

Timeless Design Solutions

Award-winning designer, Kim Duffin of Sublime Cabinet Design, has easily surpassed their brief of 'a minimalist feel with an element of character' in this project. He has helped created a practical and attractive kitchen which is customised to suit the lifestyle of the resident family.

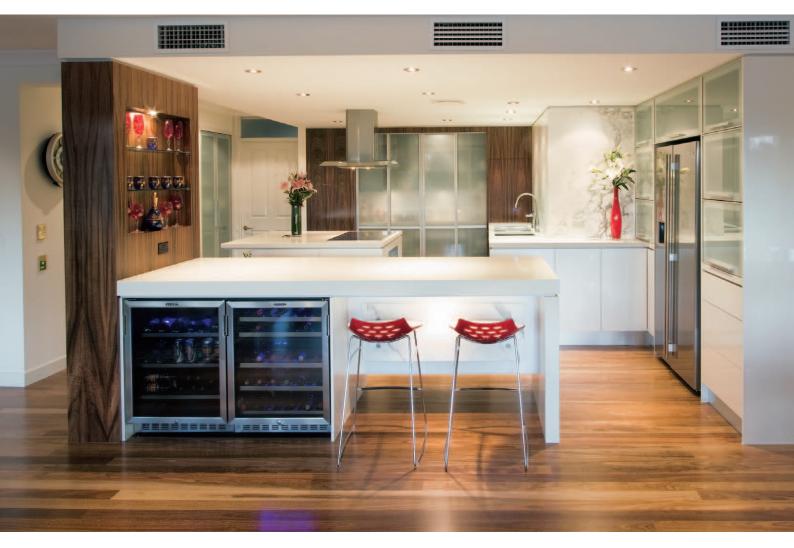
With a well-considered design which incorporates clean lines, defined pathways, and a designated home for every appliance and utensil, his innovative design solutions have enhanced the daily lives, with the added bonus of making mundane daily tasks of cooking and cleaning much easier.

To achieve the new free-flowing layout, several walls were removed to the adjoining living areas to open up the kitchen to the rest of the home. This has created an environment for casual dining and interaction with family and friends as well as cooking and food preparation area. A large





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island bench at the front of the kitchen doubles as both a food serving and a dry bar area, providing the perfect spot for informal entertaining with a Vintec wine fridge neatly positioned underneath. It also incorporates all the major cooking appliances. The sink was relocated to a new position at the rear of the kitchen, freeing up valuable bench space.

In order to blend the kitchen with the existing décor of this renovated Mediterranean style home, earthy tones and natural materials were chosen to complement the existing surrounds and work with the home's waterfront position. Marble splashbacks, island benchtops in Essa Stone, and a floating floor in spotted gum have helped create harmony between the kitchen and living areas. Derived from plantation forests, the Queensland walnut veneer provides an eye catching focal point, bringing warmth to the overall design as well as masking a structural support for the roof struts.

Storage was a priority in this project. Drawers were introduced in lieu of cupboards to offer a more ergonomic use of space and have been designed to incorporate specific needs. All drawers and cabinet doors can be touch-opened, for greater convenience. To minimise clutter, an appliance pantry was included, featuring sliding glass doors and movement sensor lighting. This pantry provides a concealed practical space for all food and appliance storage requirements.

Lighting is one area which is often overlooked in kitchen design, but not here. Task lighting is provided via downlights to illuminate workspaces and low-wattage accent lighting helps enhance the key elements of the design. The kitchen doesn't skimp of environmental consideration either, with the products used throughout carefully selected for their EO (zero formaldehyde emissions) qualities.

The innovative and timeless design solutions displayed in this project are reason enough to engage Kim Duffin and Sublime Cabinet Design team. Kim's talents will transform the most important spaces in your home – kitchen, bathroom, dressing room or outdoor space. His experience, understanding and project management skills are just a few of the reasons why he is one of Queensland's' most awarded and sort-after designers. Call today to arrange an intial complimentary design consultation.



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