

look bill, i learned something

Thanks for a great workshop! Pointed Pen lettering is tricky. We appreciate your patience.

Transform an ordinary envelope into a work of art! It's time again to mail your entry for the Graceful Envelope Contest. The theme for the 2009 contest is **Address the Environment**. Entries must be postmarked no later than April 30th. They must be addressed using hand lettering (well duh!) to:

The Graceful Envelope Contest
Washington Calligraphers Guild
PO Box 3688
Merrifield, VA 22116

For additional information and view of previous winners, go to: www.calligraphersguild.org.



Don't forget your meeting kit:

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| 6" ruler | Glue stick |
| Pencil(s) | Three Colored pencils |
| Eraser | Micron Pen (or equivalent) |
| Scissors | Felt Calligraphy Pen |
| | Pad for taking notes |
| | No ink necessary |

The next general meeting is April 1st at 6:30 PM.

Deadline for contributions to the next Escribiente newsletter is May 1st.

Ghost Ranch **Literally Letters** is June 15—21. Go to GhostRanch.org for information, or phone 505-685-3333.

The Calligraphy Connections international assembly of lettering artists is approaching fast - June 20 — 27, 2009 at St John's University in Collegeville, Minnesota. For enrollment detail and class and learning opportunities, go to www.2009calligraphyconference.com.

Luminarte, the company that makes Twinkling H2O, is going out of business. If you like this stuff (and who doesn't?), place it on your shopping list now!

Show and tell of any type at meetings is always welcome!

Julie Gray will display a collection of her work at the Special Collections Library on the corner of Edith and Central from April to June. It will be a collection of handmade books and calligraphy. Part of the display will then go to the Cherry Hills Library for display through the month of July.

Escribiente will meet at 6:30 PM on Wednesday, April 1st at Manzano Mesa Multi-Generational Center, 501 Elizabeth SE, located south of Central and east of Eubank. We will be making Thank You cards for the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

This is part of the "Escribiente Gives Back" effort. Bring a friend!

