



# Kiwanis Honors Longden Elementary School Students Julian Pinhiero and Bette Trinh January 19, 2021



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.



**Julian** is 11 years old and in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. He is in Mr. Randy Green's class. He has an older sister and enjoys interactive gaming and sports, and doing Ted Ed speeches. Julian said, "The best things about Longden are being able to make new friends, the teachers are great to me, and I love how much effort the staff put into making it enjoyable." The best thing that ever happened was getting a new puppy because I missed my other dog so much.

If he could change one thing, it would be global health because millions and billions can't fix everything on their own. If Julian could build one thing, it would be a machine that detects cancer and determine how to treat it with 100% accuracy. Personal goals are to be an all-around better person, a friend that he can stick with and rely on, and find his own way and make money.



**Bette** is 11 years old and in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. She is in Mr. Randy Green's class. She has an older brother and enjoys creating art, playing games, and math. Bette said, "The best things about Longden are meeting others, the kind teachers, and learning math." The best thing that ever happened is having amazing friends, my teachers, and a my great family.

If she could change one thing, it would be to go back to in-person learning at school. If Bette could build one thing, it would be a poster to say "Stop Littering and Help Our World." Personal goals are to study hard, try her best, and have fun.

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](http://www.templecitykiwanis.org).