

CCQG Meeting Minutes
May 8, 2025
Boerne Library Community Room
7:00-8:30 PM

Jennifer called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Jennifer called on Carol L to introduce our speaker Lorey Wing. Carol L met Lorey while selling our raffle tickets at Memories by the Yard recently. Lorey had never taught a class before but she has made many mondo bags and thought she could, so she would.

Program

- Lorey has made many Mondo bags and feels like she can help you make a mistake free bag
- You may use any fabric. It is great for using scraps, good for traveling.
- It takes approximately 2 days from start to finish to make one; however, it is quicker if you don't worry about have same squares next to each other.
- Can be made with one jelly roll. You can use Soft & Stable for a sturdier bag or fusible fleece for a softer bag.
- Lorey made her first quilt in 2017 - rather started, her friend finished it for her. Her mom was a clothing sewer but Lorey never caught the bug - disliked zippers!
- Lorey donated a quilt top to the CCQG and the Happy Scrappers are going to finish it.

Business Meeting:

- Jennifer asked for corrections or additions to last month's minutes. A correction of changing from 2025 raffle quilt to 2026 raffle quilt was requested by Linda H.
- Minutes were approved as amended by motion by Jo Ann & 2nd by Karen V.

President's Update:

- Jennifer discussed the reasoning behind the board's decision to discontinue the red tickets as incentive for donating items and volunteering.
- She said we are working on a different way to recognize volunteers.

- Turn in your red tickets tonight and next month we will have some drawings with the red tickets.
- Jennifer asked for volunteers to help put up quilts at the library on Monday June 2 as we have the month of June to display & sell. Starting time is 9 am and will probably need 2 hours to complete the work.

Sales / Raffle Quilt Updates:

- Bonnie reported that we will sell raffle tickets & some quilts one day on May 24 at the HCCA Art & Wine Festival (formerly the Art Waddle) on the square under a tent. We need one more volunteer from 1-5 pm as well as a coordinator.
- We will sell tickets at the SA Quilt Guild on Sat. Aug 9 from 9:15-noon.
- We will be at Ingram on Sat Nov 1 & Sun Nov 2 under a tent in the main area selling tickets & quilts. We need one person from 9:15-1 on Sat and more volunteers for the afternoon shifts.

Programs/Workshops:

- Andrea drew for the 2025 challenge. For June do item #3 on your list
- Andrea reported that because of Houston quilt festival, we have made changes in programming. She also noted that the 2026 festival will be in December.
- Friday's Mondo Bag workshop will be at the library in the conference room upstairs instead of Longhorn Cafe.
- The program committee is looking for new workshop locations. They are open to all possibilities.
- June program is a summer ice cream social and the workshop on Friday will be National Sewing Day. There is no charge for the two workshops that day (making labels, flange & ricrac binding).
- July program is Sleep in Heavenly Peace, a 501c3 that provides beds for children. We will give them twin size quilts, sized 56 x 90.
- August program is Linda H's trunk show of her 30 year quilting journey. Workshop is free motion quilting.
- September program is Donna Phelps trunk show of Orphan Quilts. She will explain the method and give us time to collect our orphan blocks for her workshop in November.
- October program is a fall theme extended show & tell.
- November program is a panel of longarmers to share their tips. If you are interested in being on the panel, please contact Andrea. November workshop is Orphan Quilts.
- December program is our member appreciation pot luck.

- The committee is working on 2026 programs and would appreciate your thoughts and ideas.

Charity Quilts:

- Sharon reported that the donation forms now have new categories: baby/teen/youth & adult
- She & LaJuana made deliveries to Cibolo Creek Nursing, KC Womens' Shelter, Town & Country. Everyone was so overwhelmed by our generosity. Sharon asked them about their needs. Town & Country have men who love patriotic themed quilts. Cibolo Creek love animals. KCWS requests large bags for clothing when they leave. Town & Country residents like petting things (pillow w/fur or stuffed animals) and activity mats. She thanked everyone for their donations.

Membership:

- Cathy P reported we have 30 members present and one visitor who introduced herself.
- May birthdays are Donna F, AnnLea M, Carann E & Mary T
- We now have 63 active members with a new member Judith Hoffman who signed up online.
- The prize for attendance tonight went to Cyndi Snyder

Retreats:

- No report

Sunshine & Shadows:

- Happy Mother's Day to all

Applique Bee Challenge Winner:

- Jean B reported that the Applique Bee meets the third Thursday upstairs at Longhorn. Earlier she had bought fabric on sale and gave every member a piece to use in the challenge.
- Winners are: 1st - Bonnie; 2nd - Judi B; 3rd - Donna F
- She encouraged more people to join.

Extended Show & Tell:

- Those who attended Heidi Staples workshop last month showed their bags - Andrea, Carol S, Carol L, Cyndi S and Jennifer H
- Jennifer H: Gnome Camper, Texas Exploding Heart, Sparrows & Midnight Rose Garden
- Karen V: Hexy Quilt Top Blue/Orange/Black, Baby Quilt 5 patch on point & T-shirt quilt
- Andrea - Teddy bear crib quilt (2nd quilt made hand quilted)
- Joyce C - Mondo Bag with 5" squares & Calendar quilt w/ multi color backing & swirl bubble quilting

- **Sharon R - Postage stamp lap quilt w/ 2200+ pieces**
- **Carolyn S - Milk Jugs quilt**
- **Lera B - Happy Scrappers Embroidered Quilt**
- **Cyndi S - Baby Quilt of blues/grays**
- **Linda H - "Homeland" African quilt. She bought the embroidered "masks" in Houston previously**

Meeting adjourned at 8:07 pm

Submitted by Carol Schultz, Secretary