Good Deeds

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1. Elizabeth Wagner, Leanne Schlinger
2. Gavin Newsom, Laura Capps 3. Lois Capps, Geane DeLima, Sara Miller McCune
4. Karl and Nancy Hutterer 5. Susan and Jon Clark, Sigrid Wright, Ken and Jo Saxon
9. Russ and Laura McGlothlin 10. Adam and Lisa benShea, Jordan benShea, Danyel Dean

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Community Environmental Council

The Community Environmental Council (CEC; cecsb.org) held its annual Green Gala at The Lark restaurant in Santa Barbara last September. While dining on a bountiful selection of locally raised and prepared farm-to-table cuisine, attendees reveled in the council’s accomplishments on behalf of the residents of Santa Barbara and the entire Central Coast region. Since 1970 the CEC has been dedicated to a variety of environmental causes, including a push for clean energy and a reduction in fossil fuel dependence. Its programs include going solar and minimizing food waste and use of plastic products.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Conejo Valley

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Conejo Valley (bgconejo.org) held its 15th annual Stand Up for Kids gala dinner and auction at Four Seasons Hotel Westlake Village in late October. Nine clubs from Newbury Park to Calabasas offer before- and after-school programs to enrich and augment students in the fields of education and career development, health and life skills, the arts, and sports, fitness, and recreation. The clubs also provide summer camps with activities such as team sports, science and technology, and outdoor recreation.

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