



Kiwanis Honors Longden Elementary School Students Maryjane Rosales and Daiju Mori November 17, 2020



The Kiwanis Club of Temple City recognized two outstanding students from Longden Elementary School. During this time of pandemic our club recognized these great students at a virtual Zoom meeting.



Maryjane is 11 years old and in the 6th grade. She is in Mrs. Lam's class. She has a younger brother and enjoys playing soccer, softball, and playing Roblox for fun. Maryjane said, "The best things about Longden is the huge yard area, the birthday books our school gives out, and the school Book Fairy. The best thing that ever happened was when she won the Soccer and Softball Championships.

If she could change one thing, it would be to stop pollution. If she could build one thing, it would be a big tree house mansion. Personal goals Maryjane is striving for are to practice more with her sports, get better at art, and to make more homeruns and goals.



Daiju is 11 years old and in the 6th grade. He is in Mrs. Diana Lam's class. He has a younger brother and sister and enjoys watching Anime's, eating and sleeping, and talking with his friends online after school. Daiju said, "The best things about Longden are the kind and caring staff, the time he thought the restrooms were dirty, but they were not, and the fun and exciting assemblies. The best thing that ever happened was meeting his best friend in the third grade.

If he could change one thing, it would be to read more books in the library. If he could build one thing, it would be a state called Emina, which is Anime spelled backwards. Personal goals Daiju is striving for is to become a teacher for poor kids, get straight A's, and to grow taller.

Each month the Temple City Kiwanis Club is pleased to recognize outstanding students and their teachers from La Rosa, Cloverly, Emperor, Longden, Oak Avenue, Dr. Doug Sears Learning Center, and Temple City High School. Students receive a certificate, a letter for their parents, and a bumper sticker. 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.