



Bathroom Design by Peter Salerno

Participation in this prestigious competition allows entrants to put their top design capabilities to the test. Winning entries demonstrate expertise and skill in design as well as a degree of professionalism that is a step above the rest. Success in the form of a winning entry in this competition means increased local industry visibility, peer recognition and valuable publicity opportunities. Judged by a panel of Certified Designers, the Georgia Chapter NKBA Student Design Competition acknowledges the talent of kitchen and bathroom designers to plan safe, functional and personalized spaces that incorporate imaginative design statements and aesthetically pleasing solutions. As an aspiring CKD/CBD you are to design a kitchen and/or bath based on the client requests and plans provided. This is the same project included in the National NKBA Student Design Competition.

Students may enter the kitchen, bathroom, or both categories. Students may also enter the same project/plans in the National competition (visit www.nkba.org for more information). Please remember to submit all required materials, including the entry form, for each project to avoid disqualification.

Who Can Enter

- ∞∞∞ Entrants must be Georgia Chapter NKBA Student Members and enrolled in a college or university on the date of postmark. Award recipients must also be current NKBA members.
- ∞∞∞ Except for experiences derived from an internship, entrants must neither have worked in a professional design capacity (including interior design, architecture, and related fields), nor have been paid for design services rendered.
- ∞∞∞ Projects entered must be completed individually by the student designer. No co-designers are permitted in this competition.

The **Requirements**

1. Each entry must be accompanied by a completed entry form that includes all required signatures and drawings.
2. Drawings must be clean, easy to understand, and professionally presented. Entries must be submitted unframed and unmounted, and on 11" x 17" paper. They may be hand-drawn or computer drafted black-lined originals, clean photocopies, or blue-prints. If original drawings are submitted please retain copies for your college records. Drawings submitted on paper other than 11" x 17" will be disqualified.
3. Entries may be hand-drawn or computer drafted.
4. Required drawings include a floor plan, construction plan, mechanical plan, and elevations (significant walls) following NKBA Graphics and Presentation Standards, (i.e. fully dimensioned). No color may be used on required drawings.
5. All design statements must be typed and should not exceed one page in length. They may be in narrative or bullet format. Design statement should focus on how the function of the design is enhanced by the creative solution.
6. A concept board is not required.
7. Personal identification **MUST NOT APPEAR** anywhere permanently on the drawings or material board but may be included on removable tags (i.e. post-it notes).
8. Optional drawings may include colored perspectives and "detail" drawing(s) of special construction design features on paper not larger than 11" x 17" to convey your concept.
9. **DO NOT** put entry materials in binders or portfolios.
10. **DEADLINE:** Entries must be postmarked by January 15, 2008.

* The NKBA is not responsible for those entries that do not arrive by the time of judging. Early arrival is always encouraged and appreciated.

Winning Entries

- ∞∞∞ One winner will be chosen in each category and notified by mail not later than April 1, 2008.
- ∞∞∞ Cash of \$500 will be awarded to each winning entry.
- ∞∞∞ In addition, each winner will receive a complimentary registration to the Georgia Chapter Design Competition Gala to be held on Friday, May 16, 2008. At this time the cash prizes will be presented.
- ∞∞∞ The winning designs will also be featured in the following Georgia Chapter publications: Website www.NKBAGa.org, and the 2nd Quarter Newsletter. News releases will also be submitted to local newspapers and the national trade magazines (KBB, Kitchen & Bath Design News, NKBA Profiles).

The **2007/2008** Project

This year the NKBA Student Design Competition is taking you to the "Lone-Star State!" The home this year is a Spanish-style ranch under construction. The challenge for the design in the bathroom requires natural finishes and a space plan that provides the clients separate spaces to minimize conflicting traffic patterns in the morning. The aesthetic decisions in the kitchen space need to be sensitive to the architectural style of the home and provide a dynamic backdrop for entertaining. According to the long list of ideas from the newlywed couple, this year's challenge is sure to bring home a winner!

The Judging

- ∞∞∞ Entries in the competition will be judged on visual appeal, creativity, the elements and principles of design, and the NKBA 31 Kitchen and 27 Bathroom Planning Guidelines and the NKBA Graphics and Presentation Standards.
- ∞∞∞ Individuals selected to judge the NKBA Design Competition are practicing professionals.
- ∞∞∞ The NKBA reserves the right to disqualify an entry before, during, or after the Competition judging. In the case of disqualification after an awards ceremony, the entrant will be required to return the award and the Association may make a public announcement.
- ∞∞∞ The judges reserve the right to determine the number of entries that will be recognized with an award. Judges may choose not to select Place or Honorable Mention award winners. Decisions of the judges are final.

The Entry Checklist

Review this checklist before sending your entry to the NKBA.

- Separate Entry Form with signatures for each submission, i.e., kitchen or bathroom
- Separate design statements detailing your creative solution for your kitchen and/or bath projects

The following are drawings that must follow the NKBA Graphic & Presentation Standards (1/2" scale).

- Floor Plan (fully dimensioned with specifications)
- Mechanical plan (fully dimensioned with legend)
- Construction Plan (fully dimensioned with legend)
- Elevations of significant walls (fully dimensioned)

Failure to submit the above requirements or failure to use 11" x 17" paper will result in disqualification.

Send all entries postmarked no later than January 15, 2008 to:

Georgia Chapter Student Design Competition
c/o Diane Coker
The Westye Group Southeast, Inc.
1700 Executive Drive South, Suite 400
Duluth, GA 30096

The **Clients**

Meet your new clients, Chris and Andrea Carver. Chris and Andrea are newlyweds, in their late twenties, looking to create a space to call their own. Located just outside the city, the Carvers have chosen a Spanish-style ranch home that allows for room to grow.

Construction is just beginning on the couple's first new home in San Antonio, Texas. Since their home is in the beginning phases of construction interior walls may be reconfigured for flexible planning for laundry area and pantry. Documentation of this should be given in a dimensioned plan.

Chris is a sports fanatic and imagines their home to reflect his love for football and soccer. Although Andrea shares Chris's love for sports, she is hoping for a kid-friendly environment to avoid renovation when the couple starts a family. She also thinks it is important to accentuate the Spanish influence on the inside of the home and create a balancing motif throughout. Chris, on the other hand, leans toward dark wood with bright splashes of color. His ultra-modern style differs from Andrea's calm and neutral color preferences.

Chris has a true passion for entertaining. He wants a space where he can entertain friends and family during Monday Night Football and other big sports games in close proximity to the kitchen. It is very important to him to have a custom-designed sports bar area in this area (perhaps the kitchen or if need be in the adjacent Great Room) with a wall mounted, flat-screen television. His desire for snack storage, beverage center, bar, and entertainment area are not exactly what Andrea had in mind. Andrea wants a place where they can relax and enjoy romantic dinners together. She loves clean lines and the appeal of brick accents. They enjoy cooking together and tend to cook nice dinners for themselves each night.

The couple prefers naturally made or recycled products for both kitchen and bathroom spaces. They would like their bathroom to have separate spaces for him and her to allow for ease in the morning rush of getting to work.

After watching many do-it-yourself home improvement shows, the couple has created a long list of ideas that they would love to bring into their new home. The couple's differing opinions are beginning to turn into arguments so they are turning to you, as their design, to help turn their house into the beautiful home that they have always imagined.



**Chris and Andrea
Carver**

 The **Bathroom** Project

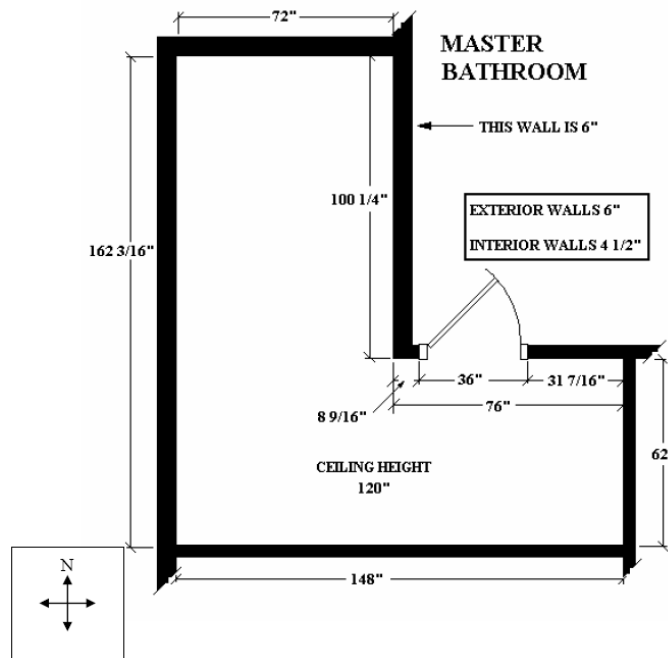
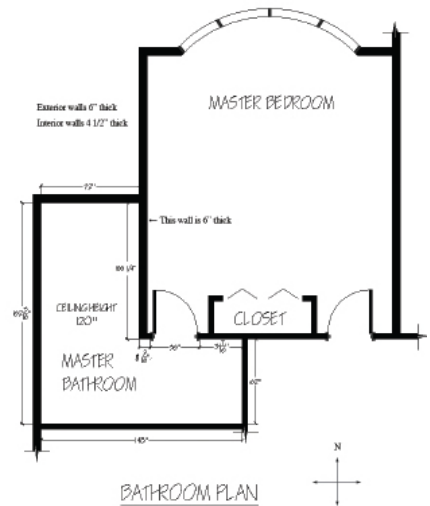
Chris and Andrea lead an active life so the morning rush can be hectic in the Carver home. It is very important that they each have their own spaces to get ready for the day. Not only should the Carver's bathroom accommodate their busy lives, it should also be a place where they can retreat after a long day at work.

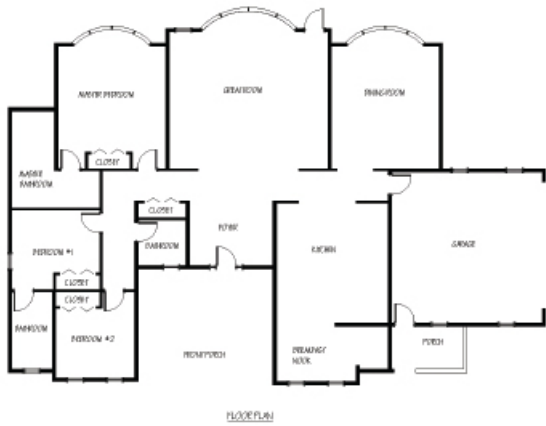
The couple loves the idea of using environmentally friendly products throughout their home. After watching so many home improvement shows, they have found a love for recycled coconut shell tiles which can bring in Andrea's love for a neutral and natural feel. Whether it is through paint, tile, or decorative accents, Chris still hopes to see a splash of color brought into the space.

The area that you will be working with is the Master Bathroom. Included in the space will be a jetted bathtub and separate shower along with a private area for the toilet and bidet. The couple's Master Bathroom should be a place where they can relax, rejuvenate, and recharge each day.

The Challenge: With the Carver's long list of ideas, create the perfect solution to accommodate Chris and Andrea's wants and needs. Use your imagination to bring in natural products and let the beauty be unveiled. Designed using the 27 NKBA Bathroom Planning Guidelines, these drawings should be cleanly presented on 11" x 17" paper and follow the included instructions. Entries must be drawn in 1/2" scale and follow the NKBA Graphic and Presentation Standards.

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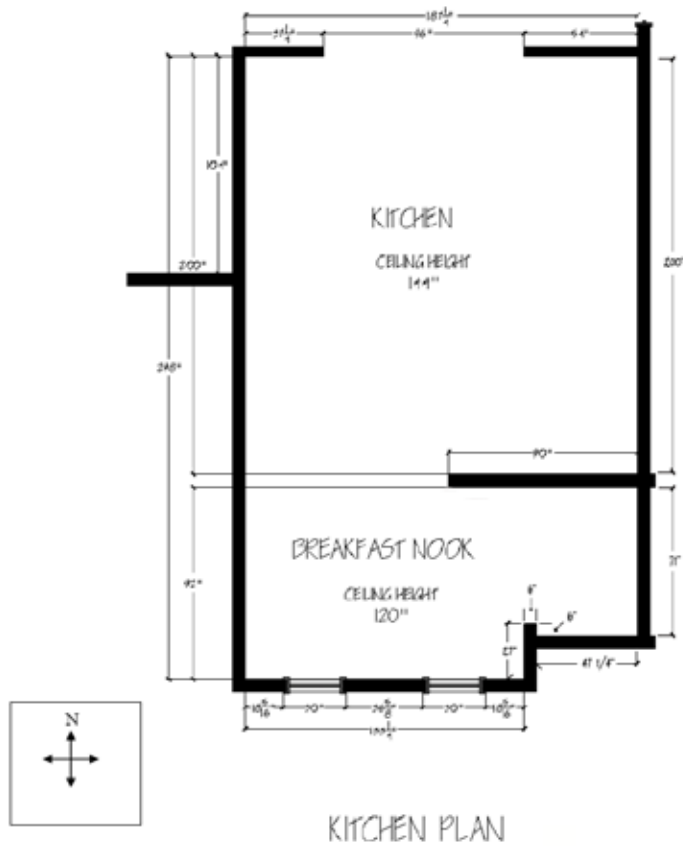


 The **Kitchen** Project

The Carvers have a true passion for cooking and spending time in the kitchen. With the concept of the kitchen serving as a social area, they want to be sure to create a space where they can entertain friends and family. With Chris's love for sports, he is requesting a custom-designed sports bar with a wall-mounted flat-screen television. He would love to have an area to display his sports memorabilia. He finds it necessary to have specific spaces for snack storage, a beverage center, and bar area. Chris finds dark wood and stainless steel appliances to be the most visually appealing.

Andrea, however, has a different vision for their kitchen. Since the Carvers are newlyweds, she hopes for a room where they can share romantic dinners. It is very important to have a "kid-friendly" environment to avoid any major renovations when Chris and Andrea start a family. She loves fresh, clean colors, light cabinetry, and unique lighting treatments. They both want a solid surface counter top and a creative flooring technique that will visually grab the attention of their guests.

The windows are 42" AFF and 48" tall. Since the home is in the first stages of construction, the doors and windows and interior walls in the kitchen may be altered but must be clearly represented in a dimensioned construction plan.



With the morning rush, it is important for Chris and Andrea to start their day with a cup of coffee. To accommodate, their kitchen should include an in-wall coffee system and instant hot water faucet. They would also like to see a precision controlled gas cook top with a pot filler close by. Andrea is hoping for a walk-in pantry and extra storage areas. There should also be a Laundry Area planned for a washer, dryer and recycling center. Chris is requesting an ice machine or an ice storage area in the bar. Double-wall ovens are important to simplify large gatherings and ensure that all items can be cooked and reach the table at the same time.

The Challenge: Remembering all of Chris and Andrea's hopes for their space create a beautiful kitchen that allows room for their family to grow yet reflects Chris's love for sports. Bring your creativity to the table to showcase a distinct solution that brings Chris and Andrea's styles together in perfect harmony. Designed using the 31 NKBA Kitchen

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* Visit www.nkba.org to view detailed floor plans and more.



2007/2008 STUDENT DESIGN COMPETITION

Category: Kitchen Bath (One form per category entry)

Student Designer _____ NKBA Member # _____

Home/Permanent Address _____

City State/Province Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Additional Phone _____

College/University _____

Student E-mail _____

Instructor/Faculty Advisor _____

Year in School _____

I hereby attest that I am the Student Designer for the project, I have read and fully understand the entry requirement for this competition, and I have not working in a professional design capacity as outlined in the competition guidelines. I understand that the Georgia Chapter of the Kitchen & Bath Association will retain non-exclusive rights to all submitted entry materials for future promotional, public relations, marketing, and education purposes. I acknowledge that any false or misleading information in this entry, or non-adherence to competition requirements, will result in my disqualification. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless, the Georgia Chapter of the Kitchen & Bath Association and their respective parties, for any losses or damages arising for my participation in this design Competition of any Competition related activity.

Signature, Designer of Record

Date

Signature, Instructor/Faculty Advisor

Date

Entries must be postmarked by January 15, 2008. Mail completed entries to:

Georgia Chapter Student Design Competition
c/o Diane Coker
The Westye Group Southeast, Inc.
1700 Executive Drive South, Suite 400
Duluth, GA 30096

Entries from graduating students will be accepted if the postmark is prior to graduation and received before the deadline. The Georgia Chapter of the National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA) is not responsible for illegible, lost, late, damaged, incomplete, stolen, postage-due, or misdirected mail or entries.