

# TEMPLE CITY KIWANIS CLUB

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"Let's Help More Children"

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**FEBRUARY 12, 2019 TUESDAY 12:00 P.M. VOL. 80 NO. 19**

## THIS TUESDAY

Someone promises a wonderful program this Tuesday. Bring your sweetheart for our Valentines Special. We will also welcome Students of the Month from Emperor Elementary School.

## LAST TUESDAY

Our speaker for the day was to be Daryl Topalian, Vice-Principal at Oak Avenue. He decided to motor to Reno to watch the Super Bowl. He discovered the roads closed with snow. We were happy to have the new Director of Secondary Education, Dr. Michael Williams fill in for him. He has been with the District for three months and lives in Brea with his four children. He is a member of Tustin Kiwanis and previously served in the Tustin Unified School District. Dr. Williams spoke of all the good things happening in the district. I would love to tell you about a huge award, but it is too soon to talk about it. Only fifteen schools have won this award.

Guest included Carole Rodenbucher and Bill Kobayashi. Bob Rodenbucher celebrated 10 good years with Carole. She wanted to know what happened to the other 41 years. Bob also celebrated a birthday. I am sure Carole had a surprise gift for him when they got home.

Bill Kobayashi was presented with a check for \$250 for our sponsorship fee. National Little League will have their opening ceremonies on the opening day of the Camellia Festival. They field nineteen teams and they seem to win something every year. Former member Al Millham he honored with the field being named after him for all his years as District 18 Director.

Everyone should be selling their Pancake Breakfast tickets for the morning of the parade. We have received a thank you note from TCHS Principal Dr. Jennifer Lashier, "On behalf of a well deserving, thank you for your generosity during a challenging time. I am always appreciate the opportunity to bring joy in a student's life".

## STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

We welcomed four outstanding students from Oak Avenue Intermediate School, and two students from Temple City High School. Accompanying the students from Oak teachers Mrs. Marta Bourjeili and Mrs. Winnie Joe. Students from TCHS were joined by Principal Dr. Jennifer Lashier.

**Ethan** is 13 years old and in Mrs. Bourjeili's class. He has a younger sister and enjoys playing video games, reading, sleeping, and thinking. Ethan said, "The best things about Oak Avenue are all the clubs, especially robotics, the teachers, and the Maverick Team". The best thing that ever happened was getting into Royal PIE Robotics and meeting new people. If he could change one thing, it would be to remove fossil fuels and use 100% renewable energy. If he could build one thing, it would be an interplanetary business on advanced Artificial Intelligence, or a powered exoskeleton. Personal goals are to get into a good college or university with a scholarship, become an engineer for law enforcement or armed services, and fit more sleep into his schedule.

**Samantha** is 13 years old and in Mrs. Bourjeili's class. She has an older brother and enjoys playing the flute and painting during her free time. Samantha said, "The best things about Oak Avenue is that it is academically challenging, yet enjoyable, Oak makes people feel welcomed and encourages students to speak out, and the delightful and engaging events throughout the year". The best thing that ever happened was when she was four and thought she was home alone, and her family surprised her with a cake. If she could change one thing, it would be to make the world cancer free. If she could build one thing, it would be a cancer treatment machine that would destroy cancer cells with a single treatment. Personal goals are to be more efficient with her time, learn a new language, and to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

**Olivia** is 12 years old and in Mrs. Joe's class. She has a younger brother and enjoys playing soccer. Olivia said, "The best things about Oak Avenue are the Principal Ms. Millan and Vice-Principal Mr. Topalian, the teachers, and all my friends". The best thing that ever happened was when little brother was born. If she could change one thing, she would want to be more out-going around new people. If she could build one thing, it would be a giant house with a pool and pond for her family. Personal goals are to get all A's and B's, to be on the All Star team in soccer, and become better at horseback riding.

**Brandon** is 13 years old and in Mrs. Joe's class. He has a younger sister and enjoys programming games on computers. Brandon said, "The best things about Oak Avenue are all the clubs and activities, the Voyager Team that Rocks!, and the nice campus". The best thing that ever happened was over the course of three days to be invited as a VIP guest at a NASA event. If he could change one thing, it would be to unify all languages on the earth. If he could build one thing, it would be a Virtual Reality system like the one in the book Ready Player One. Personal goals are to program a tool on the computer like Garage Band, beating the game "Zelda, Breath of the Wild", and mastering the clarinet and oboe.

**Jacob** is 16 years old and has a four brothers. He enjoys art, reading, manga, watching anime, and music. Jacob said, "The best things about Temple City High School are the amazing teachers, the friendly and welcoming student community, and the beautiful and useful library". The best thing that ever happened was coming to America, it opened new opportunities and meeting amazing people. If he could change one thing, it would be to not sleep and not feel tired. If he could build one thing, it would be a giant library with a cafe. Personal goals are to get into a good college, become friends with his new mentee, and get into AP Studio Art in his senior year.

**Haley** is 18 years old and has an older brother. She enjoys coaching soccer, going on adventures, playing soccer, and photography. Haley said, "The best things about Temple City High School are all the welcoming staff members, Graphic Communication with Ms. Kidd, and the ASB festivities". The best thing that ever happened was having her mom in her life for almost eighteen years. If she could change one thing, it would be to end the liberal and conservative hate for one another. If she could build one thing, it would be a machine to make endless clear and safe water to drink. Personal goals are to have financial stability, a career with personal satisfaction, marriage and family harmony, and a commitment to improve her physical health, mindset, and balance.

## KIWANIS KALANDAR

February 9 - Lunar New Year Celebration at Temple City Park 1-4 p.m.  
February 9 - Camellia Festival Royal Dinner @ Historical Society 5 p.m.  
February 9 - Rose Float Blackjack Fundraiser @ La Salle HS 4-8 p.m.  
February 12 - Valentine Program TBD by Steve Montesanti  
February 19 - Camellia Festival Royal Court visit  
February 22-24 - 75th Annual Camellia Festival Weekend

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Starbucks is planning on selling beer and wine. Apparently it's getting difficult to sell sober people a \$12 cup of coffee."

**See you Tuesday, Jerry**

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Not Assigned

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#### CAMELLIA PANCAKE B\*FAST

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Matt Smith

#### CHRISTMAS

Ron Dorazio / Steve Montesanti

#### CONCERTS IN THE PARK

Steve Montesanti / Jim Robuck

#### CLUBS IN DIVISION 10

##### TUESDAY

**ALHAMBRA** - 5 p.m.  
Denny's Rest. - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays  
369 W Main St, Alhambra

**MONTEBELLO** - Noon  
Daily Brew - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays  
137 N Montebello Ave. Montebello

**SAN GABRIEL** - Noon  
Hilton Hotel - 2nd & 4th Thursdays  
225 W Valley Blvd. San Gabriel

**TEMPLE CITY** - Noon  
Northwood's Restaurant  
7247 Rosemead Blvd. - San Gabriel-

##### WEDNESDAY

**ALTADENA-CROWN CITY** - Noon  
1st, 2nd, & 3rd Wednesdays  
Altadena Community Center  
730 E Altadena Dr., Altadena

**VILLA GARDENS** - 4th & 5th Wednesdays  
842 E Villa St., Pasadena

##### MONTEREY PARK - 12:30 P.M.

NYC Seafood Restaurant  
715 W Garvey Ave. Monterey Park

##### SOUTH PASADENA - Noon

Calvary Pres.Church  
1050 Fremont (at Oxley) So.Pasadena

##### BUILDER'S CLUB - 12:20 P.M.

Oak Avenue Intermediate School  
Room 511 (near the lunch area)

##### THURSDAY

##### PASADENA - Noon

University Club - 1st,2nd,3rd Thursdays  
150 S. Oakland Ave. Pasadena

##### ROSEMEAD - Noon

Open Bible Church  
7915 Hellman Ave., Rosemead

##### Rose Float Club

Saturdays only as needed

City Bank Basement

315 E Colorado Blvd., Pasadena

