

Kiwanis Honors Dr. Doug Sears Learning Center Students

Issac Ochoa and Juan Patino

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The Kiwanis Club of Temple City recognized two outstanding students from the Dr. Doug Sears Learning Center. Accompanying the students was thirteen-year DDSLC teacher, Mr. Raul Acevedo.

Issac is 16 years old and in Mrs. Lopez class. He has four brothers and sisters and enjoys skating at the skatepark and playing old school video games. Issac said, "The best things about The Learning Center are the nice teachers, the schedule timing is just right, and all my friends go here". The best thing that ever happened was being sponsored for the shopproscooterlabflow team. If he could change one thing, it would be getting rid of negative conflict relating to war. If he could build one thing, it would be a massive shelter for the homeless. Personal goals are to become a professional scooter rider and travel the world, graduate high school, and go to school for art to become a tattoo artist.

Juan is 18 years old and in Mrs. Lopez class. He has four brothers and sisters and enjoys sports and dragon ball. Juan said, "The best things about The Learning Center are the teachers and staff, activities, and the students". The best thing that ever happened was getting a job at McDonalds. If he could change one thing, he would like to be taller. If he could build one thing, it would be a giant dog park. Personal goals are to become a better person, make the world a little better, and make everyone he knows proud of him.

Each week the Temple City Kiwanis Club is pleased to recognize outstanding students and their teachers from Cloverly, Emperor, Longden, Oak Avenue, Temple City High School, 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 North Woods Inn, and a photograph of them receiving their award. Their photo and story will be posted on the Temple City Unified School District website and on their Facebook page.

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