## **November Best Practices:**

* All of your elected officers should be trained. At least one person must attend PTA and the Law. See the Council website for training opportunities under Upcoming Events. http://www.issaquahptsa.org/
* Provide a recap of Leg. Assembly to your board and membership. Share the 2019 Top 5 Legislative Priorities + Supported Issues.

https://www.wastatepta.org/40th-annual-wspta-legislative-assembly-wrap/

* Recognize your Reflections participants for their creativity! Submit finalist entries to the Council Reflections Chairs on November 19th.
* Run a Winter Membership Campaign. Do something new and unique to differentiate from your fall campaign. Reach out to other schools to share your success stories and ask for theirs.
* Begin looking for people to serve on your 2019-2020 Nominating Committee, and be sure they join your PTA at least 30 days before they are elected to serve. Check your Standing Rules to see if you have a deadline for electing your committee. The Nominating Committee & Elections Handbook is a helpful resource. <https://www.wastatepta.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/NomComElections_Handbook_2018-19-FINAL-rev10-18.pdf>
* Save all documentation of the above items and use it to apply for the Standards of Excellence Award! Submissions due by March 1, 2019. Refer to the timeline checklist each month and gather/create documents as you go. Easy as pie! <http://www.wastatepta.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/SOE-Best-Practices-Timeline.pdf>

*Thank you for investing your time to serve the needs of your Students, Staff, Board of Directors, Membership and Community.*

*Please remember that Council is here to support you!☺*