

# Royalty chosen for Mardi Gras Ball

Community Conscience, a nonprofit organization that provides support for residents in need in Ventura County, has named Ed Holt and Terry Moerler as king and queen of the 30th annual Mardi Gras Ball.

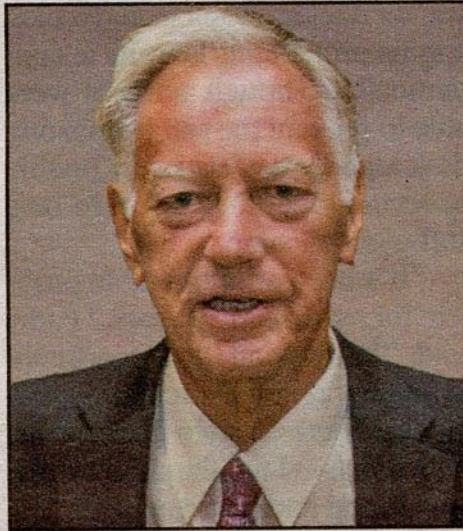
The group's largest fundraiser of the year, the ball will take place at 5 p.m. Sat., March 4 at the Hyatt Regency Westlake Hotel.

Each year, Community Conscience honors two individuals for their exemplary community service. They are crowned king and queen and reign over the Mardi Gras Ball.

Holt has a long history of volunteering in the Conejo Valley. He has served in various leadership roles for events and organizations in Thousand Oaks and throughout Ventura County.

He has supported youth groups in roles that include sports coach of the Conejo Youth Basketball Association, trustee in the National Military Order of the World Wars Conejo Valley chapter, chair of the California Lutheran University Educational Foundation and director and treasurer of Tres Condados Girl Scouts Council.

Moerler moved to the Conejo



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**CROWNED**—Ed Holt and Terry Moerler have been chosen to serve as king and queen of the 30th annual Mardi Gras Ball, which takes place in March at the Hyatt Regency Westlake.

Valley in 1978 and has been active ever since. She is a Westlake Village Sunrise Rotarian. Over the years, Moerler has served as a Greater Conejo Valley Chamber of Commerce ambassador, board member and chair of the board.

She is a former owner and operating principal of Keller Williams Realty Westlake Village. Her awards include the Otto Stoll award for community service and 2014 BRAVA Award by the National Association of Women Business Owners, where she was honored as Woman

Business Owner of the Year.

The Mardi Gras Ball will begin with a champagne reception and entertainment by the Chris Banta Trio. Dinner will follow, with dancing to the music of Fifth Avenue Entertainment.

Silent and live auctions will also take place.

Community Conscience provides rent-free office space for 13 human service nonprofits that offer assistance to those in need.

For ball tickets and more information, call (805) 494-3543 or go to [communityconscience.org](http://communityconscience.org).