

22 SEPT '20 - MORE GOOD NEWS UPDATE



WHALE ROCK T-SHIRTS TO BENEFIT TIMBA

As you all know, Whale Rock Music & Arts Festival is much more than a music festival, it is also a fundraiser for the Templeton Instrumental Music Boosters Association (TIMBA) that supports the Templeton High School Band & Music Program.

With the 2020 Festival cancelled due to COVID-19, TIMBA is losing their primary fundraiser for the year. This is a significant loss to the THS music program as their fundraising efforts the last two years yielded over \$20K each year!

So, in lieu of Whale Rock, the Udsen family at Castoro Cellars is putting on a limited edition "Whale Rock Lifer" t-shirt sale. The shirts are on sale now for \$25 with 100% of the purchase price from each shirt going directly to TIMBA! The shirts will be made to order and will ship some time in late October.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to purchase your "Whale Rock Lifer" limited edition t-shirt in support of the THS Band and music programs.

ELKS CLUB DONATES \$2500 TO TEMPLETON REC

Photo L to R: Atascadero Elks Lodge Treasurer Kris Pimentel, Templeton CSD Recreation



**Supervisor Melissa Johnson,
and Atascadero Elks Lodge
Member Esta Anderson.**

Templeton Recreation received a \$2,500 “Gratitude Grant” from the Atascadero Elks Lodge last Tuesday in an outdoors awards ceremony at the Bandstand in Templeton Park. The funds will be used to provide youth sports scholarships for families needing

assistance and equipment.

“We are overwhelmed with gratitude for the generosity of the Atascadero Elks Lodge and would like to thank them for their dedication to the youth in our communities,” said Melissa Johnson, Templeton Recreation Supervisor. “These funds will pay for 25 children to participate in programs they would otherwise be unable to play in – and that is a tremendous gift both to us, and more importantly to the kids.”

Templeton Recreation is currently offering Youth Soccer POD Play that is compliant with COVID-19 local and state guidelines. Children are learning individual skill development, enjoying being outdoors with their peers, and having fun! A Basketball POD Play Program will be offered in the near future.

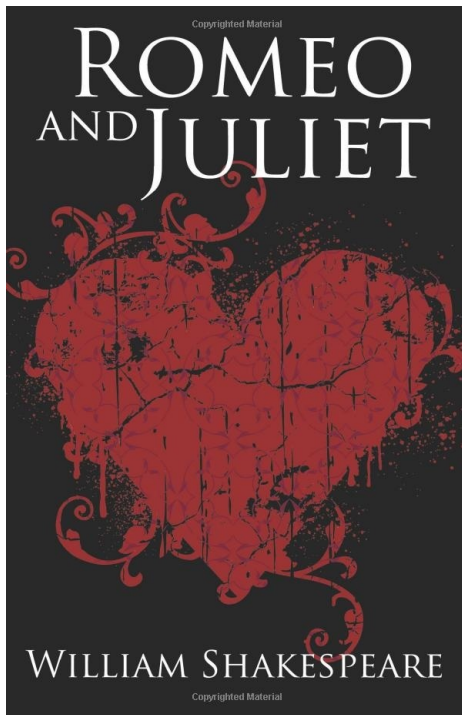
For more information, please contact Melissa Johnson at (805) 434-4909 or email her at mjohnson@templetoncsd.org.

THS DRAMA – FINDING WAYS AROUND COVID-19

From THS Drama

One important thing drama students learn is problem-solving, and they’ve had a lot of experience recently doing just that!

In theatre, the vast majority of costs and effort are expended before the show opens, and without the proceeds from ticket sales, there is no way to recover that investment. Virtually 100 % of the costs incurred by the Drama Department events are funded by ticket sales



and fundraising activities – not through the school budget.

In March, the cast and crew of “The Drowsy Chaperone” were less than two weeks away from opening night when their live performances were first delayed, and then cancelled due to the pandemic. The students were hopeful that they would be able to perform a limited, live run at the end of August, but once again, health conditions prevented the show from going on.

Figuring out how to recoup the money expended to produce “The Drowsy Chaperone”, without ticket sales for live performances, has been part of the problem-solving process.

To help replace the ticket sales income lost, THS Drama is bringing back a fan favorite! In 2014, we produced Shakespeare’s “Romeo and Juliet”. The staging, costumes, and acting were incredible and the full performance was video taped. Since then, the video has been updated with new content including interviews with the cast and crew six years later.

So, mark your calendars for the weekend of October 16-18 for an encore video performance of this excellent THS Drama production! The video can be rented anytime during that weekend either as an individual (\$15) or as a family (\$45). For more information and to rent the video, please [CLICK HERE](#). Preregistration has already begun so don’t miss out!

In addition to the above fundraiser, THS Drama has a lot more planned for this school year. In November, students will perform “Pride and Prejudice”, most likely as a streamed production. Then, we hope to perform Mel Brooks “Young Frankenstein” live and in person at the Templeton Performing Arts Center in March 2021. In addition, selected numbers from “The Drowsy Chaperone” will be available for viewing in the near future.

Like most other schools, THS and the Templeton Performing Arts Center were not prepared to provide streaming services at the time the pandemic began, but we are currently working toward that goal. New equipment, software, and skills are being acquired with the goal to provide professional quality streaming service for “Pride & Prejudice”.

Community support will go a long way toward making that possible. Please consider

sponsoring THS Drama today to ensure that THS can continue to provide a top-notch theatre arts education for our youth.

For more information, please contact THS Drama via email at templetondrama@gmail.com, or call (805) 591-4770.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



“ROMEO & JULIET” VIDEO FUNDRAISER

OCT 16 thru 18 on video – **THS Drama presents the 2014 performance of “ROMER & JULIET”**

A fundraiser for Templeton High School Drama. The staging and costumes are fantastic, the acting incredible, and the video contains extras that include interviews with the cast and crew.

Find out where they are now and what they are up to.

For more information and to rent the video, please [CLICK HERE](#).



BOOSTERS FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT NOW NOV 7

The annual THS Athletic Boosters Fall Golf Tournament has been rescheduled to Saturday, November 7 at the Cabernet Links Golf Course in Paso Robles. Those who have already registered, your registration from the earlier date will roll over to the new date or a full refund will be honored. To

register, please [CLICK HERE](#).

REMINDERS

SEPT 24 thru 30 – Templeton Community Clean Up Week

While at least 20 groups (families, civic clubs, etc.) have signed up to help, there are still some key areas that need clean up teams. For more info and to sign up, please [CLICK HERE](#).

SAT, SEPT 26 – “Keepin’ the Dream” Drive-Thru BBQ

A reminder to all ticket holders! Pick up your “Keepin’ the Dream” Drive-Thru BBQ dinners on Saturday at the Templeton Community Center (601 S. Main) parking lot from 4 to 7 pm.

If you missed the deadline and would still like a dinner ticket, there are a limited number left. Please call Laurie at the TCSD office at (805) 434-4900. **Tomorrow (Sept 23) only – first come first serve.**

TEMPLETON CALENDAR & BULLETIN BOARD

A reminder that the Templeton Calendar and Events Bulletin Board, along with a link to the most recent 10-day weather report, is now published online on the front page of the Soaring Eagle Press website (please [CLICK HERE](#)).

If your meeting or event isn’t listed, please send the information to nanette@soaringeaglepress.com. Whenever possible, please provide your meeting info at least by Friday prior to the week your information will be posted. Event information is welcome well in advance for posting. Thank you!

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