



# Camarillo Quilters Association

## Quilting in Ventura County since 1980

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### President's Message

Greetings, Quilters! I hope you enjoyed our July speaker, Sylvia Q. Davis, as much as I did! She was witty AND informative! And her quilts are amazing! If you were smart and lucky enough to take her workshop, I bet you had a terrific day.

I was sorry to miss the June meeting, when so many quilts were given away to those who will love them. You are a generous bunch, working under the leadership of Sandy Puchlevic and her helpers. Your talents and time are appreciated by so many!

Your treasurer, Judy Hively, and I attended a recent meeting of the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds (SCCQG). We discussed the importance of sound financial practices in the health of a guild. It was very informative, and the Board will discuss several new ideas which were brought up. These meetings are also lots of fun, with very dynamic people in leadership.

In September, Tricia Steinfeld, our Director of Travel, will begin selling tickets for our group bus trip to Road to California on January 25, 2020. Tricia does such a great job with these events that we expect to sell out quickly. (The November retreat already has a waiting list!) Come prepared to purchase your ticket on Sept. 10.

Speaking of Road to California, there will be another opportunity to submit quilts for exhibition through the SCCQG. The 2020 Road to CA challenge is to create a quilt from a piece of fabric or pattern that you bought at a previous Road to California. Or you could use an idea you got or some inspiration you found at a previous Road to California or a technique you learned in a class at a previous Road event. There are restrictions, so go to [sccqg.org](http://sccqg.org) for all the rules and entry forms. You have time, but start thinking about your submissions.

We have another wonderful speaker in Minki Kim in September. She will be showing us her unique and beautiful machine appliqué technique. I'm looking forward to her presentation very much!

It's too hot to think about those Halloween projects that we all have stashed away, but really, it's just around the corner. How time flies! Especially when we are having fun, being creative, and quilting. Keep up the good work!

*Barbara Witman*, President

**Say Welcome to Our  
Newest Members!**

Tedi Patterson - Ventura  
Jan Comstock - Oxnard

# Speakers & Workshops

September 2019 (Community Center Auditorium, Camarillo)

**Minki Kim** <http://www.minkikim.com/publications/>



Sept 10 – “How Sewing Can Change Your Life”  
Author and Teacher, Minki is a formally trained artist and self-taught sewist. She discovered sewing as a creative outlet when her children were small. She would capture the beauty of ordinary moments, first with hand embroidery and later recreating them using her sewing machine, literally drawing with thread.

Sept 11 – Workshop “Sewing Illustration Pillow”  
Make this cute machine applique, practice your thread painting, then turn it into a pillow or purse.

**\$ 45 members, \$ 60 non-members**

October 2019 (Community Center Auditorium, Camarillo)

**Linda Sullivan** – <https://colourwerx.com/>

Oct 8 – COLOURWERX TRUNK SHOW Who would have guessed that two professionals from tv would discover their lifelong passion in quilting and go on to create new careers, own a quilt shop and design a line of bestselling patterns? Linda - along with her partner, Carl - will take you on their colourful, crazy, quilty journey that started some 18 years ago with the very first Linderella quilt designs to their current obsession for pure colour within their new company, Colourwerx. Lots of show & tell and lots of quilts!



Oct 9 – Workshop “Mini Splendor”

Boost your appliqué IQ. Loaded with super practical tips and tricks, this class is a great way to learn or brush up on easy machine appliqué. You will learn a variety of different methods to prepare shapes for raw edge and turned-edge machine appliqué. Along the way, you'll also learn how to use a variety of fun decorative stitches to texturize appliqués and gain the confidence you need to appliqué the day away!

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## QUILT SHOW 2020 - updates

From Sandra Darata, Quilt Show Chair



I hope you all had a wonderful summer. It will be September in just a few days and kids are going back to school! Wow, that summer went fast.

Our next Quilt Show planning meeting will be September 4, at the Dudley House 197 N. Ashwood, Ventura at 9:30 am. You are welcome to join the meeting and be involved!

We are ordering all of our Quilt show publicity supplies and hope to have them in time for the next meeting. Thank you Josie Prell for your wonderful quilt (picture above). Laura Heine has given permission for its use.

There are positions available on the Quilt Show Board..... Publicity, Quilt Collections, Out Door Signage, Website, Data and Transportation of poles and necessities. If you are interested please come to the Quilt show table at the general meetings for more information. We would love to have your help.

We are also interested in providing free lectures and demo's during the quilt show. If you have a talent and would be willing to give a lecture or demo please let one of us know! Talk with Sandra Darata, Alison Bailey, Jane Aiello, Jan Hunter, Jane Avanti, Linda Wilkinson, Judy Hivley, Jonal Beck, Barbara Whitman, Pat Hibner, Nancy Isabell, Linda Stone, Andrea Ramirez, Thelma Atkinson, Sandy Cornelius, Lani Byhoffer, Rose Gamboa, Maria Ring, Lynne Woods, and/or Jana Bailey. These ladies are working on the quilt show and can assist you.

We hope to have a big announcement in September from Alison Bailey. We look forward to seeing you at the next general meeting September 10, 2019 or at the quilt show meeting September 4th.

### ON THE ROAD AGAIN.....



The November CQA Retreat in Ventura is FULL.

But, there are several trips planned for future months.

Bus Trip - Road to CA  
Jan 25, 2020

Reserve your Spot starting  
in September

CQA Retreat  
March, 2020

Poinsettia Pavilion,  
Ventura

Bus Trip – Int'l Quilt Festival  
July 11, 2020

Long Beach Convention  
Center

### Comfort Givers

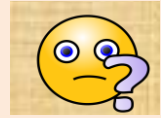
There is a correction for the quilts we give to Casa Pacifica: They do need quilts for adolescents and teens ages 9 through 17 years old.

During the September meeting we will be bringing lots of quilts that need the binding done. And, also tops to be quilted, kits and pillow cases and burp cloths.

Please keep the bar codes on the Hobbs batting coming, they really help keep the batting expense down.

Comfort Giver Kay McLaughlin

## DID YOU FORGET???? (To Return Your Library Book)



Sometimes members just forget to fill out that little library card and turn it in before borrowing a CQA Library book. So the librarians have no idea that you have it, and can't call to remind you it's overdue. Please check your shelves for the latest **MISSING** (36 books)!! No fines, apologies accepted.

Title	Author
101 Full-Size Quilt Blocks & Borders	BH&G
A Treasury of Amish Quilts	Pellma, Rachel and Ken
Amish: Classic American quilt collection	Bolestra, Karen
Amish Quilting Patterns	Marston/Cunningham
Angle Play Blocks	Miller, Margaret
Antique to Heirloom Jelly Roll Quilts	Lintott, Pam & Nicky
Art Nouveau Quilts	Oglesby, Bea
Art of Classic Quiltmaking	Harriet Hargrave & Sharon Craig
Barn Quilts & the American Quilt Trail Movement	Parron, Suzi
Basic Applique	Walter/Rowe
Elm Creek Quilts	Chiaverini, Jennifer
Encyclopedia of Pieced Quilt Patterns	Brackman, Barbara
Fast and Fun Baby Quilts	Martingale
Favorite Redwork Designs	Alderman, Betty
Hearts & Hands -Influence of Women & Quilts on American Society	Ferrero, et all
Learn to Machine Quilt in Just One Weekend	Michell, Marti
Learn to Paper Piece	Mahoney, Nancy
Lively little logs: Making Log Cabin Miniatures	McConnell, Donna Fite
Lost Quilter, The	Chiaverini, Jennifer
Make Baby Quilts	C & T Publishing
Missouri Star Quilt Co. Idea Book, Vol 3, Issue 4	Missouri Star
Muslin Mystery	Dodge, Vera
Old Favorites in Miniature	Gravatt, Tina
Positively Pineapple	Milligan/Smith
Precisely Sew Sharp Pointies II	Manning, Brenda
Quilt Studio: Innovative techniques for confident & creative quiltmaking & design	Burbridge,Pauline
Quilting Basics	Eddy, Celia
Quilting Modern	Gering/Pedersen
Quilts from the Quiltmaker's Gift	Brumbeau/deMarcken
Quilts in Bloom	Haslam, Marion
Quilts Made Modern	Ringle/Kerr
Sashiko Style	Staff, Joie
Stash Envy & Other Quilting Confessions & Adventures	Boyer, Lisa
Storm at Sea: New Quilts from an Old Favorite	AQS
Sweet & Simple Baby Quilts	Hickey, Mary
Watercolor Strip-Pieced Magic	Spingola, Deanna

## Block of the Month September and October 2019



Star Flower



Crossroads

Well guild members, summer is almost gone, the kids are back to school, it's getting cooler and time to sew!

I'm looking forward to seeing all of your beautiful stars. The next two months will be paper pieced. Neither one is difficult, but the results are stunning. The patterns and the template will be available on the CQA website.

If you wish to be part of the drawing for completed blocks, make two or three blocks. Keep one for yourself and bring the others to the monthly meeting for the winner of the drawing. If you bring extra blocks, you'll be entered in the drawing and may be the winner!

Jonette Duchai  
Jon2205@yahoo.com

### A Glimpse of the Past

CQA Newsletter – Nov 1998 As found by **Sharon Norbutas**

#### "Recipe for the Garden of Life"

Plant your garden in your guild carefully. When the harvest arrives you will have a successful branch and many good friends.

**First** - Plant five rows of Peas: Presence, Promptness, Preparation, Perseverance, and Purity.

**Second** - Plant three rows of Squash: Squash gossip, Squash indifference, Squash unjust criticism.

**Third** - Plant five rows of Lettuce: Let us be faithful to duty, let us be unselfish and loyal, let us obey rules and regulations, let us be true to our obligations, let us love and like each other.

**Fourth** - No garden is complete without four rows of Turnips: Turn up for meetings, turn up with a smile, turn up with new ideas, turn up with determination to make everything count for something good and worthwhile.

Submitted by the Flying Geese Quilters." (A little history...The 'Geese' are one of the oldest mini groups, almost from the beginning of CQA. Two original members are still with the group.)



# Quilt Carrier - S. Q. Davis -- Summer 2018 (\*\*\*\*Our July speaker requested that we put her instructions for the large carrier in our newsletter. Thank you Sylvia!!)

## Prepare the Cutout Templates:

1. From newspaper/cardboard, create these templates:
    - One 4 ½" x 5" and mark one 4 ½" edge "SELVAGE."
    - One 8" x 5" and mark one 8" edge "SELVAGE."
- You will use these to locate and trace the "cutouts."

## Prepare the Bag Body:

2. Cut both fabrics **exactly the same** size = 34" x width of smallest fabric.
3. Remove selvages but don't forget which edge was the selvage!  
Fold each selvage to selvage as it came from the bolt.
4. Mark the center of the selvage edges. Use template to remove a 4 ½" x 5" rectangle from both selvage corners ( 4 pcs).
5. Center your 8" template on your center mark.  
Draw around, cut, remove cut outs and save them (for a tab).
6. Place fabric & lining RS together.
7. Stitch ¼" around all edges leaving 6" opening in one side.
8. Trim 12 outside corners, clip 8 inside corners; and turn RS out.
9. Close opening by hand or by topstitching.

## Prepare the Pockets, Bolt Cover and Tab

### A. Outside pocket (make 1)

- Cut 14" x 9" Fabric & Lining.
- Place RS tog and stitch ¼" around leaving a 3" opening. Turn RS out close opening; topstitch only along the top about ½" from the edge.
- Sew soft side of Velcro vertically on the center of Fancy side.
- Place Pocket centered about 2" down from the front cutout; topstitch ½" to attach to bag.

### B. Inside Side Pockets (make 2)

- Cut two 13" x 9" pieces from only Fancy fabric.
- Single fold 3 edges and double fold one short edge (Top). Topstitch only the Top edge.

### C. Bolt cover (make 1)

- Cut one 25" x 10" of lining fabric.
- Single fold 3 edges and double fold one short edge and topstitch this short edge.

### D. Tab (make 1)

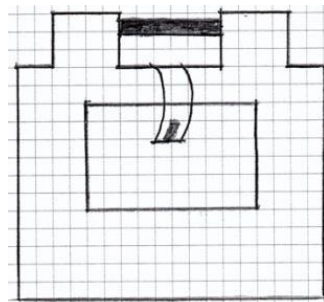
- From the center cutouts cut one 7" x 3" pc from Fancy and Lining fabric.
- Sew Velcro on lining side at one short edge.
- Center the short edge on the Back cutout even with the edge and RS Tog; Stitch & reinforce.

## Assemble the Bag

10. Fold bag in half RS Tog matching side seams. Stitch down both sides; reinforce; press seams open
11. Box corners 8 "across base. Cut ½" from stitching to remove triangles; Cover or satin stitch raw edges.
12. Inside Pockets -- Place and stitch them on each side centered on and covering the seam line.
13. Fold the 4 tabs 1 ¼" to the inside of the bag and stitch very close to edge to form a tube. Stitch only one outer end of the two left tabs closed.
14. Measure distance from outer edge of left tab to outer edge of right tab. Cut both sticks that length.

## Prepare the Sticks

15. Cut both sticks to exact same length. Place "socks" on each end to buffer the wood.
16. Insert sticks and hand sew remaining openings.



### Materials Needed:

- ▣ 1 ½ yard x 44" home dec or prequilted (**Fancy**)
- ▣ 1 ½ yard x 44" cotton fabric (**Lining**)
- ▣ Velcro 1" wide by 2" long
- ▣ Two ½" wooden dowels (to be cut to size)
- ▣ One cardboard fabric bolt (optional)
- ▣ Matching thread
- ▣ Matching fabric, if you choose to bind edges instead of lining them (five 2 ½" strips.)

### What to do with the leftovers?

- Rotary Cutter Cover
- Pincushion
- ID Strings

<b>Candy's Quiltworks</b> Northridge, CA 91324 818-349-7397 <a href="http://www.candysquiltworks@sbcglobal.net">www.candysquiltworks@sbcglobal.net</a>	<b>Kingdom Sewing Center</b> Simi Valley, CA 93065 805-579-1571 <a href="http://www.kingdomsewing.com">www.kingdomsewing.com</a>
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<b>The Fabric Shoppe</b> Camarillo, Ca 93010 805-383-7183 <a href="http://www.homespuncamarillo.com">www.homespuncamarillo.com</a>	<b>Quilty Pleasures</b> Simi Valley, CA 93065 805-581-1577 <a href="http://www.quiltypleasures.org">www.quiltypleasures.org</a>

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### **The 5th Annual Orange County Quilt, Craft & Sewing Festival - OC Fair & Event Center October 3 - 5, 2019**

88 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa at The Hangar.

**HOURS:** 10am - 5 pm Thursday & Friday,  
10am - 4 pm Saturday

**ADMISSION:** FREE - NO COUPON REQUIRED

**FEATURES:** \$500 Cash giveaway daily at 9:45 AM

**FREE Seminars | Hourly Prize Drawings |  
HUGE Vendor Mall | Make & Take It  
Projects | and much more!**

<https://quiltcraftsew.com/newsletter-guild-orange.html>

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\$ 3.00 each or 2 spools for \$5.00

Large Turquoise Blue Spool (2 available)  
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★ **Please park on the East  
Side of Parking Lot!!**



**CAMARILLO QUILTERS ASSOCIATION**

<http://www.camarilloquilters.org/>

**Facebook: “Friends of the Camarillo  
Quilters Association”**

**Pleasant Valley Community Center**  
**1605 E Burnley Dr. Camarillo, CA 93010**

**Doors open at 8:45 a.m.**  
**Meeting starts promptly at 9:30 am**  
**Cell Phone Quiet Zone - No Perfume Zone**