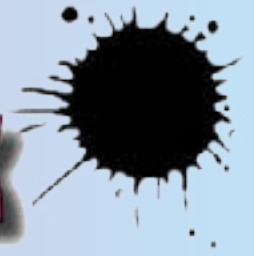


Sooner Scribes Drops of Ink



August 2012

Sooner Scribes Calligraphy Guild of Oklahoma City, OK

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Upper and Lower case exemplars of the Roman hand.



News from Pat Lynn

Hello Scribes,

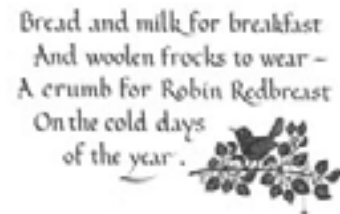
Wendy and I have returned from our great adventure, and look forward to sharing with all of you the many Roman letters we saw in Italy - we also brought back a door prize for a lucky Scribe! I hope all of you have recovered from the record breaking heat here, and have your nibs ready for more fun with lettering ... August traditionally is a bit of a kick-off to more opportunities, so be sure to attend the August meeting and to put all the upcoming events on your personal calendar!

do an overview of the proportions of the Roman alphabet, do some hands-on lettering and talk a little about spacing. All materials will be provided by the Guild. In an hour, we will try to give you a little more confidence in using Roman in your arsenal of lettering hands. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the August meeting, Sharon McKay.

August Program Info

Date: Monday, August 27, 2012
Time: 6:30 - 7pm till 8:45pm
Place: Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St.

The Roman alphabet is noted for its formal qualities and geometric proportions. We will



Sample by Betty Henderson.



Sooner Scribes is a lettering arts guild founded in 1980 whose purpose is to promote the study and critical practice of calligraphy as an art form. We seek to encourage individual excellence and to help foster a wider appreciation and deeper understanding of calligraphy. We are committed to teaching the history and application of calligraphy by interchanging ideas through workshops, monthly newsletters and monthly meetings.

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Annual dues: \$30

Monthly meeting dates are listed in the newsletter Events Calendar. Meetings are held on the fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th Street, Oklahoma City, OK, unless otherwise specified.



Workshop News

The only news to report is that there are no workshops scheduled for Sooner Scribes as yet since no one has agreed to serve as Sooner Scribes Workshop Chair.

If you are interested in having access to national and world renowned calligraphic artists, step up and take on the position. There are others who will be willing to help.

Contact Pat Lynn Moses (949-9983).

Dipping Into the Ink

A One-day Workshop with Karyn Gilman

AN INTRODUCTION TO ITALIC CALLIGRAPHY

- What:* a one-day workshop
- Who:* presented by **Karyn Gilman**
- When:* Saturday, November 3rd
10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (with lunch break)
- Where:* Firehouse Art Center
444 S Flood Street, Norman

Students will first be taken on a visual calligraphic journey through a computer presentation and samples.

The class will then continue with an introduction to the dip pen and hands-on instruction of the italic alphabet.



Beginners and students wanting to brush up on their italic skills are welcome and encouraged. There will be plenty of

time for personal attention, no matter your skill level.

Sign up early—class size is limited

Please register through the Firehouse: 405.329.4523

Fee: \$70 (includes most supplies)

Blackletter Classes Starting Soon



Blackletter starts Tuesday, September 25, 2012

Mary Kay White teaches calligraphy classes at Francis Tuttle, Rockwell Campus. She will be teaching Blackletter starting September 25th and the classes will last for six weeks.

The classes run from 7:00pm-9:30pm on Tuesdays. The cost of 15 hours of class time is \$79.⁰⁰. To enroll call Francis Tuttle at 717-4900 and if you have questions, call Mary Kay at 608-0330.



Sooner Scribes Events Calendar

Date	Event Description	Location
Aug. 27	Back to Basics with Romans <i>Rita Busch, Wendy Fox & Sharon McKay</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
Sep. 13	State Fair - book marks - 10am–4pm <i>contact Sharon McKay at 728-0079</i>	State Fair Grounds, OKC
Sep. 24	Artist Trading Cards - How to Impress Your Friends <i>Robin Mead & Mary Kay White - (masterpiece cards)</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
Sep. 25	Blackletter Class begins - 7-9:30pm for 6 weeks, cost is \$79.00 for the 15 hours of class time; <i>instructor, Mary Kay White; If you have questions, call Mary Kay at 608-0330</i>	Francis Tuttle - To enroll call 717-4900
Oct. 22	Zentangles <i>Vikki Hendrix & Phylis Smith</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
Nov. 26	Last meeting of 2012 - Vacant	Will Robers Garden Center
Dec. 24	No Meeting - Happy Holidays	
Jan. 28	Christmas Card Exchange & Potluck Dinner Party	member's home
Feb. 25	Vacant	Will Rogers Garden Center
Mar. 25	TBA <i>Cheryl Barclay, Sandy Mutz & DeCarla Powers</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
Apr. 22	TBA <i>Wendy Fox</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
*May 20	Spring Fling Potluck Dinner Party	member's home



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