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## COME SEE ME

If you have time and would like to read my blog, you can go to: <http://sherylborden.wordpress.com/>

I would also like to invite you to “like” me on my [Creative Living with Sheryl Borden Facebook page](#). If it’s easier, just type in “**Creative Living with Sheryl Borden**” in the Search Window, and it’ll bring it up.

As you may know, I’m busy working on the station’s 36th Annual online Auction, which raises money to pay for the programs viewers enjoy watching on KENW. And, since I’m not taping segments for “Creative Living” until September, I decided to focus on some of my favorite websites. If you have ones you would like to share with me (and with the newsletter subscribers), please e-mail and let me know the address and why you like it.

I would be remiss if I didn’t take this opportunity to remind you to go to our auction website: <http://auction.kenw.org> and browse through the 1500+ items that we have “up for bid.” If you have already registered, you’re set to start placing bids. If you haven’t registered, go to the REGISTER link at the top of the page, and fill in the information it asks for (name, address, telephone numbers and your e-mail address.) Then you pick your password and you, too, are ready to have fun.

Another website I enjoy looking at is: [www.houzz.com](http://www.houzz.com). It allows you to save pictures you like in your own “My Houzz” section in order to refer to them later. Each week I receive an e-mail telling me new categories/photos they are covering, and it may be new floor plans, trendy new colors, how to incorporate blueray into your home furnishings - and a multitude of other topics. The pictures they include are beautifully done, and the descriptions are also good. Many times, they include the website where you can go to purchase some (or all) of the items you see in the photograph. They currently have 483,333 photographs on the site!

Everyone seems to be on Pinterest, but just in case you haven’t visited their website, I encourage you to do so. Go to: [www.pinterest.com](http://www.pinterest.com) and you’ll see thousands and thousands of “ideas”, recipes, designs, fashions and much more. If you like one of the pictures you see, you can click on it and go to the originating website for more information, or in the case of recipes, you can get the ingredients and cooking/baking instructions. You can set up your own bulletin board and then repin the ones you want to save - or just keep browsing. There are some truly amazing ideas that people have posted and many are worth trying. I hope you get some good ideas.

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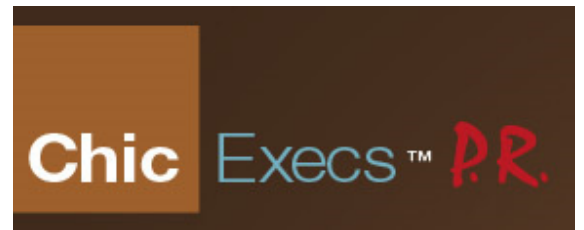
There may or may not be those of you reading this newsletter who have a problem finding shoes that fit - like I do. And I found this website completely by accident. I was playing a video game called Eggz, and various ads popped up on the screen. The one that caught my eye was [www.endless.com](http://www.endless.com). They feature thousands of shoes in every different category, size, width and price, but the part that caught my eye was the fact that they ship the shoes to you free and if you decide to not keep them, you can ship them back "at no expense" to you. And, as I said, I have trouble finding shoes that fit, so this one feature is very important to me. I have bought several pairs of shoes from Endless, and have been very happy with the quality and fit -- and all of the others, I just shipped back. They also have jewelry and accessories available.



Each month, I enjoy reading my subscription to RealSimple magazine - actually, it's so thick you could call it a catalog! But, they also have a website that I have visited and it's "chocked full" of additional information that I have found helpful. Just go to: [www.realsimple.com](http://www.realsimple.com) for their online magazine.



And, finally, another website I like is [www.chicexecs.com](http://www.chicexecs.com) and this website features entrepreneurs who have designed or created something, and they are trying to launch their business. Many of the items I get for the Auction each year come from some of these creative people. I had received e-mails from this company for many years, but hadn't taken the time to view the website until about 3 years ago. I was amazed at what all is available -- and they have come about from just normal, ordinary people who had an idea and figured out a way to make it work. I think you'll enjoy browsing this site, too.



And, last but not least, I hope you'll go to the Creative Living website. Not only can you download any issue of the monthly newsletter, you can see show descriptions, review guests in case you want to contact any of them and see what's airing now and what will be coming up. That address is: [kenw.org](http://kenw.org) and then click on the Creative Living link.

That's all for this month. I hope you'll shop at our auction website and help KENW raise money to pay for shows like "Creative Living" and all of the other wonderful programs on public television.

Enjoy your summer - and stay cool.

*Sheryl*

