

October 2021

Top Three from PFT

Please contact your Site Rep for details

COVID -19 Leave Options

- Worker's Compensation
 - **You are encouraged to file an Injury Notice right away** if you believe you have tested positive for COVID-19 because of work-related exposure. The form is available from your supervisor. Questions? Contact Workers' Compensation Specialist, Beatriz Cruz-Rivera, bcruzrivera@powayusd.com or the Workers' Compensation Desk: 1-858-521-2852.
- PFT is continuing our efforts to negotiate COVID-19 related leave since CA Supplemental Paid Sick Leave (SPSL) expired on September 30.

Catastrophic Leave Changes

- A two-question survey was sent to Members this Tuesday from Survey Monkey via an email from PFT Director, Patrick Keough.
 - **TROUBLESHOOTING TIPS:** Check your spam folder. You may need to add SurveyMonkey to your email allow list. If you still do not receive it, you may have opted out of SurveyMonkey. Please opt back in at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/user/email-opt-in/>. If none of this works, please email Becky Kealy, our Office Manager bkealy@powayteachers.org to make sure we have the proper non-PUSD email address on file for you.
- Survey closes October 29 at 4:00 p.m.
- Results will be analyzed, a new tech platform (Qualtrics) will be set up to accept and track donations, and the drive will be kicked off (targeting early November)
- Remember: In the new system, you must donate (likely every three years) to be eligible to be a recipient of catastrophic leave

IBPS Negotiations

- Upcoming IBPS Dates: October 27 & 29. November 1 & 12. December 1 & 8
- PFT Initial Negotiations Proposal for 2021-22 (attached) & bargaining survey top priorities (attached) are topics for negotiations

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