UFA NewsFlash – September 1, 2016 Important Information for the Week of September 12 - 16

Monday, September 12 – Day 4

 Celebrating Dr. Ursula Franklin - Planning Meeting 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Library (All Welcome)

Tuesday, September 13 – Day 1

Wednesday, September 14 – Condensed Day 2

Grade 9 Retreat Leaves @ 7:30 a.m. from the school

Thursday, September 15 – Day 3 – Regular Day

United Nations International Day of Democracy

Friday, September 16 – Day 4 – Regular Day

> Grade 9 Retreat Returns @ approximately 4:00 p.m. to the school

Other Important Information

Grade 9 Retreat

The Grade 9 Retreat leaves UFA at 7:30 a.m. sharp the morning of September 14. Accompanied by teachers, PALS and Retreat Leaders all Grade 9s will participate in the 3 day transitions and community building tradition. Parents should plan to be at UFA at least 30 minutes prior to departure on September 14. We will be returning on Friday, September 16. Please follow us on Twitter (UFAOFFICEINFO@UFAOFFICEINFO) for arrival time back at the school. Typically we are back by 4:00 p.m. at the latest. Anticipate traffic due to the Ukrainian Festival on Bloor Street that begins later on Friday night.

Celebrating Dr. Ursula Franklin

As you are aware, Ursula Franklin passed away this summer. The school will be hosting a celebration of her life the evening of Thursday, September 29, 2016. The first planning session for this celebration will take place the evening of Thursday, September 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the library (pizza dinner provided). All are welcome. Note: Staff and students interested in participating in this celebration planning will meet afterschool on the 8^{th.} The second planned meeting for all (students, faculty, alumni, parents, friends and community members) will take place the evening of Monday, September 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the library (pizza dinner provided). Any other planning meeting dates will be set after the Sept. 12 gathering.

Student Absences

Parents are reminded to call the school to report if a child will not be in attendance. This can be done 24 hours a day through our student absence line (416) 393-0430 > then Press 1.

Please send a note to the school if your child needs to leave during the day for any reason (appointment, family matter). Students need to report to the office to sign-out with the note prior to leaving school property. Likewise, if you are sending your child to school late for any reason (appointment, family matter) again provide a note and have them sign-in at the main office when they arrive.

Students who are late for school or late for class are to report to the main office for a late slip.

Joe-Anne in the main office is happy to assist should you have any questions.