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THE PINK HOUSE ADDS AUTHENTIC TEA TIME TO RESTAURANT'S OFFERINGS

CLAREMORE, OKLA – October 26, 2009 – The Pink House restaurant of Claremore, a historic Victorian landmark in northeastern Oklahoma, is proud to announce the addition of afternoon tea time to its existing restaurant dining, gift shop, and catering services.

“The addition of the authentic tea room experience fulfills a dream I have had for years,” said Pink House Owner, Margo Stewart. “In this beautiful space our guests have the chance to slow down and share the little extras that go along with tea time before returning to their busy routines.”

Tea is served by appointment only, allowing the Pink House staff to focus on the ritual and tradition of sharing tea. Appointments are available between the hours of 2 – 4pm, following the 11 am – 2pm lunch, Monday through Saturday.

The Pink House features traditional tea time treats made from scratch including a variety of scones such as traditional cream, peaches and cream, or lemon blueberry. Scones are generally served with fresh mock Devonshire cream, lemon curd, or strawberry jam. Additional items may include finger sandwiches such as classic cucumber and fancy turkey. Savory treats also include chicken parisian crostini and spinach bacon phyllo Tarts. Sweet treats included in a typical tea experience are fruit tartlets, warm from the oven cookies, and chocolate covered strawberries.

Traditional tea time also includes the main attraction of freshly brewed loose leaf tea. At the Pink House, each guest can choose from over 50 loose leaf teas to create their perfect Tea Time experience. This ritual of tea time is aimed at providing guests with a relaxing escape from the “real” world.

“The spirit of tea time is found in the small nurturing touches, the special cups and saucers, fine linens, flowers, and the special relationships shared. Tea time is really all about connecting with loved ones and getting away from the things of this world for an hour or two,” said Stewart.

Serving Claremore and northeastern Oklahoma since 1982, the Pink House provides a unique and special atmosphere for dining and shopping that delights both guests and those receiving thoughtful gifts from the Pink House gift shop. Tea time is the latest addition to the restaurant’s offerings.

The Pink House is located in historic Claremore, Oklahoma, at the intersection of 4th Street and Weenonah. Lunch is served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Saturday with catering and tea time available by appointment. For more information, visit www.pinkhouseofclaremore.com.

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