

Trailblazers

Meeting Women in Law

Wednesday October 18, 2017

9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Program Agenda

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| 9:00 – 9:30am | Registration
Location: Victoria College (Victoria Chapel, 2 nd Floor)
91 Charles Street West, Toronto |
| 9:30 – 10:00am | Welcome Briefing and Q&A
with Dr. Kim Stanton, Legal Director, LEAF
Location: Victoria College (Victoria Chapel, 2 nd Floor) |
| 10:00-11:30am | <i>So You Want to be a Lawyer, Eh?</i>
<i>Stand Up if You Activity</i>
Break
Chat with Emily Chan, Staff Lawyer, Justice for Children and Youth
Location: Victoria College (Victoria Chapel, 2 nd Floor) |
| 11:30 – 12:00 pm | Lunch |
| 12:00pm-
12:30pm | <i>Travel to Superior Court of Justice</i> |
| 12:30 - 2:00pm | Chat with Chief Justice Smith
Personal Journeys to a Career in Law
Location: Superior Court of Justice, 361 University Ave, Toronto (various rooms) |
| 2:00-2:30pm | <i>Travel to law firms</i> |
| 2:30 - 3:30pm | Law Firm Tours
Location: Various locations downtown Toronto |

Attention Future Trailblazers:

- ❖ Students must arrive by between 9:00am - 9:30am to register. Light snacks will be provided for breakfast. Please be on time.
- ❖ When you receive a nametag at the registration table, you will notice a COLOUR on the top right hand corner. This represents the group you will be in for the day. You will be assigned seating at Victoria College and travel with your group throughout the day. **It is very important you stay with your assigned group all day.**
- ❖ If other students from your school are attending Trailblazers, we will do our best to place you in the same group. If this isn't possible, please remember that this is a great opportunity to meet other new Trailblazers!
- ❖ You must wear your nametag for the event because it allows us access to the places we will be visiting. When we go to the Superior Court of Justice, you will be going through "airport-like" security. Please make sure you have your nametag visible and have **no weapons** (including forks, knives, nail files etc.) on you or in your possession.
- ❖ Each group has been assigned a group supervisor who knows the schedule and where you are supposed to be. We are on a **very tight** schedule for the day, so please follow their lead. If you have any questions or problems, feel free to speak to your group supervisor.
- ❖ Lunch will be provided by Law in Action Within Schools (LAWS). The lunch meets all the dietary restrictions and allergies indicated on your registration forms.
- ❖ This day has been designed for you to interact with a number of different women working in law. We encourage you to ask questions throughout the day. If you don't feel comfortable asking, your group supervisor can ask for you or you can send us questions in advance and we will forward them along.
- ❖ You're welcome to bring snacks, but please be mindful of allergies. This means absolutely no products containing peanuts.
- ❖ If you attend school in Toronto and indicated on your registration form that you have a **TTC student ID** or **metropass**, you are expected to bring it with you.
- ❖ We encourage students to wear **business casual attire** - school uniforms, dress pants/slacks and a blouse, a skirt and nice top are all acceptable. Remember that you will be meeting women in law, so represent yourselves and your school well. WEAR SENSIBLE SHOES – no matter how cute those heels are, they were not made for walking downtown – opt for flats (or at least carry some in your purse).
- ❖ Students will be dismissed at the end of the day from the law firm and you are responsible for your transportation home. All law firms are located right downtown in Toronto (near Union Station and subways).
- ❖ Have a great day. Have fun and remember: you are future Trailblazers!!!