

PPQG Day Meeting Minutes September 12, 2025

Attendees

- 67 in attendance
- 2 visitors

The meeting was called to order at 10:02 a.m. by Patty Belvin.

Old Business and Announcements

- President Shonda Berry reminded members that the Anniversary Celebration will be held Saturday, Sept. 27 from 12-2 p.m. at Hilton Baptist Church. Please bring a covered dish to share. The Guild will provide chicken and drinks. One can give \$10 to Susan Waddles if one doesn't want to bring a covered dish.
- Karen Carr discussed Fall-O-Ween at Newport News Park Oct. 4-5. The guild is paid \$450 to manning the booth. Quilts to be displayed can be given to Karen Carr at the break. One must have a label on the quilt, even if it is pinned to the back of the quilt to make returns to the quilt owners easier. Parking passes are on hand and available to volunteers at the festival. A volunteer is still needed for the 4-6 p.m. time slot on Sunday, Oct. 5.
- Karen Carr shared that Symposium is set for Oct. 17, 2026. Details will be shared by the end of this year.
- Karen Carr has one available seat for the Nov. 14 collage class. Please see Karen Carr if you want to take her spot.
- Sandy Barnes shared that Jeanne Surber has broken her knee and is doing well. Please send her a card if you can.
- August 2025 Day Meeting Minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes with correction to the spelling of Susan Waddles by Patty Swan and seconded by Karen Carr. The motion passed.
- August 2025 Day Meeting Treasurer's Report: A motion was made by Barbara Rutan and seconded by Linda Odell to accept the treasurer's report for audit. The motion passed.

Program

Valerie Horner introduced the speaker, Carla Klop. Carla presented a wonderful program explaining her interesting and time-saving techniques and displayed a lovely assortment of her quilts that utilize her unique

techniques. Please go to KitsbyCarla.com to get further information on her publications and retreats.

New Business and Further Announcements

- Patty Belvin shared that Michael's has bought the right to JoAnn Fabrics. Also, WHRO Create will have a sew-a-thon starting Sept. 13, 2025.
- Debra Jones announced that Honor quilts are still in need of binders, quilters, and sewers. There will be a sewing day at St. George's Church on Sept. 13 from 8 a.m. onwards. There are kits to make a flag design.
- Service Projects: Peggy Taylor and Shonda Berry announced that they received 3 hearts and 2 quilts. The Oct. 10 day meeting will be a hands-on service project with precut blocks for baby quilts. Bring a sewing machine and thread.
- Valerie Horner announced two spaces remain for the Carla Klop workshop on Sept. 13 from 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. Bring a 24 x 6" ruler and a 36 x 24" cutting mat.
- Raffle Quilt: Please turn your money in by Oct. 7. The drawing will be held at the Friday day meeting. This is a very important fund raiser for our guild so please sell your raffle tickets and turn the money in.
- UFO Quilts, guided by Barb Rutan, displayed 7 completed quilts. The winner was Lois Bates.
- Show and Tell: 9 members shared approximately 19 quilts. Thank you for sharing your work with us.
- Block of the Month was won by Cathy Fowler.
- Monthly Minis brought in \$90 this month. The three donated gifts were won by Joyce McKeel, Shirley Land, and Laura Jennison.
- Door prizes were won by Valerie Lee, Bonnie Dodson, Shirley Land, Diane Zeimet, and Donna Albright.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Madaras