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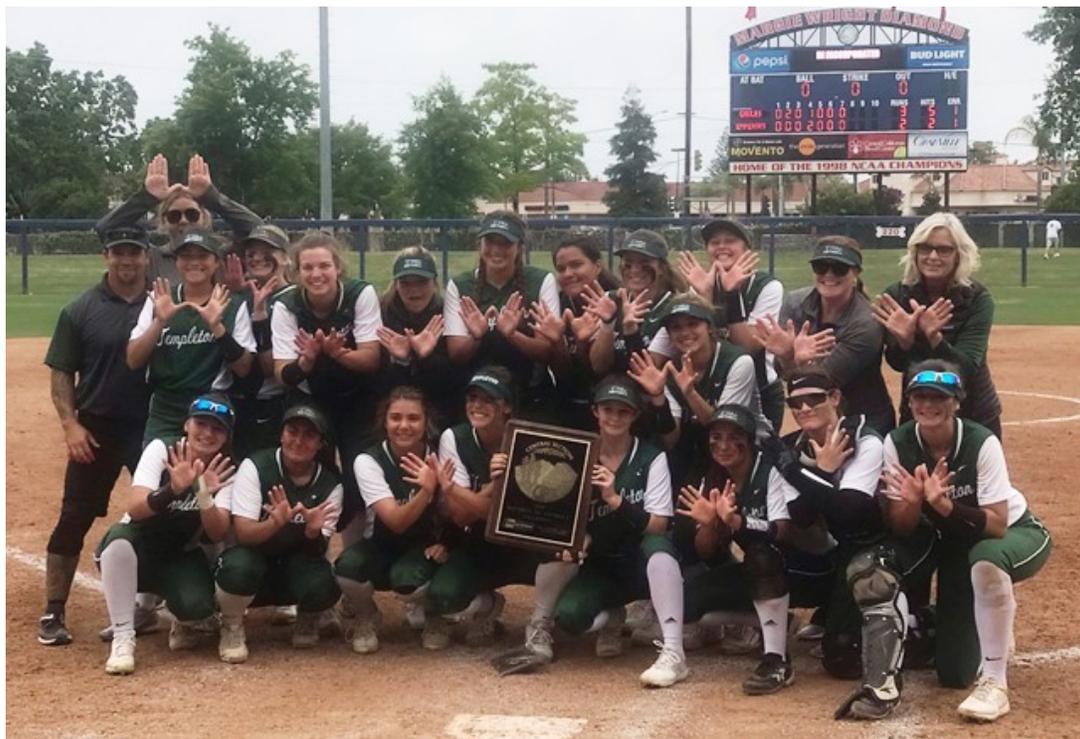


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EARNING A SPECIAL CHAMPIONSHIP

***From an online interview with Lindsay Franklin, THS Athletic Director
Championship photo provided by Franklin***

What makes the season and championship so special is how the team started - there were lower expectations on them.

We didn't have enough girls for the JV team, which means that our freshman didn't get at least a year of playing at the JV level to learn and adjust to the high school game. The kids had to learn quickly at varsity speed and buy-in right away.

In addition, they were voted into the Mountain League, so their league schedule was tough [included teams from Atascadero, Paso Robles, Arroyo Grande, Righetti, and San Luis Obispo]. They used their first round of league play as a learning opportunity; we won and lost the games we were supposed to.

Then, something switched on with the team where they really started to play together as a cohesive unit and only lost to Atascadero in their second round - including a 10-inning battle with Paso to a 4-2 victory.

Seeing the team not give up and fight with a tough and fundamentally-sound Paso Robles team was our real sign we had the potential to go on a deep championship run. After victories against league foe St. Joseph (2-1), Tulare Union (9-0) and Selma (14-3), we were set up for the championship game.

On Saturday, March 18, Templeton was the visiting team as the #2 seed against the #1 seed Dinuba in the CIF-Central Section Division 3 Championship. We didn't know a lot about Dinuba coming into Saturday's game other than they were probably one of the best hitting teams we'd see, and their pitcher threw with higher velocity up in the zone.

Templeton put two runs together in the top of the second, and another in the top of the fourth. Dinuba responded with two runs in the bottom of the fourth by a string of plays from their 2 3-4 hitters. It was a close intense game, and while Templeton traveled with a big crowd, Dinuba's was bigger and very loud. Our kids did a great job of keeping their composure and not letting the big moments and plays of the game get to them.

With the Eagles leading, the game came down to two outs, Dinuba runners on 2nd and 3rd, and the heart of their lineup due up. Momentum was headed back to the Emperor's side when Templeton pitcher Ashley Daugherty got the third out on a big strikeout - ending the threat and sealing the deal. Templeton earned their first CIF Softball Championship since 2006.

Seniors Makaila Landes and Ashley Daugherty graduate from the program and move on. THS shows a lot of promise with a very young team now knowing what it feels like to be champions - and likely to be hungry for more.

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

"Templeton Softball takes home CIF Sectional Championship in Fresno"

The Tribune - May 18, 2019

By Scott Middlecamp

Templeton High School softball team hung on to beat No. 1 seeded Dinuba 3-2 to win the CIF Central Section Division 3 title Saturday at Fresno State.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to read more. Short video also available...

County Community Connection Event at Veterans Hall in San Luis Obispo

Provided by Supervisor John Peschong

The San Luis Obispo County Departments of Veteran Services and Social Services are hosting an event next week to unite the community and help connect individuals with services from the County, CalVet, the Federal Veterans Administration, and local non-profits.

The event will take place at the SLO Veterans Hall on May 29 from 10 am to 2 pm. All members of the community are invited to attend, regardless of veteran status. To encourage greater attendance, a Tri-Tip lunch prepared by a local veteran will be provided to attendees.

To learn more about County Veterans Services, please [CLICK HERE](#).

Friday Night Live awards nine local teen scholarships

Provided by Supervisor John Peschong

Friday Night Live (FNL), a program of the County Behavioral Health Department's Prevention & Outreach Division, honored nine local high school seniors with scholarships at the program's annual FNL banquet on May 9th at King David's Masonic Lodge in SLO.

The Board of Directors provided \$500 scholarship awards to Abigail Fugle (Morro

Bay HS), Justine Allen-Boston (Morro Bay HS), Suraya Jabaieh (Morro Bay HS), Samantha Gibbs (SLO HS), Rianna Ader (SLO HS), **Karly Dumont (Templeton HS)**, and Lynea Valencia (Shandon HS). Madeline Booker (Morro Bay HS) received a \$750 scholarship, given in the name of Casey Goodwin, a 20-year-old Cuesta College student and active youth alcohol-prevention advocate, who was killed by a drunk driver in March 2003.

These deserving seniors were recognized for their advocacy, leadership, and commitment to healthy lifestyles for their peers.

ARE YOU UP TO SPEED?

The Board of Directors at Templeton Community Services District (TCSD) will decide on Tuesday night whether or not to hold a special election asking the voters if they are willing to save Templeton Fire & Emergency Services through a tax levy. If the resolution to hold a special election passes, the election will be held in August. It is vitally important that all voters in the town of Templeton, get up to speed on the challenges facing the Fire Department and how TCSD proposes to solve them. A series of resources is available on the Soaring Eagle Press website. Just click on the "Decision 2019" tab for a list of available resources and links.

TEMPLETON WEATHER STATION



As of this weekend, Templeton has received a total of 29.93" of rain for the 2018/19 season as measured at the Meadowbrook Wastewater Treatment Plant. This is more than double Templeton's annual rainfall in that area. A great BIG THANK YOU to the folks at Templeton Community Services District (TCSD) for providing regular rainfall updates.

Mon 5/20	Tue 5/21	Wed 5/22	Thu 5/23	Fri 5/24	Sat 5/25	Sun 5/26	Mon 5/27
65° 45° F	61° 45° F	68° 48° F	64° 48° F	72° 49° F	66° 49° F	64° 47° F	71° 49° F
							
Mostly Sunny	AM Clouds/PM Sun	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy

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