

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE INC  
Form SC 13D/A  
July 24, 2006

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13D**

**Under the Securities Act of 1934**

**(Amendment No. 3)**

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULE  
13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(a)\***

Collectors Universe, Inc.

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**(Name of Issuer)**

Common Shares, \$.001 Par Value

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**(Title of Class of Securities)**

19421R200

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**(CUSIP Number)**

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

July 20, 2006

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), 13d-1(f) or 13d-1(g), check the following box " ".

*Note:* Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the Schedule, including all exhibits. *See* Rule 13d-7(b) for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page. The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ( " Act ") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, *see* the *Notes*).

**SCHEDULE 13D**

CUSIP No. 19421R200

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

**Shamrock Activist Value Fund, L.P. 35-2239069**

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

(a) ☐

(b) ☒

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**WC**

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) ..

**Not Applicable**

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**Delaware**

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF  
SHARES **0**

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY **382,705 Common Shares\***

EACH 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING  
PERSON **0**

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH

**382,705 Common Shares\***

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

**382,705 Common Shares\***

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) ..

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

**4.53%\***

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**PN**

\* See Item 5 hereof.

**SCHEDULE 13D**

CUSIP No. 19421R200

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

**Shamrock Activist Value Fund II, L.P. 55-0908199**

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

(a) ☐

(b) ☒

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**WC**

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) ..

**Not Applicable**

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**Virginia**

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF

**0**

SHARES

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY

**319,017 Common Shares\***

EACH

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING

**0**

PERSON

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH

**319,017 Common Shares\***

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

**319,017 Common Shares\***

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) ..

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

**3.77%\***

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**PN**

\* See Item 5 hereof.

**SCHEDULE 13D**

CUSIP No. 19421R200

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

**Shamrock Activist Value Fund III, L.P. 11-3768779**

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

(a) ..

(b) **x**

3 **SEC USE ONLY**

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**WC**

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) ..

**Not Applicable**

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**Delaware**

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF  
SHARES **0**

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY **55,853 Common Shares\***

EACH 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING  
PERSON **0**

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

**55,853 Common Shares\***

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

**55,853 Common Shares\***

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) ..

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

**0.66%\***

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**PN**

\* See Item 5 hereof.

**SCHEDULE 13D**

CUSIP No. 19421R200

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

**Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C. 37-1497874**

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

(a) ☐

(b) ☒

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**Not Applicable**

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) ..

**Not Applicable**

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**Delaware**

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF  
SHARES **0**

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY **757,575 Common Shares\***

EACH 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING  
PERSON **0**

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH

**757,575 Common Shares\***

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

**757,575 Common Shares\***

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) ..

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

**8.96%\***

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**OO**

\* See Item 5 hereof.

**SCHEDULE 13D**

CUSIP No. 19421R200

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

**Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C. 87-0733755**

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

(a) ..

(b) **x**

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**Not Applicable**

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) ..

**Not Applicable**

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**Delaware**

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF **757,575 Common Shares\***

SHARES

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY

**0**

EACH

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING

PERSON

**757,575 Common Shares\***

WITH

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

**0**

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

**757,575 Common Shares\***

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) ..

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

**8.96%\***

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

**OO**

**ITEM 1. Security and Issuer.**

This statement amends the Schedule 13D (the "Schedule 13D") filed on December 13, 2005, as amended on March 1, 2006 and on April 12, 2006 (the "Amended 13D"), by Shamrock Activist Value Fund, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SAVF"), Shamrock Activist Value Fund II, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership ("SAVF II"), Shamrock Activist Value Fund III, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SAVF III") and, together with SAVF and SAVF II, the "Shamrock Activist Value Fund"), Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company (the "General Partner"), and Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("Shamrock Partners") and, collectively with SAVF, SAVF II, SAVF III and the General Partner, the "Reporting Persons") with respect to Common Shares, \$.001 par value per share ("Common Shares"), of Collectors Universe, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"). Capitalized terms used and not defined in this Amendment No. 3 shall have the meanings set forth in the Schedule 13D. Except as specifically provided herein, this Amendment No. 3 does not modify any of the information previously reported on the Schedule 13D.

1. ITEM 2 OF THE SCHEDULE 13D IS HEREBY AMENDED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

**ITEM 2. Identity and Background.**

(a)-(f). The business address of each of the persons listed below is 4444 Lakeside Drive, Burbank, California 91505. The names and principal occupations or employments of the directors, executive officers and controlling persons of the Shamrock Activist Value Fund, the General Partner, Shamrock Partners, SHOC and SHI are as follows:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Principal Occupation Or Employment</b>
Roy E. Disney	Chairman of the Board of Directors of SHI and SHOC. Chairman of the Board of Directors of Shamrock Capital Advisors, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("SCA") (a closely-held corporation which provides management and consulting services, principally to SHOC and investment partnerships organized by SHOC, including businesses in which such partnerships invest). The principal executive office of SCA is 4444 Lakeside Drive, Burbank, CA 91505.
Patricia A. Disney	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors of SHI, SHOC and SCA.
Roy Patrick Disney	Director of SHI; investor.
Susan Disney Lord	Director of SHI; investor.
Abigail E. Disney	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors of SHI; investor.



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Timothy J. Disney	Director of SHI; investor.
Stanley P. Gold	Director and President of SHI and SHOC. Director, President and Managing Director of SCA. Managing Member and President of Shamrock Partners.
Michael J. McConnell	Managing Director of SCA; Vice President of SHOC and Shamrock Partners.
Eugene I. Krieger	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Operating Officer of SHI. Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors of SCA. Vice President of SHOC.
Robert G. Moskowitz	Executive Vice President of SHI and SHOC; Managing Director of SCA.
Gregory S. Martin	Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of SHOC, SHI, SCA and Shamrock Partners.

All of the persons listed above are citizens and residents of the United States.

During the last five years, none of the Reporting Persons or, to the Reporting Persons' best knowledge, any of their directors, executive officers or controlling persons, as the case may be, has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors) or has been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction as a result of which such person was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

2. ITEM 3 OF THE SCHEDULE 13D IS HEREBY AMENDED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

**ITEM 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.**

The total amount of funds used by SAVF to purchase the 49,095 Common Shares acquired by it since April 12, 2006 (the date of the filing of the Amended 13D) was \$648,325 (excluding brokerage commissions). All of such funds were derived from capital contributions to SAVF.

The total amount of funds used by SAVF II to purchase the 43,528 Common Shares acquired by it since April 12, 2006 (the date of the filing of the Amended Schedule 13D) was \$575,371 (excluding brokerage commissions). All of such funds were derived from capital contributions to SAVF II.

The total amount of funds used by SAVF III to purchase the 7,177 Common Shares acquired by it since April 12, 2006 (the date of the filing of the Amended Schedule 13D) reported hereunder was \$94,886 (excluding brokerage commissions). All of such funds were derived from capital contributions to SAVF III.

3. ITEM 4 OF THE SCHEDULE 13D IS HEREBY AMENDED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

**ITEM 4. Purpose of Transaction.**

SAVF acquired 39,283 Common Shares on such dates, in such amounts and at such per share prices (excluding brokerage fees) as indicated on the Schedule of Transactions attached hereto as Exhibit 3 and incorporated herein by reference. All such transactions were effected in the open market on the NASDAQ National Market.

SAVF II acquired 34,323 Common Shares on such dates, in such amounts and at such per share prices (excluding brokerage fees) as indicated on the Schedule of Transactions attached hereto as Exhibit 3 and incorporated herein by reference. All such transactions were effected in the open market on the NASDAQ National Market.

SAVF III acquired 5,646 Common Shares on such dates, in such amounts and at such per share prices (excluding brokerage fees) as indicated on the Schedule of Transactions attached hereto as Exhibit 3 and incorporated herein by reference. All such transactions were effected in the open market on the NASDAQ National Market.

4. ITEM 5 OF THE SCHEDULE 13D IS HEREBY AMENDED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

**ITEM 5. Interests in Securities of the Issuer.**

(a), (b) SAVF, SAVF II and SAVF III are controlled by the General Partner. As a result, each of SAVF, SAVF II and SAVF III may be deemed members of a group and may be deemed to beneficially own for purposes of Section 13(d) the shares beneficially owned for such purposes by the other. SAVF is the owner of 382,705 Common Shares, which represents approximately 4.53% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares. SAVF II is the owner of 319,017 Common Shares, which represents approximately 3.77% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares. SAVF III is the owner of 55,583 Common Shares, which represents approximately .66% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares. Accordingly, the Shamrock Activist Value Fund owns 757,575 Common Shares, which represents approximately 8.96% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares.

As the general partner of each of SAVF, SAVF II and SAVF III, the General Partner may be deemed to beneficially own the 757,575 Common Shares owned by the Shamrock Activist Value Fund, constituting approximately 8.96% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares. As the managing member of the General Partner, Shamrock Partners may be deemed to beneficially own the 757,575 Common Shares owned by the Shamrock Activist Value Fund, constituting approximately 8.96% of the issued and outstanding Common Shares. Shamrock Partners has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the 757,575 Common Shares owned by the Shamrock Activist Value Fund by virtue of its authority to vote and dispose of such Common Shares.

Finally, each of the controlling persons of Shamrock Partners may be deemed to beneficially own the 757,575 Common Shares owned by the Shamrock Activist Value Fund, pursuant to Rule 13d-3 under the Act. Those controlling persons are identified in response to Item 2, as previously filed.

The percentage set forth in this response to Items 5(a) and 5(b) assumes that 8,450,397 Common Shares were outstanding as of April 24, 2006, as represented by the Company in its Report on Form 10-Q filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on May 10, 2006.

(c) Except as set forth above, none of the Reporting Persons beneficially owns any Common Shares or has effected any transactions in Common Shares during the preceding 60 days.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) Not applicable.

5. ITEM 7 OF THE SCHEDULE 13D IS HEREBY AMENDED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

**ITEM 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.**

	<b>Document</b>
Exhibit 3	Schedule of Transactions
Exhibit 4	Joint Filing Agreement, dated March 1, 2006, among Shamrock Activist Value Fund, L.P., Shamrock Activist Value Fund II, L.P., Shamrock Activist Value Fund III, L.P., Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C. and Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C.

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**SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge and belief, we certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: July 24, 2006

SHAMROCK ACTIVIST VALUE FUND, L.P.

By: Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C., its  
general partner

By: Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C.,  
its managing member

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. McCONNELL

Name: Michael J. McConnell

Title: Vice President

SHAMROCK ACTIVIST VALUE FUND II, L.P.

By: Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C., its  
general partner

By: Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C.,  
its managing member

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. McCONNELL

Name: Michael J. McConnell

Title: Vice President

SHAMROCK ACTIVIST VALUE FUND III, L.P.

By: Shamrock Activist Value Fund GP, L.L.C., its  
general partner

By: Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C.,  
its managing member

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. McCONNELL

Name: Michael J. McConnell

Title: Vice President

SHAMROCK ACTIVIST VALUE FUND GP, L.L.C.

By: Shamrock Partners Activist Value Fund, L.L.C.,  
its managing member

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. McCONNELL

Name: Michael J. McConnell

Title: Vice President

SHAMROCK PARTNERS ACTIVIST VALUE FUND,  
L.L.C.

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. McCONNELL

Name: Michael J. McConnell

Title: Vice President

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