## Kiwanis Honors Emperor Elementary School Students Jeremy Kim, Joshua Hwang, and Esther Wu November 13, 2018



The Kiwanis Club of Temple City recognized three outstanding students from Emperor Elementary School. Accompanying the students was Emperor teacher Miss Roxanne Trieu and Principal Dr. Linda Chang.

**Jeremy** is 11 years old and in Miss Trieu's class. He has an older brother and enjoys sports and video games. Jeremy said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are the teachers, recess, and physical education". The best thing that ever happened was becoming a receiver in flag football. If he could change one thing, it would be to have middle school start in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Personal goals are to build a machine to do his homework, get good grades, get taller by next year, and get into flag football All-Stars.

**Joshua** is 11 years old and in Mrs. Scanlan's class. He has two older sisters and enjoys football and the Percy Jackson series. Joshua said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are the teachers, staff, the safe and clean campus". The best thing that ever happened was getting his dog. If he could change one thing, it would be world hunger. Personal goals are to build a machine to make any food for himself, reading at higher book levels, get better at football, and learn a new language.

**Esther** is 11 years old and in Mr. Giangregorio's class. She has a younger sister and enjoys drawing, reading, cooking, and math. Esther said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are all the teachers, her friends, and the assemblies that the PTA provide and pay for". The best thing that ever happened was when her little sister was born. If she could change one thing, it would be to have people stop arguing and hurting each other. Personal goals are to have a place to relax and be at peace, get straight A's by the end of the year, improve her writing and reading skills, and to get over her fears and be confident with herself.

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 <a href="https://www.templecitykiwanis.org">www.templecitykiwanis.org</a>.