

# Kiwanis Honors Emperor Elementary School Students Hannah Ang, Michelle Gabelman, and Jessica Trac January 12, 2016



The Kiwanis Club of Temple City recognized three outstanding students from Emperor Elementary School. Accompanying the students was Emperor teacher, Mr. Greg Giangregorio.

**Hannah** is 11 years old and in Mr. Giangregorio's class. She has an older sister and enjoys soccer, basketball, hamsters, and dogs. She also has an interest in Ancient Civilization. Hannah said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are the holiday parties, the library full of good books, and the nice assemblies." The best thing that ever happened was when she got her first ever dog. If she could change one thing, it would be to stop wasting water. Personal goals are to build a system where you can put all your unused water into a bucket to be used on your plants, get into a good college, become a world league soccer player, and stay healthy and fit.

**Michelle** is 11 years old and in Mrs. Scanlan's class. She has three older brothers and enjoys soccer and volleyball. Michelle said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are spending time with her friends, learning in an easy way, and the really awesome teachers." The best thing that ever happened was going to Six Flags Magic Mountain. If she could change one thing, it would be to not have so much homework. Personal goals are to build an underwater see-through tunnel, get all A's, become super good at soccer, and spend more time with her family.

**Jessica** is 11 years old and in Miss Trieu's and Mrs. Geis' class. She has an older sister and enjoys art, volleyball, and playing the guitar. Jessica said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are the helpful and supportive teachers, interesting subjects, and kind friends." The best thing that ever happened was going on a vacation to Europe and spending quality time with her family. If she could change one thing, it would be to have no more bullies. Personal goals are to build a machine to cure cancer, receive all A's, get into an Ivy League College, and read at least 100 books in 2016.

Each week the Temple City Kiwanis Club is pleased to recognize outstanding students and their teachers from Cloverly, Emperor, Longden, Oak Avenue, and the Dr. Doug Sears 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. Their photo will also be published in the *Mid Valley News* and posted in the lobby at the Temple City Unified School District Office and on their website.

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 Denny's Restaurant. To find out more about Kiwanis, please contact Jerry Jambazian at (626) 643-9460. You can also visit their website at

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