

4 Kaleidoscopic KITCHENS

Inspiration from Lehigh Valley Builders Association Members

Executed and designed by some of the top builders in the Valley, these four kitchens are sure to inspire and amaze.



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This home was inspired by the client's passion for French architecture and interior design. The cabinetry is solid poplar wood, custom painted a soft cream color, featuring beaded inset doors rather than full overlay doors. The oversized farmhouse sink was strategically chosen to sit underneath the bank of expansive windows. Countertops are sealed Italian Carrara marble, and the backsplash was fabricated on-site, cutting each piece of the marble to create the herringbone pattern.

There are many unique touches making up this space, including the cherry wood island which was designed by a local furniture maker to be the focal point of the room. The Lacanche French range (stovetop oven) was made and shipped from France, taking 14 weeks to arrive overseas by ship. In order to add dimension while allowing space for three crystal chandeliers, the ceiling was finished with a custom-built coffer. The 3/4-inch oak flooring was continued into the kitchen from the rest of the house.



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Designed to create a jaw-dropping, ultra-functional space for family and friends to gather for years to come, this project seamlessly reflects the style of the home. Natural stone was added in the backsplash areas and continued up to the ceiling to mimic the rectangular stone on the exterior of the house.

This kitchen was strategically designed with functionality in mind. Open shelves at the wet bar/prep area allow for convenient storage and grab-and-go service items. A built-in pantry with antique mirrored mullion doors hides the microwave and several other small appliances as well as dishes and food items. The pantry is tucked away into an alcove for an added architectural element. Herringbone wood floors were chosen as a classic and timeless touch, and large chandeliers effectively fill the entire space with light.