

**Kiwanis Honors Emperor Students  
Leena Feidi, Annie Lee, and Laura Pulone  
May 9, 2006**



Kiwanis Club of Temple City was pleased to have honored three outstanding students from Emperor Elementary School at their meeting on May 9, 2006. Pictured with the proud students is Emperor teacher, Miss Mary Ann Parrille.

**Leena** is 12 years old and is in Miss Parille's class. She has 3 older brothers and sisters and enjoys soccer, math, and figuring out puzzles. Leena said, "the best things about school are the great teachers, the rules, and my friends." If Leena could change one thing, it would be that her father was still alive. Leena has goals of building a place where people can come in and forget all their worries, to get straight A's, get a good education, and a nice house.

**Annie** is 11 years old and is in Ms. Carlson's class. She enjoys reading, the computer, drawing, listening to music, singing, and playing the piano. Annie said, "the best things about school are it is clean and very well organized, the kids learn a lot of stuff and have many fun activities to do, the teachers and staff are really nice, wonderful, helpful and fun." Personal goals Annie is striving for are to build a sanctuary for the homeless, getting good grades, go to a University, and to make more friends because you can never have enough.

**Laura** is 12 years old and is in Mr. Giangregorio's class. She enjoys playing on the computer, caring for her dog, reading, outdoor activities, and traveling. The best things about school are the caring teachers, fun activities, and P.E. Laura said, "the best thing that ever happened to me was winning a Young Author Award from Barnes & Noble and having my book in the library in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade." Laura has goals of being accepted into college, to get a good job, make many friends, and to stay healthy.

Each week, the Temple City Kiwanis Club is pleased to recognize outstanding students and their teachers from Cloverly, Emperor, Longden, and the Community Learning Center. Kiwanis treats students and their teacher to lunch. Students receive a certificate, a letter for their parents, a bumper sticker, a gift certificate from The Hat restaurant, and a photograph of them receiving their award.

Temple City Kiwanis has been serving our community since 1939. Members are dedicated men and women who desire to make a difference in the quality of life for the youth of Temple City. Kiwanis meets at 12:00 noon each Tuesday at Sir George's Restaurant. To find out more about Kiwanis, please call Jerry Jambazian at (626) 286-2444. You can also visit their new website at [www.templecitykiwanis.org](http://www.templecitykiwanis.org).