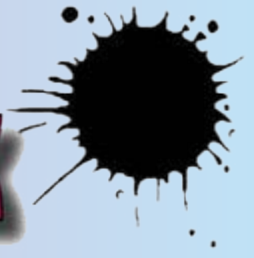


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Sooner Scribes is a lettering arts guild founded in 1980 whose purpose is to promote the study and critical practice of calligraphy as an art form. We seek to encourage individual excellence and to help foster a wider appreciation and deeper understanding 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.



Wendy's creations from Pam Paulsrud's workshop in Dallas/Ft. Worth



Rule II
General duties of a student: Pull everything out of your teacher. Pull everything out of your fellow students.

Sharon McKay's work from Anna Pinto's Workshop



Janis Blevin's amazing Nature Alphabet Photos book

News & Happenings

If you missed the September meeting, you missed out on all the fun we had using the new Photo Transfer Method that Wendy Fox shared with us! You also missed Janis Blevin's amazing Nature Alphabet Photos book.

We had lots of yummy snacks and used our new projector camera to aid in letting everyone see what the demo was about and we shared what Anna Pinto had so masterfully taught us in her workshop, Love Your Letters.

Our workshop chair, Wendy Fox, is working hard to set up workshops given by nationally known calligraphic artists. No matter what your level of expertise, having the opportunity to be instructed by these talented artists will benefit you in your learning and practice of calligraphy.

We had members from Tulsa, Dallas/Ft. Worth and Waco join us at the workshop. What a fabulous way to meet other calligraphers and share in the learning experience!

Wendy made a trip to Dallas to attend Pam Paulsrud's workshop and brought back samples of her work completed there!

Sooner Scribes at the Oklahoma State Fair was a giant success.



Booth sign at OK State Fair



Scribes volunteers: left to right; Bobby Doscher, Sandy Mutz, Phyllis Pennington, Wendy Fox, Jerry Rickerts, Sharon McKay

SIGN UP TIME FOR THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CARD EXCHANGE ...



Betty Harmon's award winning preserves. Way to go, Betty!

Please sign up for the **Christmas Card Exchange!** The Exchange and Potluck Party will be held in lieu of the January program meeting - our own fun way to celebrate after the other 'end of the year' celebrations have quieted! We sign up at the October and November meetings to participate in this fun exchange of holiday cards.

The cards need to be original in design. Printed cards are fine (this means that you can make prints of your original card rather than having to make each card individually, if applicable).

We share our process of creating these original cards. This helps to give and get inspiration for our next creative endeavor. The stories are often amusing and always inspiring.

All levels of expertise welcome, and of benefit to all - ideas galore - and food and fun besides!

All these opportunities are readily available to ALL Sooner Scribes members so come on in. The learning and sharing are fine!

October Program

- Date: October 28, 2013
- Time: 6:30pm is social time
(program starts at 7:00pm)
- Location: Will Rogers Garden Center
3400 NW 36th Street
OKC, OK 73112
- Program: "Tags for Scribes"
- Presenter: Robin Mead



Robin will be demonstrating how to make tags just in time for the coming gift giving season. It's sure to be a fun and hands-on activity for all of us. She will bring the tags, ribbon, background spritzers and stamps, as well as a heat gun. Scribes can bring anything else that they would like to decorate their tags with.

Suggested Supply List

1. Scissors
2. Glue stick
3. Markers, stamps, colored pencils, stickers or anything else to make your very own "Spookie" tags

President's Letter

Hello scribes, and welcome to a lovely time of year!

The Chinese Pistache tree in my back yard is turning sweet shades of orange, red and purple - the purple being mostly the berries, which the birds love to feast upon (and let's not mention what they then do all over my backyard deck - suffice it to say that I have the water hose out frequently, washing down the deck & furniture!).

This cooler weather brings us inside to work on the kinds of projects that Scribes enjoy ... I have some greeting cards started; a handmade book under my 'book press' (a box of rocks); more Arches Text Wove papers waiting to be torn down into books; and am enrolled in Tulsa Calligraphy Guild of Oklahoma's October workshop with Janet Takahashi exploring art journaling techniques. Of course, it's also perfect weather for baking oatmeal cookies and other goodies that go directly to my waist and thighs (yum, yum)!

Many thanks to Wendy Fox for arranging our great workshop with Anna Pinto - and for hauling & setting up our new camera/projector that makes workshops, demonstrations and presentations a true joy to behold! Thanks, too, to Sharon McKay for helping with all the set-up for the workshop, and to all who attended, and helped with clean-up afterwards. It's a real joy to see all the cooperative efforts that make our events so much fun, and so successful.

Hope to see you all on October 28th for a fun filled evening of Spookie Tags and sharing.

Pat Lynn Moses, President



Sooner Scribes Events Calendar

Date	Event Description	Location
Oct 28	Tags for Scribes Robin Mead	Will Rogers Garden Center
Nov 25	Art Swap 'n Sell The Board	Will Rogers Garden Center
Dec 23	No Meeting – Happy Holidays	
Jan 27	Christmas Card Exchange & Potluck Party	TBA



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