



**Wood Wise Design & Remodeling**  
 22 years - over 400 projects  
 919.783.9330

**Elegant Porch**



Our 2014 Tour Home

April 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> are the dates of this year's Remodelers Home Tour. The free tour provides an opportunity for you to walk through one of our recently remodeled homes. This year's home, located at 2916 Lake Boone Place, features a newly remodeled kitchen, powder room, and new screened porch. Come and meet our Wood Wise team and get inspired for your next remodeling project. Don't miss it!  
**Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.**  
**Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.**  
 For more information:  
<http://wakeremodelers.com/remodelershometour>

**Capturing the Space**

Our project photos get lots of compliments. Not only are the projects beautiful but Stuart Jones, our photographer, takes special care to showcase them just right. Stuart nails it whether the photos are taken during the day or at night, inside or outside, close up or at a distance. Check out some of the examples of his work on our website. We especially like the evening photos of this North Raleigh porch shown below.



**The Cost of Not Remodeling**

*by Hank Wall*

**People postpone home improvements for several reasons.** Cost. Disruption. Distrust of contractors, based on stories they have heard. Fear of the unknown. Most homeowners delay, often forever, the wished for updating and remodeling their homes need.

**BEFORE - a cluttered, cramped kitchen**



**"How does your house make you feel?"**

My college degree was in psychology so I look for ways to increase personal sanity and happiness. I believe that NOT making your home align with your sense of style is psychologically harmful. **Every day that you dislike your personal space you miss the opportunity to live in harmony, to live in visual comfort and enjoy where and how you live.**

Our favorite restaurant or coffee shop may be attractive to us because we like the way it looks and feels. We feel better in beautiful spaces. Living in clutter with old fashioned décor keeps us from being our best. If we could bring the Starbucks architecture, the colors and cool design, home with us we might feel so good about our home that we also feel good about our life.



Enjoy a glass of champagne and delicious refreshments while listening to Hank Wall talk about how to avoid common remodeling mistakes at our:

**Free Remodeling Presentation  
Thursday, May 8th  
6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.**

Kathy Walker, our designer, will share some of the latest trends from the **2014 International Kitchen and Bath Show**. Bring your remodeling ideas, ask questions, and get answers from the experts.

One lucky attendee will win lunch for two at Simply Crepes. All attendees will receive 50% off custom kitchen design. Please r.s.v.p. by calling 919.783.9330 or email: [info@woodwisedesign.com](mailto:info@woodwisedesign.com)  
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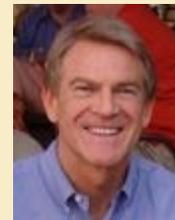


**"We feel better in beautiful spaces."**

I am writing this in the stylish Caribou Coffee Shop with pleasant music, nice lighting, lots of glass and comfortable leather chairs. This space feels good. How does your house make you feel? Does it ding your spirit to come home from the office and see the twenty-five year old kitchen that you never really liked?

Which of your friends' homes do you like? Even if you can't remodel right now, what might you do to bring your home up to delight your senses? Painting a few rooms might be enough. Putting half of your clutter out of sight might be enough. Buying two nice lamps or removing those old drapes might add light to a dark room. New granite countertops?

What is the cost, to your peace of mind, of doing nothing? Living in a home that you love is a wonderful way to live.



**Southern Women's Show 2014**

Women are often the driving force in remodeling their homes. Wood Wise will have a booth at the Southern Women's Show at the fairgrounds with photos of our beautiful projects along with some cool countertop and tile samples. So come to see us – after you go on the Remodelers Home Tour, of course. Call Becky at 919.783.9330 for a free pass.

Women's Show schedule:

**Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 10am – 8pm**

**Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> 10am-7pm**

**Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 11am – 6pm**

For more information:

<http://www.southernshows.com/wra>