

LBCCFA's Monday Morning Message- 19 February 2019

Did You Know?

- **The National Education Association has published some helpful hints on filing your tax return as an educator.** Click [here](#) to learn about some of deductions you may qualify for as a teacher.
- **In the interest of sustainability, CalSTRS will no longer be issuing hard copies of employer information circulars and employer directives, effective July 1, 2019.** If you wish to receive a notification when new employer information circulars and employer directives are available, subscribe to email updates online [here](#). Employer information circulars and employer directives are available online [here](#).

Upcoming Events:

- **LBCCFA Representative Council Meeting:**
 - Friday, Feb. 22, 10 AM, LAC, T-2312
- **LBCCD Board of Trustees meeting:**
 - Tues., Feb. 27, 5:30 PM, LAC, T-1100

This Week in Labor History:

On February 22nd, 2018, teachers in West Virginia initiated a wildcat strike in response to substandard pay and high healthcare costs. The strike shut down schools in each of the state's 55 counties and involved approximately 20,000 employees. On March 7, the W.V. State Legislature brought the work stoppage to an end by agreeing to a 5% pay raise.

Respectfully,

Your LBCCFA Executive Board



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