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The Riverhead had been the focal point for the community for over a century but with 15 years of neglect it was sliding into decay. The paint was falling off its rotten weatherboards, alterations had been made on top of previous alterations, the roof was rusted and leaking, the carpark was a dust bowl, the dock had finally been removed after sinking into the muddy banks of the river and the sewage system stank.

The Riverhead was originally built in 1876 for Thomas and Eliza Deacon on the upper reaches of the Waitemata Harbour where the sea meets the Rangitopuni Stream. Its wharf was the interface for the pioneer who would travel by steamer to Riverhead, stay the night, get refreshed, eat, sleep and carry on the next morning by coach to Helensville to meet the steamer to travel onto Northland via the Kaipara Harbour, following the same route Maori used for centuries.

With a wealth of history, great care was taken in the refurbishment to retain the special character so unique to The Riverhead. In doing so they looked for what was special in and around the building and its history and used that for their branding, bar names, colour schemes and theming.

For the first few months it was a demolition site. Everything had to be reinstated or replaced.

The original smoke stained ceiling timbers were found complete with the builder's marks. The Auckland Council regulations required they be replaced with plasterboard. The plasterboard alone would have looked extremely modern but with some innovative thinking, the timbers were removed one by one and reinstated over the newly lined ceilings. The same boards were used for emphasis around the front of The Landing Restaurant Bar.

The juxtaposition between old and new is compelling. It is visually fresh, but with the character of the old. The colours are inviting and cosy in winter, but fresh and relaxing in summer. The fireplace is a focal point in winter and the outside decks overlooking the upper reaches of the Waitemata are a huge draw card.

The exterior weatherboards are finished in Resene Double White Pointer (beige neutral) with entrance doors in Resene Livewire (deep ruby red), Resene Chicago (masculine grey), complemented by grey back walls in Resene Trojan (staunch grey), and Resene Alabaster (blackened white).

Inside the palette is warm and inviting with Resene Mondo (complex grey green) on the Portage Bar walls, Resene Quarter Mondo (leathery neutral) on the ceiling and entrance, a feature wall of Resene Fire (brick orange) and windowsills and top scotia in Resene Half Caraway (cream off-white). Toilet areas feature Resene Rhino (smoky grey blue), Resene Half Caraway and an entrance area in Resene Mai Tai (red gold amber). The kitchen and office each host a Resene Fire feature wall complemented



by **Resene Alabaster** in the kitchen and the warmer **Resene Half Spanish White** (complex neutral) in the office.

The colour palette becomes more sumptuous in The Landing restaurant with Resene Aubergine (deep wine red) in the Back Bar, Resene Magma (red gold metallic) on the ornate anaglypta wallpaper featured behind the antique wall unit, Resene Jandal (yellow brown) in the library, Resene Fire as a feature behind the stone fireplace, Resene Highball (mid olive yellow) leading to the outside decks with the pillars and a low ceiling finished in Resene Rum (purple grey).

Today patrons arrive by land or sea, with ferries being hosted at the dock while passengers are treated to a gastro pub food menu. Every aspect of The Riverhead has needed attention and the work is still on-going with plans to finish the carpark development to complete the transformation.

Owners: Paula and Stephen Pepperell www.riverhead.co.nz Building Contractor: Gary Pepperell, Garry Dunn, Stephen Pepperell Painting Contractor: NG Painters Resene: Henderson ColorShop







As experts in selling lingerie and swimwear, Avokado knew it was critical to provide a warm, welcoming and intimate environment that their customers would feel comfortable shopping in.

Focused on infusing that atmosphere into the 135 square metre fitout, the soft neutral tones of Resene Bianca (cream off-white) and Resene Half Drought (dusty taupe) were employed on the walls of the main retail area. These colours complement the retail display finishes and create warmth in the area, while being soft enough to allow the product to take centre stage within the space.

Having a high ceiling, **Resene Quarter Mondo** (leathery neutral) was applied to the existing concrete ceiling to lower the visual impression of the ceiling height, creating a more intimate retail environment, and to recede this element of the ceiling into the background; drawing the attention of the eye to the lighter and brighter central suspended ceilings. These ceilings utilise wallpaper and custom made pendant lighting to add aesthetic appeal with a touch of femininity to the space.

The use of the **Resene Mondo** colour family is continued on the flooring, where contrasting **Resene Half Mondo** (lizard brown) and **Resene Half Drought** stripes are painted using **Resene Uracryl** onto the existing concrete floor. The striped

flooring corresponds with the ceiling features above and is a focal point of the design; leading the customer into the store, drawing them down towards the change rooms.

The upholstered bulkhead was designed as a unique feature to divide the length of the store into more intimate retailing zones, as well as delineate the location of the sales counter.

Providing a great change room experience was essential, as a large component of the sales process is conducted within this space. Soft atmospheric lighting alongside a selection of rich colours, wallpapers, fabrics and furnishings creates a diverse and intimate change room experience in an environment where harsh finishes and bright lights would not be forgiving on exposed bodies.

Here, no change room is identical, with each wallpaper and paint colour chosen to complement the corporate colour and for their rich saturation of colour. With hues like Resene Bismark (greyed blue), Resene Hillary (green toned beige), Resene Inside Back (greyed green), Resene Mulberry (silky blue red), Resene Passion (deep grape), Resene Rose Bud Cherry (red violet) and Resene Toledo (sulphur red) the palette is warm and comfortably dusty and soothing.

### nature's gift

Established in 2004 and with over two decades of floral experience, the Flower Room is known about town as the place to get the right flower for every occasion. Located in Victoria Ave in Wanganui, a recent repaint provided the ideal opportunity to dress the shop in head to toe with colours that complement branding from their business cards and signage.

Outside Resene Lumbersider low sheen waterborne paint tinted to Resene Lipstick (fuchsia pink) and Resene Spring Green (mid toned green) makes quite a statement. The stripes continue inside onto the wall behind the counter, complemented by fresh greens of Resene Oxley (mid toned green) on walls, Resene Green Pea (chlorophyll green) on ceilings and flower boxes and trim in Resene Lustacryl semi-gloss waterborne enamel tinted to Resene Spring Green. As you'd expect the finishes selected were Environmental Choice approved ensuring the shop still smells of lovely floral scents and not unwanted solventborne paint odours.

Walk into the shop and you feel like you've stepped into the pages of a nature book with the green providing a fitting backdrop to the bevy of beautifully coloured buds to choose from.

Owner: Tracey Lethbridge Painting Contractor: Edmonds Painting Resene: Rebecca Potts, Wanganui ColorShop Manager; Neville Rowan, Trade Sales Representative











Hailed the finest survivor of its line by the Rail Heritage Trust, the Blenheim Railway Station is a wooden ornate railway station building designed by George Troup, the architect of many other railway buildings around the country. It was built in the early 1900s as part of a series of vintage stations built from 1900-1908 and was sited right next to the road until in the year 2000 the main truck rail line moved to its present position and the station was relocated to its present site.

As the years have passed the building condition had continued to fall and with the risk of earthquakes becoming a more pressing concern with the Canterbury earthquakes, the station has undergone extensive strengthening and a full repaint inside and out. The interior is now repainted in Environmental Choice approved Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen and Resene Lustacryl semi-gloss waterborne enamel.

Outside the colour palette reflects age appropriate colours, in keeping with the building's Historic Places Trust protection. Walls are finished in Resene Sonyx 101 semi-gloss waterborne tinted to Resene Double Delta (grey oxide), trim in Resene Concrete (frosted grey) with striking red Resene Nelson Red (colonial red) on doors. Resene Uracryl 402 is used on the steelwork for a durable protective finish and Resene Lustacryl semi-gloss waterborne enamel on woodwork. The semi-gloss finish of Resene Sonyx 101 and Resene Lustacryl are more sympathetic to the age of the building and substrate than higher gloss finishes would be, but are easier to keep clean than lower sheen finishes, making them an excellent choice for older buildings.

Now restored back to her former glory and tougher than ever, this station waits for a new business to jump on board and fill its walls.



Stuck trying to get the right look for a floor, an unusual system of Resene Concrete Stain to colour the Villaboard flooring followed by Resene **Qristal Polyurethane** was applied. Not the most conventional coating solution but an out of the box idea that achieves the desired effect and finish.

> Architectural Specifier: Aonui Architecture Resene: Craig Ell, Architectural Services Representative





### high reach

Once the Blenheim Post Office, but now known as Rangitane House, this towering building in central Blenheim was deceptively tricky to repaint, which perhaps explains why its last paint job was nearly two decades ago. Not only was scaffolding needed outside the building, but it was continued through the interior to the ground floor to minimise the impact of the scaffolding weight on the lower roof. A mammoth 31 tonnes of scaffolding, or over 6000 metres worth, surrounded the project at the height of the project.

Over 1000 litres of paint were applied onto the project by painters working around the clock over a period of months. The roof was finished in copious litres of Resene Summit Roof Metallic

tinted to Resene Cathedral (brown grey) using airless spray. All the louvre shutters were painted with Resene Enamacryl Metallic tinted to Resene Blast Grey 2 (charcoal metallic) and Resene Silver Aluminium (silver metallic) topcoated with Resene Uracryl GraffitiShield for maximum protection. The exterior was completed with steelwork brush finished in Resene Uracryl 403 tinted to Resene Dune (dark green) and steel frame windows finished in Resene Super Gloss Black.

Now with the scaffolding dismantled and onto its next job, the metallic hues add a new modern dimension to the building.









The first 5 Green Star designed and built school, Hingaia Peninsula School in Karaka, Auckland, was destined to be the centre of much attention, as much for its sustainability focus as for its innovative new layout.

The new school caters to students from year 0-8. Rather than the traditional classroom layout with one teacher per classroom, Hingaia Peninsula School is comprised of two large learning studios each with a trio of teachers. Each studio is designed as a multi-purpose space with nooks to nurture and encourage different learning styles.

Inside the walls are finished in Resene Broadwall Surface Prep & Seal for a Level 5 finish finished in Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen, a tough and washable finish ideal

for wear and tear areas. Other plasterboard wall areas are finished in Resene Zylone Sheen VOC Free, a low sheen waterborne paint finish without unwanted volatile organic compounds. To encourage the children to get creative, an expanse of the wall area is also finished in Resene Writeon Wall Paint so the children can write all over the wall without worrying about leaving unwanted marks. One of the studio areas is finished with Resene Digital Green, creating a purpose built video nook ready for budding directors and actors.

The palette is a mix of bold meets neutral, with the Digital Green wall, doors in Resene Avalanche (deep blue) and two custom made blues with neutral walls in Resene Half Truffle (beige). Resene Write-on Wall Paint is applied over Resene White.

Outside the weatherboards and scribers are finished in **Resene Sonyx 101** waterborne semi-gloss complemented by timber fascia and bargeboards in **Resene Lumbersider** waterborne low sheen in a soft palette of **Resene Quarter Truffle** (taupe) and **Resene Alabaster** (blackened white). Resene Uracryl 403 provides anti-graffiti protection.

Working towards the 5 Green Star standards, not only is the building designed for sustainability with appropriate materials and furniture selection, but the design also helps the school function sustainably day in and day out with recycling options and responsible resource use.

Architectural Specifier: Brewer Davidsor Architecture & Urban Design, www.brewerdavidson.co.m Building Contractor: NZ Strong Construction Ltc Resene: Joanne Duggan, Specifier Services Manager Justin Grannall, Architectural Services Representative Karmen Dumper, Architectural Services Representative





### ranch holiday

When you have an original 1960s worker's accommodation building of just 75 square metres as a holiday home in Martinborough, it's not surprising that you end up needing more space to house those on holiday.

The original building was moved onto the site in the late 90s to serve as a weekend get-away. But with the passage of time the clients had become stretched for space so the brief called for an open plan living space, extra sleeping alcove and exterior covered living space all with a 60s atomic ranch aesthetic. The new addition ended up almost doubling the house size to 145 square metres.

The house addition on honed concrete slab, creates a split level living space with breeze block screen separating the new from the raised timber dining area. Many of the features of the original were retained including polished timber floors, a solid rimu kitchen joinery unit and pass-through, and the timber feature windows.

The links between house and outdoor living/garden spaces operate at both floor levels. A mix of new and old materials as well as furnishings from several eras enhances the eclecticism of the outcome. The house now works well for gatherings of the extended family as well as for short and medium term stays.

Colour was an important part of completing the transformation of the small residential unit to a relaxed holiday home. Working with a palette of

natural materials, including concrete floor, concrete block walls, various mid and dark toned timbers, vibrant colours invoke holiday fun and create a strong visual lead into the outside living spaces and garden. Feature timber weatherboards are finished in Resene Crisp Green (mid yellow green) and Resene Rendezvous (garnet red) with timber window joinery in Resene Gull Grey (pastel grey). Inside the palette moves to Resene Silver Chalice (pewter grey) and Resene White accented by Resene Funk (green yellow).

In all, it's a relaxing blend of old and new, just ideal as a break away from normal life.

Architectural Specifier: Peter Beaumont, BKB Team Architects Ltd, www.bkb-ta.co.nz





A combination of donated paint from Resene and Vectorworks Designer software, enabled interior designer Frances Fraser to realise her vision for her makeover of Wellington's Ronald McDonald House for a colour-infused sanctuary that embraces families of children in need of medical care. Her inspiration for Ronald McDonald House was an image of sunlight filtering through a canopy of

Her inspiration for Ronald McDonald House was an image of sunlight filtering through a canopy of leaves. Using the **Resene Colour Palette Generator** tool on the Resene website, Frances imported photos she had taken of sunlit leaves and flowers – cabbage trees, pohutukawa, flax flowers, puka puka, leucadendron, kowhai and grasses – and extracted their key colours. These she edited until she had a palette that offered enough depth to cover the variety of spaces but still worked as a family of hues and tones.

Close to Wellington Hospital, Ronald McDonald House provides free accommodation and support to out-of-town families who have a child requiring medical treatment. The underpinning ethic is that children cope better and recover better if their families are nearby. With so much to think about, the last thing families need is to be worrying about where they might stay. And colour is important to families when they are seeking a retreat from the hospital - it can

be uplifting and restorative, both visually and emotionally.

The four-storey Ronald McDonald House covers 3500 square metres of floor space and includes several lounges, a communal kitchen and dining room, a computer room, gym, theatre, art room, offices and a meeting room as well as two levels of accommodation.

The design considers all the dimensions of the interior spaces, drawing on colour, light, graphics, form and layering to provide a hopeful, contemplative, comforting and all-enveloping ambiance. Vectorworks software helped her deliver on this colour challenge and was used for all concept plans, detailing, designing joinery, furniture planning, modelling 3D visuals and perspective drawings incorporating colour.

Resene's full range of colours is embedded in Vectorworks software, Frances's preferred CAD software since she studied for her Graduate Diploma in Design (Spatial). The splitting of the Resene paint colours into ranges made colour selection easy and more accurate combined with importing images of carpets, wallpapers and fabrics into the Vectorworks software to create textures for the designs. With planning for the refit completed, Frances can reflect on a very rewarding and exciting project.

Interior Designer: Francis Fraser, Honour Creative www.honourcreative.com
Vectorworks: www.megabits.co.nz







The White Hart Hotel site in New Plymouth was once home to Bleak House and used as a hospital before being bought in 1867 and converted to a hotel. The new White Hart Hotel was then built on the site in 1886 using an estimated 30,000 metres of timber. As part of the re-development of the iconic 1886 White Hart Hotel and its Heritage Category 1 street facade, a full paint scheme was developed.

The full timber body of the old hotel is painted in an off-white with a green oxide undertone hue, **Resene Merino**, which suggests a patina despite the cleanliness of the white. The white is underlined by an armament grey, serious and earnest, **Resene Stack**, applied on horizontal lines linking all the crafted timber windows and their keystones together.

Touches of unique blue, moody and mysterious Resene Bali Hai are used in the rosettes and squares, large columns and doors at street level, and come to soften this otherwise strict feel. The paint materials palette is all gloss with **Resene Hi-Glo** waterborne gloss on weatherboards complemented by **Resene Enamacryl** gloss waterborne enamel on trims, joinery and accents. The gloss finish makes the new colour palette and paintwork seem even fresher; a stark contrast to the dirty yellow tones it had been dressed in for decades.

While the Street façade has been fully protected, repaired and refreshed, the inward façade onto the Courtyard is now a contemporary interpretation of the Old Hotel. An original fire egress timber balcony on the upper floor was re-interpreted as a large circulation in raw timber, dressing the new opal white facade with clean slats. The contemporary mill finish aluminium corrugate, the opal polycarbonate and the row sustainable timber screens, complement effortlessly the Heritage façade colour scheme.

# BrushStrokes Resene SpaceCote Flat Kitchen & Bathroom interior flat out

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### dancing in gaps

Not one to sit still, the **GapFiller project** has been bringing colour and life back into dull and dreary spaces opened up by the Christchurch earthquakes. From painted pianos and artworks, to their innovative **Dance-o-Mat**, they have turned their brushes, Resene paint and energy to a whole host of projects. The Dance-o-Mat, open over the warmer months for a whole host of dance events, was certainly one of their most memorable activities providing a superb dance floor for people to dance the night away in the open air.

Complete with coin operated lighting and sound courtesy of a converted washing machine, dancers could bring along their MP3 player/ipod/phone loaded with their own music and start busting their moves.



# fresh fashion for your walls



Just as clothing collections are launched to give consumers fresh ideas, so too are fashion paint collections. Building on the success of the last **Karen Walker collection**, the partnership between the Karen Walker fashion house and Resene continues with the new Karen Walker collection being launched.

The new collection includes the never been seen before seventh palette, which has been waiting in the wings for its grand entry. The collection includes seven colour stories that, true to the Karen Walker style, play with combining opposites and putting together ideas in surprising ways.

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The Karen Walker Paints collection is available from Resene ColorShops, Representatives and selected Resellers, or you can order your free Resene Karen Walker Paints colour chart online from the Resene website, www.resene.com/specifierorder.

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# dress your walls in style

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### colour charts

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### virtual colour

For those who prefer to create their own electronic renders using architectural software, Resene colours are available in AutoCAD/Revit colour files, ArchiCAD files, SketchUp files, Vectorworks software files, Spirit files, preloaded into selected architectural software files, or you can download jpeg image files or RGB values from the Resene website.

Explore a world of colour online with the **Resene online colour library**, www.resene.com/colour and **wallpaper library**, www.resene.com/wallpaper. Search for your favourites using



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### mobile colour









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### drawdowns

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## colour helper

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### colour palette generator

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### colour match pencils

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