

Camarillo Quilters Association General Meeting Minutes April 14, 2026

The meeting was convened by President Wendy VanLoo at 9:32 AM.

Wendy VanLoo announced that the free table is in the Sunshine Room, behind the stage. All were welcomed and April birthdays were celebrated.

Wendy VanLoo announced that membership renewal has begun. Dues for the coming year are \$50 per person. The Quilt Show is almost here and sign ups have begun for the Orcutt retreat in August.

Wendy VanLoo reported that the Quilt Show event on April 25 is from 9:30 to 3:30. Kathy Adams reported that there will be many great things to buy at the boutique. One week from today there will be sort and price day at Kathy Adams' home. Sign up at the boutique table in the back of the room to help. There will be 8 vendors, scissor sharpening, fancy coffees, bake sale, and quilts to view. Set up is Friday evening at 6 pm. See Wendy to sign up to help at various times throughout Friday evening, all day Saturday, and after 3:30 to clean up.

Dalya Dektor (**Free Table Maven**) reported that she has assembled some kits for Comfort Givers using items from the Free Table. She encouraged everyone to help with Comfort Givers' quilts. She also announced there is a big box of hand-sewn vintage blocks.

Pamuela Hodson (**Comfort Givers**) reported that she has two to three dozen quilts waiting to be quilted and about half a dozen quilts that need labels. See Pamuela if you can help with this effort. She thanked everyone for all the help they offer her group.

Lisa Gorski (**Shop Hop Challenge Coordinator**) encouraged members to vote for their favorite apron today. The winning apron will go to Buellton to compete during the Shop Hop. Lisa will take all the soap bottle aprons to Buellton for the creators.

Rosemary Tobin (**Travel Coordinator**) has begun taking reservations for the August retreat at the Old Towne Quilt Shop on Friday, Aug. 28 through Sunday, April 30. The cost is \$100 per person. Overnight accommodations are separate.

Jonal Beck brought goodies to share with the group.

Jan Hunter (**Membership**) reminded everyone that there are get well cards for Joey Strait. Please sign one for her and they will be sent. Jan welcomed new members and reminded everyone that it is membership renewal time.

Vanessa Buescher announced that there are only two workshops left until the fall. There are a only few spots available in the patchwork jacket workshop in April and the Colorwerks workshop in May.

Show, Share, and Tell was wonderful, of course! Twelve people shared their amazing creations!

Wendy VanLoo introduced the slate of officers and thanked the Nominating Committee for their hard work. The Board is still looking for the following positions to be filled: Speaker Hospitality, Workshops, Member Hospitality, and Historian. **The vote for approval was unanimous.**

Lisa Gorski (**Library**) asked members to sign up for library crates.

Break.

Wendy VanLoo reconvened the meeting at 10:36. She asked that members help Dalya to take things to the thrift shop after the meeting.

Anne Sonner gave a very interesting and inspired presentation.

Lisa Gorski reported that the winning apron is the kitty, purple apron, which was made by Vanessa Buescher.

Raffle winners were announced.

New members, Michael and Christine, own a long arm business in Oxnard. They are available to quilt CQA members' quilts. They can be reached at cgamron@twc.com.

The meeting was closed at 11:30 AM

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Witman
Secretary

2026-2027 Board Nominations

Officers

Co-Presidents	Wendy Van Loo
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Vice-President	Tedi Patterson
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Secretary	Barbara Witman
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Treasurer	Kathy Antrobus
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Directors

Membership	Jan Hunter, Pat Hibner
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Speaker Contracts	Joey Strait
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Speaker Hospitality	Vacant
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Workshops	Vacant
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Ways & Means	Holly Winston, Kelly DuBois
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