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Hi All. Sooo looking forward to spring, I've had enough of the rain now although I feel bad complaining after such a dry summer! We are busy as ever and have just completed the Masterton Cosmopolitan Club Refurbishment along with many residential projects. We are currently doing some fabulous kitchen designs, full refurbishments of existing homes, some amazing new homes all over the country and the Wairarapa College new auditorium.

A Big Congratulations to Andrew and Jennie Stokes and DR Borman for winning the House of the Year Gold & Supreme Awards. We are the very proud interior designers of their beautiful home.

JULY'S ART EVENING

We had our fourth Annual Art Evening on the first week of July and as usual it was a very wet cold night! Despite the weather we had a great night with all new artists displaying a variety of different pieces. We also heard from each artist this time with all of them doing a little speech which we all found very interesting and informative. Below are a few pictures of the pieces from the night, we still have some of them on display so if you couldn't make it on the night you are more than welcome to come and have a nosey anytime! Well worth a look.....



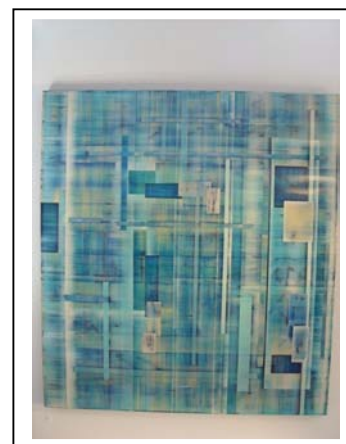
Paulette Harris



Lanie Wrigley



John Christensen



Andrew Farquhar

**POP IN AND HAVE A LOOK IN THE STUDIO OR SEE US TO VIEW,
SOURCE OR COMMISSION A WORK**

ANY COLOUR UNDER THE SUN

The experts have always advised against painting traditional timber weatherboards in dark colours because of their tendency to warp and split in the sun. And the last thing any busy homeowner wants is to have to repair and replace damaged weatherboards and repaint every few years - it's just too costly and time consuming.

But on the latest TV Showhomes ad now screening on TV One and TV2, you'll see two fantastic Tauranga homes that feature striking dark-painted weatherboards that will remain looking great for years to come.

The secret is that they both use Linea™ Weatherboard, which offers the same appealing deep shadowlines and versatility as timber weatherboards, but with all the benefits of low-density fibre cement. This means they can be painted in today's popular darker colours with no loss of product or paint life.



LIGHTING

Lighting can make or break both a residential or commercial/retail environment. We use the services of very experienced lighting designer's to get things absolutely right. One method is LED lighting.

LED Lighting allows you to create great effects giving a unique advantage.

LED technology also provides these additional benefits.

- **Lower Heat output** – reducing air conditioning requirements
- **Low or No UV** – reducing fading of expensive textiles
- **Long Life** - eliminating constant maintenance, and improving cost of ownership
- **Energy Efficiency** - reducing power bills and impact on the environment
- **Creative Visual Effects** – that stand out from competitors

Quality Custom Made Sofa

This Designers Collection Sofa is a very high quality piece of furniture - unfortunately it is taking up precious space in our studio so.....

COME IN AND MAKE US AN OFFER!



We trust your project whether renovation or new, has gone well and we look forward to assisting you again in the future