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Jane Lockhart's Kitchen Design Wins at The National Kitchen & Bath Association 2014 Design Competition

Designer wins multiple awards including *People's Pick Kitchen Award* for her English cottage inspired kitchen

TORONTO, Ontario—March 2, 2014—On Saturday February 22, 2014, Jane Lockhart, of Jane Lockhart Interior Design in Toronto received several awards from the National Kitchen & Bath Associations (NKBA) in Canada and the U.S. The awards, recognized Lockhart with the prestigious *Canadian Pinnacle Award For Design Excellence*; the *People's Pick Kitchen Award* for her Blue English cottage inspired kitchen; and third place for *Medium Sized Kitchen*. This is Lockhart's second *Canadian Pinnacle Award* for best overall design from the NKBA in Canada and approximately 15,000 consumers on HGTV.com voted for her design in the People's Pick Kitchen Award in the U.S. competition.



Award-winning traditional kitchen by Jane Lockhart Interior Design. Photo: Brandon Barré.

The People's Pick Award-winning kitchen, located in midtown Toronto, features pale blue cabinetry, white quartz counter tops and antique brown hardwood floors. The clean lines of the traditional Shaker style doors made from solid maple emit a custom furniture aesthetic created by adding the substantial moulding that frames the cabinetry. Fine details including, the custom edging on the countertop that mimics the lines in the cabinetry, intricate patterned tile backsplash, leaded pane glass doors, a decorative fume hood and a cozy, custom built-in eating area.

"What makes this kitchen unique is its attention to detail and it's pale blue colour" says designer Lockhart. "Cabinets are traditionally a version of white but colour is comforting, beautiful and unique so it is something we ask our design customers to really consider."

Lockhart sees other trends becoming more prevalent in kitchen design such as solid surface counter tops like quartz and the continued movement towards custom-crafted details in the kitchen design whether it's traditional right through to modern.

About The National Kitchen & Bath Association

The National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA) is a nonprofit trade with 60,000+ members, the NKBA has educated and led the kitchen and bath industry since its founding in 1963. For more information, visit NKBA.org.

About Jane Lockhart Interior Design

Jane Lockhart Interior Design provides expert interior design solutions for residential and commercial clients across North America. From room makeovers, to product and colour consulting our expertise is focused on providing the best options for our clients to suit both their style and budget. For more information visit janelockhart.com.

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