**Creative Use of Materials**

**CHARLES HILTON & FOREHAND + LAKE DESIGN**

hiltonarchitects.com; forehandlake.com

“The work area of the kitchen is trimmed in rift sawn oak trim with high-gloss lacquer cabinetry with polished nickel hardware,” says Principal Charles Hilton of Charles Hilton Architects. An adjacent lakeside breakfast room with tall wall paneling has arch-top French doors.

**Bold Focal Point**

**RED CANOE**

redcanoepartners.com

With clean lines and a modern aesthetic, the custom-built kitchen in this Greenwich, CT, home features a Wolf range, with complimentary white oak ceiling and floors. The space also includes a large island and a butler prep area, complete with wine fridge and white oak china cabinet.

**Clean Lines**

**ROBERT A. CARDELLO ARCHITECTS**

cardelloarchitects.com

There are plenty of standout features of this Darien, CT, kitchen designed by Veronica Campbell at Deane, Inc., including the waterfall-edge quartz countertops and cool pendant lights—not to mention the amazing views of the water outside.

**Paint & Light Creating Texture**

**SHORELINE PAINTING**

shorelinepaintingct.com

For this home in Greenwich—which was designed by Lynn Morgan Design—the team at Shoreline Painting was able to do something particularly cool in the dining room: The color of the room was based on a certain fabric, and they were able to create a custom-made paint color to match.
The homeowners wanted “color with a playful vibe”—and that’s exactly what Lulu Home created in this teen’s game room in New Canaan, CT, which features bold yellows, oranges, blues and pinks, as well as a custom-made ping pong table and—coolest of all—the teen’s name turned into a table.

Inspiring Use of Glass
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This view to the beach is framed understatedly by the foyer’s sleek, glass-paneled staircase, key chandeliers and subdued palette that echoes the hues of water, sand and sky beyond. The frame on the wall features 169 mini versions of art created by the homeowners’ children.