



Kiwanis Honors La Rosa Elementary School Students Isaiah Banuelos and Alyssa Tien January 19, 2021



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



Isaiah is 9 years old and in the 3rd grade. He is in Ms. Futa's class. He has an older brother and enjoys playing soccer, watching Rams Football, Kings Hockey, Lakers Basketball, reading, and playing Minecraft. Isaiah said, "The best things about La Rosa are the great teachers, learning about math and reading, and all the good friends I have made". The best thing that ever happened was scoring a game winning goal to win a soccer championship.

If he could change one thing, it would be to not have Covid so we don't have to wear a mask. If Isaiah could build one thing, it would be a large hospital so people could get the right treatment and feel better fast. Personal goals are to learn a lot about fractions, become a better soccer player, and write longer paragraphs.



Alyssa is 8 years old and in the 3rd grade. She is in Mrs. Futa's class. She has two younger sisters and enjoys reading, swimming, and doing arts and crafts. Alyssa said, "The best things about La Rosa are the amazing teachers, school spirit, and my great friends". The best thing that ever happened is being a part of a loving family.

If she could change one thing, it would be to never have a pandemic. If Alyssa could build one thing, it would be a machine that would instantly clean my room by putting my toys away and make my bed. Personal goals are to learn to roller skate, teach her sister how to read, and learn to bake.

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 normally 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.