

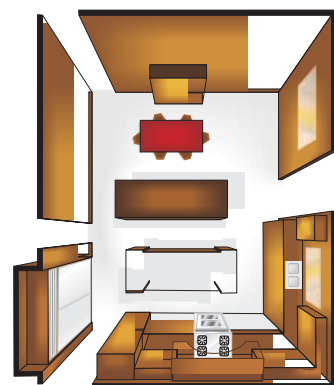


Seamless Style

IN THIS BEXLEY, OHIO, home, built by Trinity Homes, the kitchen was completely gutted down to the studs. The most difficult challenge was working with the original portion of the home and allowing it to complement the brand-new addition. Chimneys needed to be disguised and load-bearing headers required concealment so the design of the ceiling wouldn't interfere with the layout of the island and the kitchen as a whole.

No shortcut was to be taken at any point in the design/build process. To that end, Jim Deen of Kitchen Kraft worked with the builder's architect, Rogers Krajnak Inc., to devise a solution to address the structural issues, while ensuring no detractor from the overall design and aesthetics. The team didn't want the design to appear to be pieced together, so to avoid a disjointed look, the wall and base cabinets were constructed as one piece to eliminate seams.

The configuration of the ceiling was aligned with the island, which in turn lined up with the pass-through overlooking the family room. The reinvigorated kitchen is now a gathering space for the young family of three, ideal to grow into in the coming years. «



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SPECIAL FEATURES
Cabinets made of inset construction, as one piece where possible for a seamless design; oversized island

DIMENSIONS
30 x 24

PRODUCTS USED
Cabinetry: Holiday Kitchens, inset
Flooring: Crossville Palais series
Countertops: Granite, Mocha Vyara
Sink(s): Elkay
Faucet: Grohe
Dishwasher: Asko
Cooktop: DCS
Oven: Thermador
Lighting: Kichler
Refrigerator: Sub-Zero; U-Line
Wallcovering: Tumbled limestone backsplash
Microwave: Thermador
Cabinet hardware: Ashley Norton
Potfiller: Newport Brass



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