

## LBCCFA's Monday Morning Message- 22 April 2019

### Did You Know?

- **In today's Rep. Council Spotlight:**
  - **Name:** Laurie Potter
  - A photograph of Laurie Potter, a woman with short blonde hair, wearing a black cardigan over a light blue collared shirt and olive green pants. She is sitting on a stone ledge outdoors with trees in the background.
  - **Department:** English as a Second Language
  - **Year arrived at LBCC:** "I have been a full-time faculty member, ESL, since 2002."
  - **Favorite topic to teach:** "My favorite lesson is teaching students about paraphrasing and summarizing. It always leads to a good class discussion!"
  - **Department brag:** "We started a new AA degree in Linguistics."
  - **Free-Time:** "In my free time, I like to travel."
- **May 7<sup>th</sup> is Teacher Appreciation Night at Dodgers Stadium.** Educators who purchase their tickets [here](#) will receive a Dodgers "Teacher Appreciation" night T-shirt.

### Upcoming Events:

- **LBCC Board of Trustees Meeting:**
  - Wednesday, Apr. 24, 5:30 PM, LAC, T-1100
- **Equity Speaker Series (RSVP [here](#) using password *Spring 2019*):**
  - Gender Pronouns, Awareness, and Inclusivity (approved for Flex Credit)
    - Weds., Apr. 24, 1:30 PM – 3 PM, LAC, T-1200
  - Cultural Sensitivity
    - Thurs., May 9, 8:45 AM – 10:45 AM, LAC, T-1200

- Thurs., May 9, 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM, PCC, GG-238
- **LGBTQ Safe Zone and Ally Training** (RSVP [here](#) using password *LBCC Ally*):
  - LGBTQ+ 2.0 (approved for Flex Credit)
    - Weds., Apr. 24, 12 PM – 1 PM, LAC, T-1200
  - Viking Pride
    - Thurs., May 9, 12 PM – 1 PM, LAC, T-1100
- **LBCCFA Representative Council Meeting:**
  - Friday, May 10, 10 AM, LAC, Room TBA

### **This Week in Labor History:**

**On April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018**, approximately 20,000 teachers walked off the job in Arizona to protest substandard pay and cuts to the state's education budget. While the teachers did not win all of their demands, on May 3<sup>rd</sup> they returned to their classrooms after receiving a 19 percent raise over three years and modest increases to overall education spending in the state. For more on the teacher strike wave in 2018, check out journalist Eric Blanc's soon-to-be-published book [\*Red State Revolt\*](#).

Respectfully,

**Your LBCCFA Executive Board**



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