

Kiwanis Honors Emperor Elementary School Students Jack Scanlan, Evon Chen, and Allison Fong January 8, 2019



The Kiwanis Club of Temple City recognized three outstanding students from Emperor Elementary School. Accompanying the students was Emperor teacher Mrs. Shelley Scanlan. Emperor Vice Principal Mrya Ruedel accompanied the students also.

Jack is 11 years old and in Miss Trieu's class. He has an older sister and enjoys all sports and history. Jack said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are the dedicated teachers, the students, and classrooms". The best thing that ever happened was going to the recent MLB World Series Game at Dodger Stadium. If he could change one thing, it would be to not have people be so mean. If he could build one thing, it would be a robot that could catch and throw a ball. Personal goals are to get a better grade in math (from a B to an A), get a double double in basketball in every game, and help others as much as possible.

Evon is 11 years old and in Mr. Giangregorio's class. She has an older brother and enjoys drawing, painting, and reading. Evon said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are everyone is kind to each other, none of the teachers are very strict, there is always someone at school that could be your friend". The best things that ever happened was when she met her friends and got her computer. If she could change one thing, it would be to stop world pollution. Personal goals are to become bigger and taller, become better at art, and grow up to be a healthy good person.

Allison is 11 years old and in Mrs. Scanlan's class. She enjoys playing the piano. Allison said, "The best things about Emperor Elementary are great teachers, the many assemblies and activities that other schools don't have, and all the new technology available". The best thing that ever happened was celebrating Christmas for the first time. If she could change one thing, it would be to make herself a better person, by being more respectful, and more responsible. If she could build one thing it would be an important landmark. Personal goals are to get good grades this year, get into Algebra I in the 7th grade at Oak Avenue, and go to a great college like Stanford.

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.