

Project Showcase

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Summer Kitchen (circa early 1800's) Renovation



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Summer Kitchen (this page)

Once a functional summer kitchen this outbuilding fell into disrepair and neglect. Recognizing its potential, the new homeowners opted for a complete renovation which included: ripping up the linoleum floor and restoring the original hardwood; removing plaster from the stone fireplace and repointing it; windows; and a new cedar-shingle roof.



Interior Makeover (right page)

Much needed space was made possible without expanding this home's footprint. Creativity in eliminating interior walls and moving a staircase opened up the space necessary to meet the homeowners' wishes.

To make room for expanding the kitchen and improve traffic flow, the wall (and the staircase behind it) separating the kitchen and dining room was removed (compare the BEFORE & after photos showing the chandelier). The new, spacious bathroom was made possible by expanding into a make-shift walk-in closet while a new, enlarged closet was created out of the area that once housed a misplaced staircase.



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Space Creating Interior Makeover



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