

Talking Points for Legislative Chairs, October 2016

Details are in the October issue of the *Advocacy Communicator*.

- The Local Control Funding Formula, the state's new school finance system, is three years old. Parents should be actively involved in developing the Local Control and Accountability Plan, but a couple of surveys have shown that most parents aren't even aware of the LCFF or the LCAP. What are we going to do about that in our PTA?
- The last day to register for the November election is October 24. It's not too late to encourage high school seniors and parents to register to vote.
- Registration is open for Sacramento Safari, which will take place on February 27 and 28. Are we sending someone from our PTA?
- The Communicator has an interesting article about the Brown Act, which ensures that school board members and other elected officials don't make decisions in secret.
- Ron Bennett will be the speaker at the next Advocacy Forum on October 28. He is a wonderful speaker and always has lots of great information. We should all go!

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