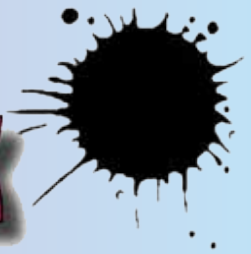


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August 2014

Sooner Scribes Calligraphy Guild of Oklahoma City, OK

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Here are a few samples of work from Pat Lynn's own art journal. To learn more about this fascinating subject, join us on Monday, August 25, 2014!

August Meeting Info

Date: Monday, August 25, 2014.

Time: 6:30 pm Social time; 7:00 pm short business meeting and start of program

Place: Will Rogers Garden Center

Presenter: Pat Lynn Moses is presenting the "Basics of Art Journaling".

Pat Lynn will explore the basics of art journaling such as writing, drawing, sketching, collecting memorabilia, using color, journaling, book or journal creation, using bought journals/sketchbooks. She will share how-tos and her techniques for art journaling. This is going to be a fun and informative evening!

Suggested Supplies List

Your own **sketchbook** [Pat Lynn suggests Visual Journal, Aquabee or handmade journal using quality paper such as Arches Text Wove

Pencils - #2 or mechanical; watercolor pencils or colored pencils

Pens - good ballpoint, Pitt or Pigma micron [.005 or .03 in black or sepia], your favorite felt tip markers, [hers is Elegant Writer black]

Brushes - 1/2" or 3/4" flat, Pentel water brushes,

Watercolor Set - Prang is fine

Other items such as glue stick, scissors, ruler, magazine pictures, bone folder, favorite ink, memorabilia, paper towels, xacto knife and cutting board, white candle or China marker, specialty papers, stickers or decorative tapes, masking tape

Art Journaling Basics Mini-Workshop presented by Pat Lynn Moses

Date: Saturday, August 23, 2014; **Location:** Pat Lynn's Home Studio; **Time:** 9:30am - 12:30 pm; **Cost:** \$25; Register by emailing Pat Lynn at patriciamoses@me.com. Register for this workshop by August 13, 2014. More information on page 3.



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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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.



Left: Rita Busch's watermelon cake; Right: attendees - from left; Carol, Wendy, Penni, Mary Kay, Rita, Betty



Program News

Our May 19th meeting at Wendy's home was fun. Everyone brought scrumptious foods and Wendy had prepared meat for BBQ sandwiches. Rita Busch brought her now famous watermelon cake and we all enjoyed a lovely smoothie made from honeydew and ginger made fresh by Mary Kay. If you missed this meeting, you missed out on good food, fun and a fun sharing by Wendy of her printing press.

Betty and Penni made embossed cards at Wendy's direction while other onlookers cheered us on.

Thanks go to Wendy for opening her home, kitchen and studio to us!

Pat Lynn Moses, Sharon McKay and Penni Pennington and long-time member in absentia, Cindy Cotner attended the International Calligraphy Conference [Legacies II] held in Richardson, Texas in July. Bobbie Doscher showed up to attend a breakout session and hook up with us for a shopping spree at John Neal and Paper and Ink vendors' stores at conference.

Other Scribes have attended classes at Ghost Ranch or Cheerios or Iampeth so we should have a full table of samples for "Show and Tell" at our August meeting, Monday, 8/25/2014.

The Scribes have been busy at studying and brushing up on their pointed pen techniques and strokes with Mary Kay White at a mini-workshop on June 23 and with Wendy Fox on learning and practicing the basic miniscule Copperplate alphabet on July 28.

Pat Lynn Moses is offering a mini-workshop on Saturday, 8/23/2014 in her home studio on the basic techniques of Art Journaling. Please email Pat Lynn at patriciamoses@me.com to confirm your intent to attend this mini-workshop. The cost is \$25 for members and \$30 for non-members.

Remember to bring samples of your summer work or projects to share at the August meeting!

Snacks & Refreshments

Please bring snacks and refreshments to enjoy and share.



Workshops

SOONER SCRIBES' CREATIVE JOURNALING MINI-WORKSHOP

Saturday, August 23, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Pat Lynn Moses' studio, 4332 NW 61st Terrace, OKC

Fee - \$25: Register at patriciamoses@me.com - Please register for this mini-workshop by Wednesday, August 13, 2014. You can send your check made out to Sooner Scribes to P.O. Box 188, OKC, 73101 or bring your check to the workshop.

A 3 hour workshop to explore the basics of getting started/or continuing doing some of what is called 'art' or 'creative journaling', and has become so popular that there are websites, magazines, and books devoted to such pursuits. I do my own thing – write, journal, draw & sketch, make lists, experiment with colors, glue stuff, collect memorabilia, record travels, and anything else that I can fit into the space provided. So this workshop is to encourage participants to have a very permissive, fun approach to doing the same sort of 'journaling'. I have a whole page of suggested supplies ... but please don't feel that you need everything on the list – I can show stuff to you, you can experiment, and decide what you really want. Do bring a sketchbook & Basic Box of supplies, such as:

***SKETCHBOOK** - 5" x 7" or larger (Visual Journal, Aquabee), or paper, (at least 90#, I prefer 140#) or hand-made with Arches TextWove: If you'd like to purchase a 5" x 7" book from Pat Lynn, let her know when you email her to register. Sketchbook sources: Michael's, Hobby Lobby and Poarch's (best price)

***PENCILS** (mechanical or #2), colored & watersoluble pencils

***PENS** – good ballpoint, felt tip favorites, permanent (Pitt or Pigma Micron .005 & .03 in black or sepia), and water- soluble (Elegant Writer, black is my favorite)

***WATERCOLORS/ACRYLICS** – small set is fine

***BRUSHES** – ½" or ¾" flat, #8 round (Pentel water-brushes are my favorite for travel),

***OTHERS** if you have them already: – Tissue papers, magazine pictures, scissors, sponge; glue/medium, paper towel; small ruler, brush holder/pencil case (zippered, stand up, about \$5 - Office Depot school supplies), x-acto knife, cutting mat, bone folder, glue stick (UHU is my favorite) or glue runner, white candle or china marker, masking/decorative tapes.



SOONER SCRIBES' CONSTRUCTING SIMPLE STITCHED BOOKS, a mini-workshop

Saturday, September 13, 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Wendy Fox's studio, 2523 NW 45th Street

Fee: \$25: Register at nibwit@gmail.com; Please register for this workshop by Tuesday, August 26th. You may mail your check made out to Sooner Scribes to P.O. Box 188, OKC 73101 or bring your check to the workshop.

Wendy will lead us in the construction of simple stitched books containing one signature. We will be doing a 3 hole pamphlet stitch two ways and a 5 hole pamphlet stitch. Participants can purchase a supply kit from Wendy for \$5. Here is your opportunity to learn the basics of simple book construction so you can make your own sketchbook, journal or a small gift book for someone.

Sooner Scribes Events Calendar

Date	Event Description	Location
Aug 23	Mini Workshop, Basic Techniques of Art Journaling, Pat Lynn Moses	Pat Lynn Moses' Home
Aug 25	Art Journaling Basics Pat Lynn Moses	Will Rogers Garden Center
Sep 13	Mini Workshop, Constructing Simple Stitched Books, Wendy Fox	Wendy Fox's Home
Sep 22	Halloween Theme Robin Mead	Will Rogers Garden Center
Oct. 11-12	Mike Kecseg "Pointed Pen Variations" workshop	Boy Scout Hut
Oct. 27	When You Care Enough, You Make it Yourself Janis Blevins & Lydia Zimmerman	Will Rogers Garden Center
Nov. 24	TBA [last meeting in 2014]	Will Rogers Garden Center
Dec. 22	No Meeting - Holiday Break	Happy Holidays Y'all!!!



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