



Dozens of tea cups, glass pieces and knick knacks of all kinds fill a glass-fronted hutch in the Rose of Sharon Bed and Bath.

Owner Sharon Schulze rearranged some of the "pretties" for display.

Rose of Sharon one of four to be toured

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Visitors to the Rose of Sharon are greeted by a vine-covered arbor over the sidewalk leading to a sweeping, wrap-around front porch. White wicker chairs and swings invite guests to stop and sit awhile. Potted plants and flowers accent the porch's elegant character.

Stepping inside is like taking a trip back in time to a more genteel era. Victorian decor is evident in every room of the home. Guest quarters on the main floor feature a three-room suite housing some of Mrs. Schulze's prized antiques. All the guest rooms are named for the Schulzes' three daughters. This is the Amber Nicole Room. The suite's private bath has a deluxe heated jet tub.

There are two more guest rooms upstairs, the Karenza Carlee and the Makayla Gail. The two rooms share a bathroom featuring a claw-foot bathtub set in front of a bay

window. Both are adorned in romantic themes with gilded cherubs and Gibson Girl decor.

The parlor and dining room on the main floor are separated by Grecian columns. Both rooms boast the original hardwood floors set off with darker wooden inlays. Large oriental rugs tie the rooms together.

Mrs. Schulze said, "I love history and I try to collect a lot of Norton and Kansas history. I try to preserve, especially, the history of Norton and Norcatour."

When asked if guests had ever "helped themselves" to any of the countless items in the home, she said, "You know, I've never lost a thing. I don't even worry about it."

Some of her special antique collections include glassware, dishes and tea sets. Mr. Schulze collects and restores old mantle clocks which he displays in the new office he built on the west side of the original house.

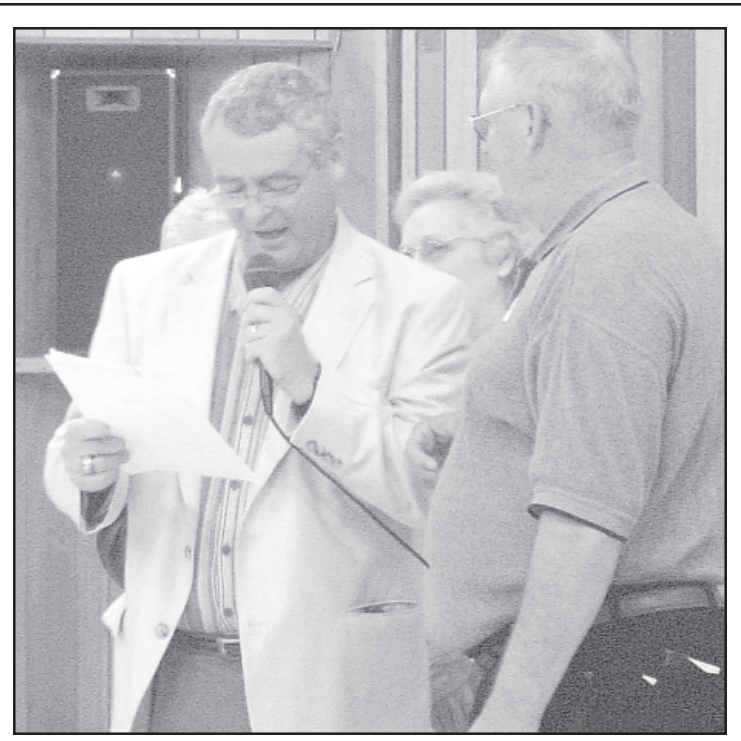
Her prized treasure is an antique secretary she bought for \$15 at an auction about 30 years ago. After stripping away several layers of pink and green paint, beautiful oak was revealed. "I just love it," she said. "It is so little."

The Rose of Sharon serves local residents, too. The inn is available to house out-of-town wedding guests, family attending funerals and, of course, the business traveler. It is available for tea parties,

bridal and baby showers or small receptions. To talk to Mrs. Schulze about the facility call 877-3010 or 877-2079.

You may purchase an Arts Council membership at any of the homes on the tour. The tour will be held from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24.

To learn more about the tour and the Norton Arts Council call Verla Grysch at 877-3133.



This small town boy made good. John Allen, Norton Community High School Class of 1967, is the President and Chief Financial Officer of the Cincinnati Reds baseball team. Mr. Allen brought some Reds memorabilia with him for the auction at the All-Class Reunion held Saturday night at the Norton American Legion. Selling the items was another graduate, Duane McEwen. Mr. Allen is the son of Marcella Allen, Norton, and the late Joe Allen.

— Photo by Myron Veh

School reunion draws crowd

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were auctioned by graduate Duane McEwen assisted by his wife, Darlene.

The 1935 graduate who planned to attend, fell on Thursday and was unable to attend, so cards were signed to send to Maxine Carr, Norton.

Among the many in attendance were graduate of 1936, Beth Ward, now of California and 1937 graduate Jerry Sloan, Norton.

Many persons helped to make this reunion a success with people coming from all over the United States to visit about the past, present and future with those they knew "back when," and meeting new friends as well

since we all have something in common because we attended school in Norton, Kansas. I believe every person makes a contribution to society in their own way. We all have a place to fill and people to help along the way, and getting together from time to time encourages all of us to keep on keeping on.

I enjoy reunions whether family, friends or school reunions and I recommend if you are one of those who normally do not attend these functions, make it your plan to attend a reunion soon and often, you might be surprised how much enjoyment they can be.

PUBLIC NOTICE August 2006 Norton County Bills

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Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at the Norton County Courthouse August 31, 2006 to allow the following bills: K.S.A. 19-337. An itemized copy of this report is available for public inspection in the County Clerk's Office.

County General	55,353.62
Road and Bridge	37,946.42
Special Bridge	7,578.00
Ambulance	12,777.37
Appraiser's Cost	6,525.75
County Health	20,046.40
Economic Development	623.00
Election	1,600.00
4-H Maintenance	200.00
Noxious Weed	4,789.81
Solid Waste	6,566.29
*Court Trustee - State	9,293.71
*Case Management	6,942.00
*JISP	5,081.41
*Diversion	9,039.21
Juvenile Intake	4,973.74
Advance Insurance	341.28
Ag Valley Co-op	4,277.11
Alexander, Daloris	110.40
All American Glass	58.00
Alltel	573.67
American Family Life	1,808.17
American Legion Post #63	165.50
Ankenman, JoAnn	123.60
AAT Communications Corp	1,378.08
*AT&T	1,012.36
Bainter, Vicki	7.48
Barlow, Mike	15.00
Baumgartner Law Office	823.04
Beam, Daryl DDS	364.00
Becker, Bernice R	121.00
Best Western Sundome	57.20
Bieber, Rita L	120.04
Bird, Angela	131.72
Bonner, James	25.00
Bound Tree Medical, LLC	187.70
*Bowman, Dr. Barbara	500.00
Brooks, Shanna	126.22
Bruinenkool, Roberta	123.60
*BC/BS of Kansas/Cs Mgmt	2,506.08
BC/BS of KS Inc/Bill Add	49,758.27
BG Consultants Inc	2,806.54
Car Quest Auto Parts	128.77
Carey, Reta M.	123.60
Central Plains Laboratory	325.00
Chambers, Kimberly J.	161.48
Chambers, Verla R.	109.50
Chandler, Dorothy J	25.56
Channing, Bete	321.00
Cheyenne Co. Health Dept	132.56
Chief State Boiler Inspec	90.00
City of Lenora	12.00
City of Norton	6,499.29
Clock Medical Supply Inc	114.65
Coca Cola Enterprises Inc	81.50
Colonial Supplement Ins	137.50
*Commerce Bank	2,075.48
Conard, Thadene Sue	154.38
Conseco Health Insurance	26.16
Cook, Nikki Lynne	122.72
Coomes, Inc	400.00
Craig, Laura L.	120.06
Culligan Water Condition	37.25
D&M Service	1,520.42
Datamax Applied Tech Inc	401.00
Davis, Farrah	11.00
*Decatur Co Clerk	306.87
Decatur Co Road & Bridge	40.76
*Decatur County Dist Court	49.07
Dewey, Kelly	22.19
Dietz, Wayne M	1,376.13
Dollar General	11.00
Don's Alinement	196.00
Don's Floor Covering	169.95
*DCCA, Inc	700.00
Eakes Office Products	5.41
Election Sys & Software	3,547.00
Elliott, Jill	1,306.85
Emergency Medical	182.79
Endzone Sports & Office	2,151.88
*Engel, Calandra	26.82
Engel's Sales & Service	477.13
Engelbert, Bryce	185.00
Engelbert, Susan	24.92
Enserv	148.28
Eppinger, Claire Ann	109.50
Evercom	210.00
Excel Manufacturing Inc	571.60

Felton's Ace Building	7.00
*Five Star Auto Repair, LLC	26.42
Fleet Fueling	148.71
*Foley, Pam	240.00
Frack, Martha	109.50
Fredrickson, Gary L	226.00
*Frontier Equity Exchange	39.23
Galeton Gloves	451.76
Gall's Inc	551.85
*Gallentine, Vicky	56.00
Garrett Plumbing	429.70
Garrett's Plumbing	306.07
Geil, Alberta	120.06
Gilhausen, Dennis	350.00
Gill, Anise	109.50
Glennemeier, Bill	2,625.00
Gnagy, Mary C.	109.50
Graham Co Health Dept	653.93
*Griffiths, Karen	1,484.41
Grysch, Verla	5.09
Hadley, Marilyn Y.	120.06
Hahn, Kay Lene	114.32
Hanson, Janice K.	115.68
Hastings Bookstore	523.00
Hays Daily News	52.80
Hays Mack Sale & Serv Inc	22.73
Heartland Bldg Center	1,832.69
Heikes, Donald E.	174.68
Heikes, Gloria Anne	64.00
HemoCue, Inc.	736.00
Herrmann, John	110.00
*Hi-Plains Co-op Assoc.	399.28
Hilton Wichita Airport	190.34
Hirsch & Pratt	208.00
Holiday Inn Convention	131.34
Homestore	125.81
Ingram, twila	15.00
Intrust Card Center	3,464.27
ING Aetna	3,598.00
Jamboree Foods	577.86
*Jennings, Dawana	25.60
*Juvenile Justice Authorit	121.82
Kansas Home Care Assoc	522.00
Kansas Judicial Branch	0.79
Kansas Payment Center	269.00
Kansas State University	95.00
Kansas Withholding Tax	5,273.92
Kansasland Tire Company	389.15
Keys and Locks	7.00
KidCo, Inc	210.01
Klein Mark Dr	103.00
Koel, Leta Marie	109.50
Kone Inc.	1,929.89
Kowpoke Supply LLC	51.38
Krizek Craig Dr	1,422.00
Kruse, Dean	76.51
KADCCA	125.00
KEMA Treasurer	150.00
KPERS Wire Transfer	14,718.74
*KS Dept of Administ. DISC	439.00
Lampton Welding Supply	231.04
Lang, Leroy	13.35
Law Office of Paula	20.00
Lawns by Lacy	76.50
*Leader Technologies, Inc	6.73
Lewis Toyota Ford of Hays	62.10
Linwelnd	179.67
Lockwood Company Inc.	318.26
Mai, Maxine C.	32.60
Malsam Terracing Co. Inc	348.72
Mapes & Miller CPA	15,000.00
Martin Tractor	2,160.10
*May, Delayne	720.00
McVay, Helen K.	109.50
Med-Tech Resources, Inc	489.04
Mid State Port Authority	302.50
Mid-Continental	28,288.00
Midwest Energy Inc.	295.32
Miller, John	277.68
Mizell, Doris	121.00
Morel, Janelle	220.16
Morris & Dickson Co.	1,581.97
Morrison, Russell, CSO	313.04
Mortensen Computer Servic ..	4,790.25
*Motel 6	51.08
Murphy Tractor & Equip Co	700.00
Nex-Tech	3,376.62
Nex-Tech-Wireless-LLC	569.18
Noodle Soup	145.20
Northwest Fire Extinguish	55.00
*Northwestern Office	23.85
Norton Car Wash	50.00
Norton Chamber Commerce	125.00
Norton Cleaners	72.22
Norton Co Sheriff Office	10.00
Norton County Appraiser	900.00
Norton County Clerk	179.11
Norton County Health	202.19

Norton County Hospital	2,049.60
Norton County Road Dept	103,233.65
Norton County Treasurer	185.00
Norton Fuel Service	174.05
Norton Public Library	30.00
Norton Sheet Metal Inc	109.90
Norton Shop & Save	497.25
Norton Telegram	60.00
O'Neill, Georgia E.	106.00
*Oberlin Ribbons	64.70
*Office Works, Inc.	44.91
Oklahoma Police Supply	166.60
Olliff, Carol Fern	124.50
Otter, Carol Ann	109.50
Otter, Penny	134.80
Otter, Tammy	132.40
Ozark Life Insurance	137.07
Pakkebie, Marie Lorraine	180.82
Pamida Inc	831.07
Payroll Fed/fica Wire	42,490.98
Pfannenstiel, Leslie	9.79
Phillips 66-Conoco 76	33.00
Physicians Ref Lab LLC	52.60
*Platt, Brenda M.	138.49
Poage, Genevieve	75.50
Postmaster	165.00
Pre-Paid Legal Serv Inc	203.35
Public Safety Center	384.29
*Raye's Grocery Inc	4.94
*Redwood Biotech, Inc.	467.75
*Redwood Toxicology Lab In	105.00
*Regional Prevention	450.00
Rocky Mountain Emerg Veh	39.97
Rogers Disposal Service	287.00
*Ron's Tire Service	644.58
Rooks Co. Health Dept	1,106.93
Rorabaugh, Georgie	124.50
Roy's Sales & Service Inc	2,052.78
S & R Ready Mix Concrete	118.00
*S&T Communications LLC	92.29
S&W Supply Company	17.16
Sanofi Pastuer, Inc.	1,614.90
Schemper, Kathleen L	88.11
Schilling, Ruth	320.40
*Scott, Melanie	110.00
Sebelius & Griffiths LLP	2,224.86
*Sebelius Building LLC	375.00
*Security Transport Servic	227.55
Sell-Britt, Penni	2.23
Sewing Box	26.00
Shannon, Brian	25.35
Share Corp	112.89
*Shelton, Pam	120.00
Shirk, Lamont Dr.	1,042.00
Skipton, Marlene L.	109.50
Skrldandt Welding	84.89
Skrldandt, Vivian	109.50
Slaby, Alberta	60.50
SmileMakers	88.87
*St. Frances Academy	86.65
Stapp, Delores C.	124.50
*Tiller, Judi	25.17
Townsdin, Francis G	725.80
Townsend, Bette	109.50
Trego County	870.00
Tri-Anim Health Services	351.04
Tri-Central Office Supply	196.97
*Triplett Inc./Fuel Plus	651.41
Trumbo, Joyce Ann	120.94
*TLC for Children & Fam	13.05
United States Postal	350.00
United States Postal -1	200.00
UAP-Distribution, Inc.	3,525.20
Valero Marketing	123.42
Van Diest Supply Company	13,709.33
*Vandiver, Sonya	245.92
Vincent, Wanda	183.12
Voss, Carol K	121.80
Waddell & Reed	725.00
*Wal-Mart Community	67.87
Walter Motor Company	207.96
*Waters, Fred	320.00
Westco Inc.	40.00
West, Maria Jane	60.50
Wetter, Margaret A.	110.40
Whitney Law Office	88.82
Whitney, H. Naedean	136.80
Williams Nutrition Consul	168.63
Wiltfong, Eugene	109.50
Windscheffel, Tammy	57.85
Wiseman, Wilma Jean	114.76
Witt, Ed	50.00
Wyatt, Judith J.	109.50
Xerox Corp	241.11
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