

Style & Functionality



Oversized porcelain flooring tiles that resemble wood are durable for this high traffic area where kids congregate. The double thick marble-look Cambria Quartz Britannica countertop gives the island substance. A reclaimed wood appearance is designed into the island and bar stools. The open chandelier adds to the low maintenance, clean lines.

The ideal space by Showcase Kitchens

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There is always a way to achieve what may appear to be next to impossible, especially if you have Michael Rosenberg of Showcase Kitchens and Melissa Sacco of Melissa Sacco Interiors as your design team. The lady of the house had always wanted a bright, airy kitchen with clean lines and an island but no one she met with was able to give her and her family the design that addressed all her wants and needs. "Our kitchen layout was just wrong from day one," she says. After 15 years, she got her ideal kitchen. The team of Rosenberg and Sacco transformed a small, dark and dismal L-shaped space into a light and airy kitchen.

The homeowner was extremely knowledgeable and creative herself. The rustic wood incorporated into the island with the double thick countertop – the wife's idea – gave her the farmhouse reclaimed wood feeling she desired. Rosenberg reconfigured the room's spatial flow with openings to other parts of the house, allowing for walls of cabinets, floating shelves and appliances to be streamlined. The layout breathes light, openness and functionality into a space that is part of frequent gatherings in the family and dining areas.

"Finally our kitchen has a clean, modern look but with warmth, and Michael gave me my island!" 🏠



Floating shelves in reclaimed wood add the rustic touches the homeowner wanted. Iridescent micro tiles in the coffee bar add a bit of bling. The coffee pot is wired with plumbing for no-fill convenience and easy maintenance.



Old-world elements perfectly complement the white cabinets in vogue today and on the homeowner's wish list. A farmhouse sink with Kohler faucet seamlessly sits within the client's dream island. Floating shelves, a chimney-style range hood, Walker Zanger porcelain and stone waterjet tile backsplash and gold cabinet and drawer pulls give the kitchen added texture.



Functionality with style, a signature of Showcase Kitchens, was designed into this low maintenance kitchen. The homeowner knew what she wanted and was open to new ideas. Melissa Sacco introduced aesthetic eye-catching options. Clean white cabinets are punctuated with gold hardware and three different tiles. The light gray tile pattern behind the stove and iridescent mosaic tile behind the coffee bar add visual interest. The white subway tile and porcelain flooring are easy maintenance.

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