November 19 & 20: Parent/Teacher Conferences; watch for sign-up instructions around November 7

Check Out the Possibilities

Students, all registered clubs are now listed online here: www.pps.net/domain/803. Take a look and see if there's one (or more) for you!

Find it at the Lost and Found

If you are missing an item, please check in room 139 (across from the gym) for lost and found items. We have coats, sweatshirts, lunch bags, keys, and water bottles collecting in lost and found.

School Photos

There are many photo packages still in the main office. Any that have not been picked up will be delivered to students on Thursday, October 25. If you did not purchase school photos, you still have a chance. Photo proofs are available for your student in the main office until Friday afternoon, or you can go to Mylifetouch.com at any time to see proofs and order packages.

Winter Sports Registration Now Open

Go to **www.familyid.com** to register. You can even register for a Spring sport while you're there!

Share the Holiday Spirit with Wilson Families in Need!

There are Wilson families in need of support through the Thanksgiving holiday. If you and your family are able and willing, please consider donating gift cards from Fred Meyer, Safeway, Winco, Trader Joe's or Albertson's. Gift cards are a great way to let families pick the foods they enjoy. We are also accepting canned foods and non-perishables to stock our food pantry. Especially needed: tuna, chicken, chili, soups, pasta and sauce, canned fruits and vegetables. Please drop off any donations to Wilson's social worker, Maureen Brennan, or to business manager Erica Meyers in the main office by Monday, November 12. As we enter this season, let us show all our families the kindness and empathy that define our Wilson Community. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Maureen Brennan, at 503-916-5280, x75340, **mbrennan@pps.net**.

New Conferences are Coming!

Parent/student/teacher conferences take place Monday and Tuesday, November 19 and 20. Students are expected to attend conferences at this stage of their academic careers. Get all the details at https://www.pps.net/domain/2738.

New Wilson Parking Lot Alert

Two vehicles were broken into in the Wilson parking lot near the stadium one afternoon last week, so be sure to always take your valuables with you; valuables (or anything that looks like it might be valuable) left in plain sight lead to increased risk of a smash and grab. Don't provide thieves with a tempting opportunity!

New Upcoming Career Events

Providence Career Highlights Registration Opens Thursday, November 1 Registration opens at 9am for the December Providence Career Highlights. Events include: Basic Nursing I (12/3) and Emergency Nursing (12/13). Please see information and registration at: https://oregon.providence.org/our-services/c/ career-highlights/ ACE Information Session, Friday, November 9, During Tutor Time in Room 150 Students interested in the fields of architecture, construction and engineering, come find out about the ACE Mentor Program. An ACE mentorship gives you the opportunity to work directly with practicing professionals in ACE fields. Now accepting applications for the 2018-2019 school year. This no cost after-school program meets from January-May on Tuesdays or Thursdays from 4:30-6:30pm. Students collaborate with mentors on a building design project and then pitch their project to an audience of family, educators and ACE professionals. With big commitments come sweet rewards: Last year, \$72,000 in scholarships were awarded to 16 of the 40 applicants. Spots fill quickly. Come to the info session to learn more and visit **acementor.org/portland-or**. Students who are interested, stop by the College and Career Center to complete a paper application.

Nike Career Day: Friday, November 16, 9am-12pm

Go behind-the-scenes at Nike to learn about the journey of a start-up idea! Learn about sustainability with Nike Grind and see what is done with donated shoes. See what a typical day is like for a web developer of a start-up business and learn about how interpersonal skills and problem solving are put to the test at Nike. Please pick up a paper application in Rm 149 AND register online: http://bit.ly/nikecd11_16_2018.

New Scholarship

Pride Foundation Scholarships, Due: January 11, Awards: Multiple Amounts Do you identify as LGBTQ, questioning, or an ally? Great news! You are likely eligible to apply for a Pride Foundation Scholarship. There is just one Application for 60 scholarships! For more info and to apply: https://pridefoundation.org/findfunding/scholarships/application/.

Staff Appreciation Opportunities

Wilson's teachers and staff work long days during Parent/Teacher Conferences on November 19 and 20. Let's show them some love with two hearty meals. Sign up below and receive a reminder in the days before each meal.

Wilson Staff Dinner on Monday November 19: www.volunteersignup.org/3FF9X Wilson Staff Lunch/Dinner on Tuesday November 20: www.volunteersignup.org/ DERKW

Wilson's own SouthWest StageWorks Theatre Company Proudly Presents: Mamma Mia!

The storytelling magic of ABBA's timeless songs propels this enchanting tale of love, laughter and friendship, creating an unforgettable show. A large cast, non-stop laughs and explosive dance numbers combine to make Mamma Mia! a smash hit. A mother. A daughter. Three possible dads. And a trip down the aisle you'll never forget.

Appropriate for upper elementary and older for occasional coarse language. Tickets are on sale at the door, and online at **southweststageworks.com**. Admission is \$15/ adult, \$10/Students and Educators.

Performance Dates: Friday, November 2, 7:30pm Saturday, November 3, 7:30pm Sunday, November 4, 2:00pm Thursday, November 8, 7:30pm Friday, November 9, 7:30pm Saturday, November 10, 7:30pm

Start Preparing Now for College Application Week, November 5-8

Seniors, we have a week of college events planned to help you get your applications done and apply for financial aid. College Application Week includes:

- OSU Application workshop
- U of O Application workshop
- PSU Instant Viking—apply and get a decision the same day
- Western Oregon, Instant Wolf—apply before the event and get a decision during your visit
- FAFSA workshop—apply for Financial Aid

Go to **www.pps.net/Page/13083** or stop by the College & Career Center in Room 149 to get started. Registration closes on November 1.

Rose Court Applications Due at 5:00pm on December 12

Junior and Senior Women: The Portland Rose Festival Court offers outstanding young women the opportunity to highlight their academic achievement and community service. Rose Court Princesses benefit from the one-of-a-kind experience of interacting with organizations and business leaders in our community. Court Members receive one-on-one mentorship from top female executives, a \$3,500 scholarship provided by the Randall Group valid for any accredited college, university or trade program, a travel wardrobe including shoes and accessories, and a lifetime of enduring friendships with their Rose Festival Court sisters. Find the application and more info at www.rosefestival.org/ programs/rose-festival-court/apply-for-the-court.

Wilson Women's Lacrosse Coaching Positions Open

Women's Lacrosse is now accepting applications for the positions of Head Coach and JV Coach. For more information, contact Club President Bob Long (503-799-0304, **bob.long@cwmh2o.com**). The application period closes on November 10.

Wilson Goes to Japan

Konnichiwa, Wilson! Only a few more days to sign up for the Japan study tour. Sign up by October 31 for the best price. We are looking forward to traveling to Japan, but we are also excited about all of the fun leading up to our trip in March 2020! Here's what you can look forward to after joining the tour:

- Meet the Travelers Lunch, Saturday, November 17 at Sushi Ki-ichi 12:00pm
- Meet the Travelers Field Trip to Portland Japanese Garden, Spring 2019, date TBA
- Fundraising as a group to offset the cost of gratuities and the fee for college credit
- Mrs. Whatmore will be advising the future Japanese Language and Culture Club in 2019/20 where students can learn basic conversational/travel Japanese, cultural norms and expectations in Japan, Japanese history, geography and art and regional cuisine.
- Get advising and help for the potential college course that coincides with the trip from Ms. Suehiro and Mrs. Whatmore

Check out the links below for more information. Email Jamie Suehiro and Ellen Whatmore at **whsjapan2020@gmail.com** with any questions, and find more info at **www.pps.net/domain/5167**.

Screencastify video and PPT from info meeting: https://drive.google.com/file/d/ 1BRQSdcWVTyGVomzMghJo8dW_Ks_Xv188/view Itinerary: www.eftours.com/eLiterature/DBD/R/JPN.pdf Insurance coverage: www.eftours.com/coverage Earn high school or college credit: www.eftours.com/credit

This is a non-school sponsored event. Portland Public Schools (PPS) does not fund, sponsor, or endorse this travel study program.

Pies For a Cause!

You have two short weeks left to order pies for the holidays. This fundraiser supports a drug and alcohol free Grad Night party for the graduating Class of 2019! Pies come frozen and are delicious. Order yours before it's too late; and thank you to all who have supported thus far. Cash, check or pay by card on schoolpay. Any questions? Don't hesitate to ask. Tiffany Jeffords **jeffords@ohsu.edu.** Order forms are online at **www.pps.net/cms/lib/OR01913224/ Centricity/Domain/792/2018Pie%20Order%20Forms.pdf**. Orders are due Friday, November 2.

Yearbook Name Changes Due by Friday, November 16

If you want your name changed or don't want your school portrait to be in the yearbook, leave a note in Mr. Higbee's box in the main office. Include your full name and grade; for name changes include the name you want to change to.

TAG Nominations Due November 30

Attention parents: Please keep an eye out for a postcard coming in the mail from the PPS Talented and Gifted (TAG) office. If your student scored in the 95th percentile, or higher, on the Math or Reading SBAC, you will be receiving a postcard notifying you of their automatic eligibility for the TAG program. If they are automatically eligible—or you believe they should be eligible, regardless of their scores—be sure to submit a nomination form as soon as possible to our TAG Facilitator (**Ellen Whatmore**) or to **Dr. Sara Gandarilla**. Nominations for potential TAG students are open now until November 30, 2018. TAG Nomination Forms can be found on the TAG board in the main hallway at Wilson, or online here: www.pps.net/cms/lib/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/ 196/IDPF%202018-2019_Updated060718.pdf.

Senior Yearbook Portraits Due Friday, December 14

Seniors, send your senior portraits to **TrojanSeniorPhoto@gmail.com**. You can use that email for any questions as well.

Seniors, Register Now for Grad Night and Save Money

Now: \$100 After February 2: \$125

It is our goal that all graduates of the WHS Class of 2019 attend this event. If cost is an obstacle, request a scholarship when you fill out the registration form. Register at https://goo.gl/forms/ftBXEGnB9V62nrW53.

Opportunity to Host an Outstanding Student

A current Wilson students, here on an exchange from Lebanon, needs a new host after Christmas for the next semester. This A-student is enjoying getting to know American culture and making many friends at Wilson. He is participating in *Mama Mia* as a dancer, volunteering in several clubs like key club, International club, and environmental club. He likes to bake and make Middle Eastern food. He is a junior and enjoys math, yoga, ballet, and learning US History.

A host can be a family, single parent or retirees. They provide a place to sleep, study, share meals and activities with student. Nurture a potential leader by sharing our culture and beautiful region. His US State Department scholarship provides all school expenses, health insurance, and coordinator for supervision. He has his own spending money. For more information contact Mimi Sanders, PAX Program of Academic Exchange, 503-293-6195, mimisandersart@hotmail.com.

News from the College & Career Center

Learn more about the CCC at www.pps.net/Page/10263.

If You Missed Financial Aid Info Night . . Here are Some Helpful Links! 2018-2019 Paying For College PPT Oregon Slides https://tinyurl.com/OR-Paying-for-College-2018-19 Opportunities Guide: https://www.ecmc.org/students/opportunities-guideworkbook.html

Link to register for Kaleidoscope, a tool which will provide you with timely and relevant information:

https://tinyurl.com/ECMCTCP

Multnomah County IT Cyber Security Career Day: Wednesday, November 7, 9am-Noon

Learn about tech careers at Multnomah County and go behind the scenes in local government, where core tech responsibilities include fending off hackers, managing sensitive information, and developing apps. Learn what Multnomah County does and talk with their IT professionals about a career path that blends tech savvy with public service. Open to students in grades 9-12. Two-part registration: Pick up a paper application in Rm 149 *and* register online at http://bit.ly/MultcoITCD11_07_2018

Mercy Corps Career Day: Thursday, November 8, 9am-2pm

Calling all humanitarians! Mercy Corps is a global aid agency engaged in helping people who have experienced some sort of shock: natural disaster, economic collapse, or conflict. Students will hear about Mercy Corps careers and departments, learn about community development practices, engage in team activities, and design a program. Two-part registration: Pick up a paper application in Rm 149 *and* register online at http://bit.ly/MercycorpsCD11_08_2018

Motorsports/Mechanic Career Day: Thursday, November 15, 9am-Noon

Two-part registration: Pick up a paper application in Rm 149 *and* register online at https://bit.ly/2Eo6JRJ

ACE Mentor Program Applications for the 2018-2019 School Year Due November 16

ACE gives students interested in a career in architecture, construction, engineering or related fields the opportunity to work directly with practicing professionals. This no cost after-school mentorship program meets on Tuesdays or Thursdays, 4:30-6:30pm, from January-May. Students collaborate with mentors on a building design project and then pitch their project to an audience of family, educators and ACE professionals at the conclusion of the program. Spots will fill quickly. To apply and for more information go to **acementor.org/portland-or**, and stop by the College and Career Center to complete a paper application.

Scholarships

Find more scholarships at www.pps.net/Page/7697#scholarships

Kaiser Permanente Health Care Scholarship, Due December 15 (must register by December 8), Award: multiple \$2,000, \$5,000, \$10,000

Criteria: Seniors with at least a 2.5GPA who are planning to pursue an education/ career in the health care field. One student from Wilson High School will earn at least \$2,000! Please let your counselor know you are applying. For more info and to apply: www.kp.org/kpnwscholarship

The BadCredit.org Wealth Wise Scholarship, Due: December 31, Award: \$1,000

Criteria: Seniors with at least a 3.5GPA may apply, student must be majoring in a career in the finance industry (e.g., finance, business, accounting, mathematics, management, and other related majors), and submit an essay on the topic "How the US Credit Scoring System Can Be Improved" (500-900 words). For more info and to apply: https://www.badcredit.org/scholarship/

Greenfield Peace Writing Scholarship: Due: March 4th, Awards: \$1,000, \$750, and \$500.

Criteria: 11th and 12th grade students in Oregon are invited to submit essays, narratives, or poems of 600 words or fewer responding to the question "How can you work against systemic racism to help make our world more healthy and peaceful?" For more information and to apply: www.oregonpsr.org/greenfield_peace_writing_scholarship

Opportunities to Earn Volunteer Hours

• SWNI Fall Cleanup, Saturday, November 3, 9am-1pm; volunteers should arrive at 8:30am. Parking lot of the Portland Christian Center, 5700 SW Dosch Road. Refreshments provided.

Become A Foster Parent

Boys & Girls Aid welcomes dependable adults who can make long-term or shortterm commitments. They serve youth of all ages. Placements range from a few weeks to a few years. Foster parents receive a monthly, tax-free stipend to cover the expenses of caring for youth. Learn more here: https://www.pps.net/cms/lib/ OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/1484/BecomeaFosterParent.pdf

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

A/B Calendar

Find a calendar with just A/B schedule designations at https:// calendar.google.com/calendar/embed? src=apps4pps.net_ca4371c15j8lc945s3721oao10%40group.calendar.google.com &ctz=America%2FLos_Angeles

PPS Calendar for 2018-19:

Find it online at www.pps.net/cms/lib/OR01913224/Centricity/Domain/ 4/2018-19-School-District-Calendar.pdf.

Reporting Sexual Violence or Discrimination

https://www.pps.net/Page/13048

ALL THINGS WILSON

Be sure to visit the Wilson website at **www.pps.net/wilson** 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 current and past issues of the Daily Bulletin
- Counseling Department
- How to get involved with PTA, Boosters, or Foundation
- How to order scrip (https://www.pps.net/Page/3714)

Student/Parent Handbook

Learn about Wilson policies and procedures, including discipline and behavior expectations, campus rules, where to go with questions or problems, and more. Find the Handbook here: www.pps.net/domain/759.

Attendance

When a student has been absent from school, a parent or guardian must contact the attendance office within three days to excuse an absence. Here's how: Bring a note from a parent/guardian to the attendance office, located in Wilson's main office; call the attendance office at (503) 916-5294 and leave a message; or email Sara Mattheisen, Attendance Secretary, at **smatthei@pps.net**. For a complete description of Wilson attendance policies, procedures and supports, go to **www.pps.net/Page/10116**.

Make payments Online

schoolpay.com

Driver's Ed

Go to **www.pps.net/domain/1487** for information on the driver's ed programs that offer classes after school at Wilson.

Stay in Touch with the Wilson Counseling Department

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

Wilson College & Career Center, room 149 (across from the main office)

Sign up for Remind messages to get college and career info sent in a short text right to your phone. Text @19trojan to 81010 to get connected. Parents can sign up too.

Follow Wilson Leadership

Twitter: @wilson_trojans Instagram: wilson_trojans Facebook: Wilson Leadership

Wilson Boosters Club

Facebook: www.facebook.com/Wilson-Booster-Club-Wilson-High-School-Portland-1877529725698854/ Website: www.wilsonboosterclub.com

Follow Wilson Yearbook

Instagram: @wilson.yearbook Twitter: @WilsonTroyan

Follow SouthWest StageWorks, the Wilson High School Theatre Company

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

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 Athletics Information

wilsonathletics.com

Faculty/Staff Contact Information

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

SafeOregon Tip Line

SafeOregon, funded by the Oregon Legislature as part of a statewide effort to improve school safety, provides a secure means for anyone to anonymously report suspicious or imminently unsafe situations, such as threats of violence, fights, drugs and alcohol, weapons, bullying, harassment, intimidation or self-harm. Anyone, from students to parents to community members, can access the system in a variety of ways:

- Click the "Report unsafe behavior" button found on every PPS school's website
- Go to www.safeoregon.com
- Call or text 844-472-3367
- Email tip@safeoregon.com
- Use the SafeOregon mobile app (download via iTunes or Google Play)

Trained staff are available to respond 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Share this information with your friends and family and remind students: If you see or hear something, say something—immediately.

Portland Public Schools recognizes the diversity and worth of all individuals and groups and their roles in society. All individuals and groups shall be treated with fairness in all activities, programs and operations, without regard to age, color, creed, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex, or sexual orientation. Board of Education Policy 1.80.020-P. The Portland, Oregon School District is an equal opportunity educator and employer. Persons with disabilities or who are in need of additional accommodations in order to attend or participate in an event or program at Wilson High School should contact Maude Lamont, Curriculum VP, Telephone: 503-916-5280 email: mlamont@pps.net.

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