

# Sooner Scribes Drops of Ink

Month Year

Sooner Scribes Calligraphy Guild of Oklahoma City, OK

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Shopping for Treasures!



Wow! Will you look at these books!

## August News

Sharon McKay and Carol Manning are two very organized, efficient and devoted women! August's Silent Auction and Book Sale was a

blast. Soooo many beautiful books and magazines, soooo little book-shelf space! If you missed this sale, you **REALLY** missed out!

Sharon demonstrated our new projector camera and gave a quick spiel on the evolution of the letter "S" as well as a handout with wonderful S's abounding. Bravo, Ms. Sharon. I'm so very proud of you and Carol. I was one of the lucky ones to have filled a giant book bag with materials to use in our Drops of Ink newsletter.

After we Scribes had been given first 'dibbs' on our choices and had feasted on some fabulous snacks provided by Barbara LaGree, the photography group joined us and snatched up more of these wonderful treasures.



Sharon demonstrated the letter "S" with our new Projector Camera!



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 36<sup>th</sup> Street, Oklahoma City, OK, unless otherwise specified.

Wendy Fox graciously volunteered to share some of our treasures with the Tulsa Guild. They will be so happy to have some of these materials to use in their meetings and workshops.

Sharon McKay donated the remainder of the books and magazines to the Metropolitan Library System. Thank you to all who made our book sale a success.



## Condolences

Please keep Robin and her family in your prayers. Robin Mead's father passed away recently. She will be out of town for our September meeting attending a memorial service for her dad. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family, Robin.

Robin will return and present our program in October - Tags for Scribes!



## September Program



Date: September 23, 2013

Time: 6:30 pm - 7:00 pm Social time; 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Program

Place: Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St., OKC, OK

Wendy Fox will be presenting a new Photo Transfer Method at the September meeting. Sheer Heaven art paper, regular rubbing alcohol, absorbent paper and a bone folder is all you need to make a great transfer into your journal using your ink jet printer! Sounds enticing, Wendy. Don't miss this demo!

All YOU need to bring is a **bone folder** and yourself. Wendy will have images printed on the Sheer Heaven, some paper for your use and a bottle of alcohol. If you have a mister bottle, fill that with the rubbing alcohol and bring it. **NOTE: THIS IS IMPORTANT!! THE SPRAY BOTTLE MUST PUT OUT A FINE MIST.**



## President's Letter



### Hello Scribes

Fall is somewhat here, somewhat just arriving – school started up again, and I have noticed leaves falling from my backyard tree, so surely cooler weather is not far away. Changing of the seasons always brings me to an appreciation of change itself ... and anticipation of even more changes coming along soon.

Many, many thanks to Sharon McKay and Carol Manning for all their hard work in putting together the book sale held at the August meeting. These two ladies have devoted much of their 'spare' time to efforts to benefit our Sooner Scribes – give them a big 'Thank You!' when you see them!

The program for our September meeting will be presented by our Workshop Chair, Wendy Fox – look for more info on her topic elsewhere in this newsletter.

By meeting time we will have experienced our fall workshop, with the lovely Anna Pinto and arranged for by Wendy Fox – I will be there as I couldn't miss the opportunity to study with Anna – and I hope that you will be buzzing with ideas she churned up for you, too. By meeting time, too, some of you will have been on hand at the Oklahoma State Fair, creating bookmarks and telling loads of folks about calligraphy, and about our Guild. Thanks to all of you participating, and especially to Sharon McKay for organizing the event again this year.

A big 'thank you so much', too, goes out to all of you who have brought refreshments to meetings, or will be bringing them to future meetings. I know it's sometimes difficult for those who live far away, or who come straight from work – to make it to our meetings. Having food and drink available helps a lot!

Our condolences to Robin Mead, whose father passed away recently. Robin will be away attending a memorial service this month, but will return to be with us, and to present our program in October.

Thanks, too, for all those who present information at our programs; to Sue Ann Rogers for sending out newsletters by snail mail to those without e-mail; to Phyllis Pennington for keeping the website and newsletter going; to all those unsung hero members who step up to serve in office or on the board ...

Maybe you have spotted a theme of sorts in this 'prez letter' ... we are blessed to have so many devoted folks in our organization, working hard to further the interests of Sooner Scribes ... and I am very, very grateful to each and every one of you!

Thanks a bunch, everyone – and see you on September 23rd!

**pat lynn moose, President, Sooner Scribes**



## Workshop Update

Sooner Scribes Fall Workshop with Anna Pinto, 'Love Your Letters,' is scheduled for September 21-22. Wendy Fox, workshop chair, reports that the workshop is full.

We are looking forward to another great opportunity to learn and grow as calligraphic artists with this nationally known and respected calligraphic artist!

## Sooner Scribes Events Calendar

Date	Event Description	Location
Aug 26	Sooner Scribes Book Sale, Silent Auction & Art Swap Sharon McKay & Carol Manning <i>15 minutes of Fun! Letter "S" by Sharon McKay</i>	Will Rogers Garden Center
Sep 12-22	Sooner Scribes at OKC State Fair Sharon McKay, coordinator	State Fairgrounds, OKC
Sep 21-22	Anna Pinto Workshop, 'Love Your Letters'	Boy Scouts Hut, St. David's Episcopal Church
Sep 23	Photo Transfer Method Wendy Fox	Will Rogers Garden Center
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	



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