



DRURY DESIGN KITCHEN & BATH STUDIO

design guide

Your source for home design trends, news and inspiration

Gail Drury, CMKBD
President and Studio Director



Now is the Time

The current downturn in economic conditions has presented new challenges for all of us. Yet, it has created some terrific opportunities as well. If you have been putting off remodeling your kitchen or bath, now is the time to take advantage of the best remodeling values in our history.

In concert with our suppliers and tradesmen, we are currently offering unprecedented incentives on custom cabinetry and installation to make your house the home you have always wanted. And, with the professional design help of our award-winning designers, we can show you how to maximize your budget without sacrificing beauty or function.

Kitchens and bathrooms will always be the most important rooms of the house. Why not make the most of them now and get the best possible return on your investment? We can show you how.



LAKESIDE RETREAT

“In two years of constructing our home and working with several contractors, Drury Design was the only company we didn’t have a problem with. They have great products and they really delivered on what they said they would throughout the design process. We highly recommend them.” - Homeowners

When a west suburban Chicago family wanted to build a family resort on a lake in Wisconsin, they asked their architect for a kitchen designer recommendation. Their architect recommended Drury Design. Gail Drury and Tina Muller teamed up to plan and design the elements in the project that encompassed the kitchen, the master bath, children’s bath, mudroom and pool room. The kitchen is the anchor in this nautically-inspired home.



Award-Winning Kitchen and Bath Designers



Thirteen Drury Design projects received 2008 NKBA [National Kitchen and Bath Association] Design Vision recognitions. NKBA's Chicago Midwest chapter sponsors the Design Vision contest in partnership with *Trends* magazine. Judged by NKBA Chicago Midwest chapter members, the contest recognizes outstanding kitchen and bath design. Competition is open to designers throughout the Midwest.



FIRST PLACE, LARGE KITCHEN



THIRD PLACE, SMALL KITCHEN

Congratulations go out to four Drury Designers for their Design Vision awards.

Gail Drury, CMKBD won two awards:
second place/large bath and second place/small bath.

Tina Muller won three awards:
second and third place in the large kitchen category and third place in the small kitchen category.

Gladys Schanstra, CKD, CBD won six awards:
first place/large kitchen, third place/large bath and four honorable mentions: other rooms, large bath, small bath, and medium kitchen.

Janice Teague, CKD, CBD won two awards:
both honorable mentions in the large kitchen category.

“We’re accepting these awards on behalf of our clients. Without their trust, vision and imagination, these projects would never be realized.”

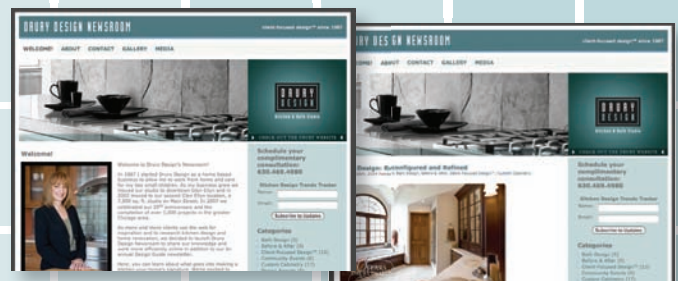
- Gail Drury, CMKBD, President

Gail Drury’s English pub display won second place in the showroom category in NKBA’s 2008 Design Competition.



Drury Design Publishes Online Newsroom Updates

Stay up to date with the latest in kitchen trends and community events. Check out www.drurydesignsnewsroom.com for before and after success stories and extensive client kitchen and bath image galleries. Get email updates every two weeks – email drurydesigns@aweber.com to get on our kitchen design list.





A Decade of Top Dealer Awards

by Kathy Lee Svendon, Grabill Cabinetry Sales

For the tenth year in a row, Drury Design received The Grabill Company's top Dealer Sales Award. Drury continues to help us better meet customer needs. They've developed quite a following in their area and they've built up loyalty within our company. We did a tally of our numbers from 1994. Drury Design had a total of 1,115 orders with 13,775 units designed and built by Grabill Cabinet Company. A job or order can vary from a few cabinets to cabinetry for a complete home. They help us develop new styles and products that match what the market is looking for. Drury's team is extremely well-organized and highly detail-oriented.

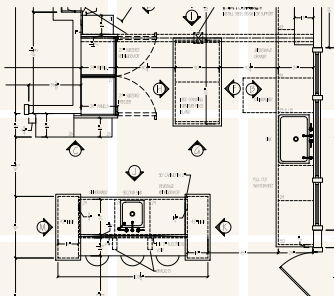
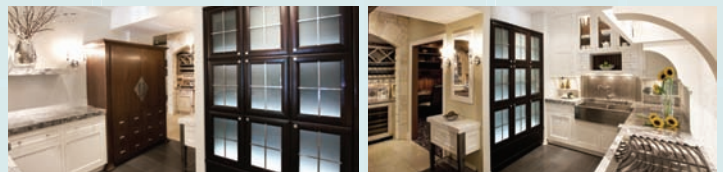
Drury's designers assisted in the inspiration of our 2009 collections, taking our fine furniture to more advanced levels. This year we will be introducing two new finish collections feature a new door collection at the Kitchen and Bath Show in Atlanta will have a new door collection featured. Each year our client's expectations provide us with opportunities to develop new styles, finishes and cabinet configurations. The attention to detail is elevated with the advancement of technology and the innovative imagination of the Drury Design staff as it aligns with the evolving lifestyle of our clients.



NEW STYLES IN THE STUDIO: *At home in the Hamptons*

Named after the style that originated in the Hamptons on Long Island, the newest style in the studio updates the cottage look with eclectic touches. A pewter hood with a rain gutter finish makes a dramatic focal point. White cabinets mix with walnut and cherry to warm and cool the room. Hammered pewter inlays with polished pewter borders line the countertop on either side of the cooktop to match the sink, which is hammered pewter on the face and satin pewter on the inside of the bowls. An S curve rail in the center of the sink adds a contemporary twist.

The use of walnut with a darker stain on the refrigerator/pantry armoire cabinet is echoed in the beaded back panels in the glass door cabinets over the sink. A refrigerator armoire with flared feet and large cove molding at the top blends well with the Hamptons look, while adding an Asian flair. The tall pantry with multiple frosted glass doors in a dark cherry finish has lighted shelves to illuminate what's inside while adding a nice soft glow to the cabinet.



Discover the Drury Design Difference:

CLIENT-FOCUSED DESIGN™

Thinking about a remodeling project and not sure where to start? Give us a call at 630.469.4980 to set up a no-cost / no-obligation consultation with one of our experienced and accomplished designers. We will look at your existing space, listen to your ideas

and goals, answer your questions and inform you with honest information... while offering inspiring design ideas and options. Balancing function, beauty, practicality, style and investment, efficiently is our work. Let us show you how.

KITCHEN AND BATH DESIGN WORKSHOPS

Have a kitchen or bath design project in mind? Check out our current 2009 workshop schedule at <http://tinyurl.com/bofo3n>.

Beginning with an open discussion, each workshop features a "how to" topic, a showcase of materials and a question and answer session. Doors open at 8:30 am for a light breakfast and the workshop commences at 9 am. Because space is limited, reservations are requested and can be made by calling 630.469.4980.

DRURY DESIGN IN PRINT AND ONLINE



In print, *Distinctive Kitchen Solutions* featured two client projects and the *Chicago Tribune* interviewed Gail Drury, CMKBD, about mudrooms in a story that is now nationally syndicated.

Online at Kitchens.com, watch Drury designers in how-to videos and look for our client's kitchen transformation before and after stories. Search HGTV.com's Designer's Portfolio for "Drury" to browse a variety of stylish kitchen design projects.

Read our latest news releases at <http://www.drurydesignsnewsroom.com>.

NEW AD CAMPAIGN

Our new ad campaign features three client kitchens from Naperville, Wheaton and Glen Ellyn.



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Check www.drurydesigns.com for every issue dating back to Spring 2005.

COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

APRIL 22, DINNERS BY DESIGN COOKING CLASS AT 6:00 PM

Join us for a complimentary cooking class conducted by Chef Pete Trusiak. Menus highlight the features of Wolf cooktops, ranges and ovens. Dinner is on us at the Westy Group's Wolf and Sub-Zero showroom located in Glendale Heights. Call Drury Design at 630.469.4980 to make your reservation.



MAY 8, HINSDALE COOKS! KITCHEN WALK 10AM - 4PM

Tour six stylish Hinsdale kitchens, including a kitchen renovation project by Drury Design. One of Chicagoland's premiere home and kitchen tours, proceeds benefit the preservation of Immanuel Hall, Hinsdale's first historic landmark. Tickets are \$35 before and \$40 the day of at Immanuel Hall at 302 S. Grant Street in Hinsdale. For more information, visit <http://hinsdalehistory.org>.



JULY 11, JAZZFEST GLEN ELLYN

Taking the music to Main Street, JazzFest Glen Ellyn livens up downtown with mainstage performances. A founding JazzFest member, Jim Drury is on the JazzFest event planning team. Produced by the Glen Ellyn Chamber of Commerce, WDCB Public Radio, The McAninch Art Center and Karnes Prickett Design, JazzFest is free and open to the public. For more information, visit www.jazzfestglenellyn.org.



OCTOBER 2, GLEN ELLYN KITCHEN WALK

Presented by Baird & Warner of Glen Ellyn, Sponsored by Drury Design Kitchen & Bath Studio

Mark your calendars for another amazing event! Discover the latest in Glen Ellyn kitchens. Then, stop by the studio for our traditional After Walk Gourmet Reception. Visit www.kitchenwalk.org for more information. In 2008, this event raised \$14,000 for Bridge Communities.



VISIT OUR STUDIO Monday-Friday 9am-5pm and Saturday 10am-5pm.
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