### LBCCFA's Monday Morning Message- 19 November 2018

### **Did You Know?**

- Many fellow CTA members have been seriously affected by California's
  most recent round of wildfires, and you can help! Visit the CTA's special
  Member Services page on wildfire assistance to learn how you can help (or
  get help) through CTA.
- Last year LBCCFA came together in support of one of its members and was able to donate enough sick leave hours to cover their needs. We need that help again as fellow member Colleen Nanno does not have sufficient sick leave hours; and the hours LBCCFA has collected so far this semester aren't enough to cover the difference. Please consider donating a few sick leave hours if you have not done so already. You can find the sick leave donation form <a href="here">here</a> (fill out the "Contract Hours" portion). You can return it via campus mail to President Hund (Mail Code Y12) or e-mail her directly.
- The Fall FA Social at the LBCC Fall Dance Ensemble is set for Nov. 30. Click here to view the flyer for the event. LBCCFA still has 17 tickets available for members. Reply to <a href="mailto:ccalbccoffice@gmail.com">ccalbccoffice@gmail.com</a> to receive a free ticket to the event.
- LBCCFA is planning a finals week stress reliever for our hard-working faculty. On Tuesday, December 11th we will be bringing therapy dogs to the LAC campus from 11 AM 2 PM and we will be offering freshly made smoothies as a sweet treat. On December 12th we will be making fresh smoothies for our faculty on the PCC campus (location and time will be determined soon).

## **Upcoming Events:**

- LBCCFA Social at LBCC Fall Dance Ensemble: Friday, Nov. 30, 7 PM, Downey Theater
- LBCCD Board of Trustees meeting: Tues., Dec. 11, 5 PM, LAC, T-1100.
- LBCCFA Finals Week Stress Reliver (more details to follow):
  - Tuesday, December 11, 11 AM 2 PM, LAC Campus, location TBD
  - o Wednesday, December 12, Time TBD, PCC Campus, location TBD

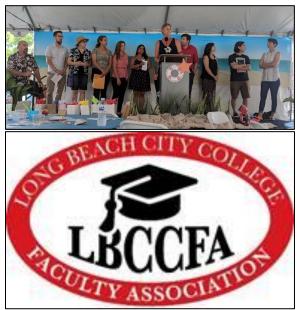
- End of Semester/Change of FA Leadership Happy Hour: Thursday, Dec. 13, 4:30 PM 6:30 PM, Location TBA
- President Romali's Sweet Holiday Afternoon Cookie Exchange:
  - Tuesday, Dec. 18, 11:30 AM 1:30 PM, LAC, T-1200
  - Wednesday, Dec. 19, 11:30 AM 1:30 PM, PCC, GG-238

# This Week in Labor *Herstory*:

On November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1909, more than 20,000 manufacturing workers employed in New York's shirtwaist (blouse) industry, most of them young Yiddish-speaking women, went on strike. The strikers faced constant harassment from employers and police throughout the eleven-week walkout, which culminated in a partial victory for the women workers. The gains included a fifty-two-hour work week, a minimum of four annual holidays, and the right to engage in collective negotiation for wages. For more, see the excellent summary by historian Tony Michels at the *Jewish Women's Archive*.

Respectfully,

### **Your LBCCFA Executive Board**



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