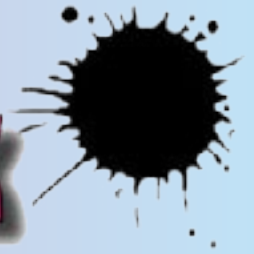


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January 2016

Sooner Scribes Calligraphy Guild of Oklahoma City, OK

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Christmas cards from our exchange in 2012

Card Exchange and Potluck Dinner

Date: Monday, Jan. 25, 2016

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Home of Wendy Fox
2523 NW 45th Street, OKC

Cards: Bring 15-20 handmade cards with a theme of your choice (Hanukkah, Christmas, New Year's, whatever) to exchange with other members. Please include your lettering in creating the cards. We'll take turns describing the steps in making our cards. And if you have not or won't have time to make cards, be sure to come anyway!

Food: Bring an appetizer, salad, side dish, entrée or dessert. We always end up with a great selection.

Business: We'll be voting on our new slate of officers:

President—Phyllis (Penni) Pennington;

President-Elect – Margee Gaeddert;

Treasurer – Wendy Fox;

Workshop Chair – Carol Manning.

We are still seeking a secretary. Also, we will ratify the email vote that approved lowering annual dues to **\$25**. Plus, if you cast your vote, we'll see if you won the drawing for the free 2016 membership dues!

Support Your Guild

Secretary & Treasurer-Elect Needed

The secretary takes notes at board meetings (max of four each year) and prepares minutes.

The guild is seeking someone who will agree to serve as treasurer next year and to train with Wendy Fox this year.



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.

Sooner Scribes
Attention: Dues
Box 188
OKC, OK 73101
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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.

If you are interested in either position, contact Carol Manning at 202-5001 or carol.manning.okc@gmail.com ASAP.

Renew Your Membership

Membership forms (and a short survey) will be snail-mailed with an addressed return envelope to everyone very soon. Dues: \$25

Your Opinion is Important

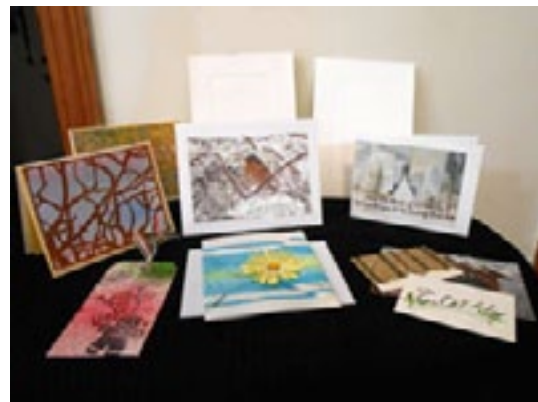
Participation in monthly programs and workshops could be better. Tell us what changes we need to make so that you'll make coming a top priority. You'll soon receive a paper survey – and an emailed survey. You pick which one is most convenient. The **Reward** for completing and returning the survey along with your membership form and check by **January 25, 2016** is a chance to win \$50 in cash. The drawing will be held at the January meeting. Come join the guild & fill out the survey for a chance to win that \$50 cash prize. Deadline for being included in the drawing is January 25, 2016.

Save postage by bringing your survey, dues form & \$25 check to our Christmas Card / Potluck party at Wendy's on January 25, 2016.

NOTE: The venue for February, March and April meetings is listed as Will Rogers Gardens since we had to renew our contract with Will Rogers Gardens before the end of 2015 or lose our reservation of our room. The rest of the meeting places are marked as TBA pending the results of the survey.



Christmas cards from several years past



Sooner Scribes Events Calendar

Date	Event Description	Location
Jan. 25	Potluck Party & new officer elections Xmas card Exchange & drawing for the survey cash prize!	Wendy Fox's home
Feb. 22	TBA	Will Rogers Garden Center
Mar. 28	TBA	Will Rogers Garden Center
Apr. 25	TBA	Will Rogers Garden Center
May 23	Spring Fling Party potluck party	member's home
Jun.	Special Summer meeting	TBA
Jul.	Special Summer meeting	TBA
Aug.	TBA	TBA



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Carol Manning, *President*

Bobby Doscher, *Workshop Chair*

Robin Mead, *President-Elect*

Penni Pennington, *Web designs, Publications*

Betty Harmon, *Secretary*

Penni Pennington & Carol Manning, *Administrators of FB Page*

Wendy Fox, *Treasurer*

Happy New Year, Scribes!