Camarillo Quilters Association
General Meeting Minutes
Sept. 8, 2026

The meeting was called to order by President Wendy VanLoo at 9:32 AM.

All were welcomed and birthdays celebrated.

Wendy VanLoo announced that new bookmarks are available which show all of 2027 CQA programs. Wendy asked volunteers to take some to local quilt shops. Patrice Lambourne and Audie volunteered.

Wendy VanLoo recommended that every member visit the CQA website frequently to find useful information, lovely photos, travel events, and Block of the Month instructions.

Wendy VanLoo offered a tour during the break for guests and new members.

Wendy VanLoo announced that there will be a local Shop Hop on Oct. 23-24. It will include 6 shops. Those who would like to car pool should meet at the podium during the break.

Pamuela Hodson announced that she has many, many quilt tops to be quilted. She asked for volunteers. Comfort Givers are not taking in anymore quilt tops at this time. She also announced that there is a box of easy patterns on the Comfort Givers table for those looking for ideas.

Wendy VanLoo encouraged everyone to utilize the Free Table to make charity quilts.

Show & Tell, featured the Pizza Box Challenge quilts, was amazing!

Wendy VanLoo announced that all four officers will be cycling off the Board of Directors in June 2027. CQA needs new blood! Groups like CQA only work because everyone is generous with their time and talents.

Wendy VanLoo announced the need for volunteers to coordinate the Holiday gathering at the December meeting. She has a sign-up sheet on the stage.

Wendy VanLoo encouraged everyone to stop at the Ways & Means table for raffle tickets as well as the Library table to sign out a crate for the month.

Pamuela Hodson announced that two quilt stands were left at the Comfort Givers table. Please do not leave items there without talking to someone at the table.

Rosemary Tobin reported that everyone had a great time at the retreat in Orcutt recently. Members can still sign up for the retreat in Buellton on Oct. 16-18. 2026.

Yvonne Phenicie's workshop tomorrow has a few available spaces. Rami Kim will be the CQA speaker in October regarding 3-D flowers. In November, CQA's workshop location will change to Cotton & Chocolate fabric shop in Thousand Oaks. The project is "Posh Santa" on Thursday following our general meeting. The November workshop is only $15, pattern and ruler available at the November meeting.

Break

Speaker Yvonne Phenicies gave a very interesting presentation regarding curved piecing without pinning.

Kathy Antrobus **(Treasurer)** reported the following balances:

B of A Checking	$2,284.62
Premier America Checking	1,539.77
Premier America Savings	250.21
Premier America Money Market	64,208.28
Petty Cash	200.00
Total Liquid Assets	$68,282.88

There were many happy raffle prize winners!

There were other announcements, but somehow, I lost them! Let me know if you remember what they were!

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Witman
Secretary