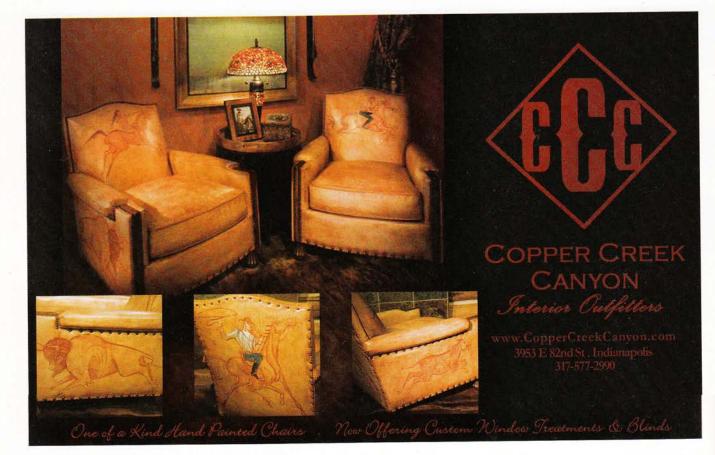




FOR THE BOYS

LEFT: The "son's bedroom" was crisped up with stripes by Pamela Hobbs of Ty Interiors. BELOW: Diana Bryant of db interiors, llc., gave the "son's bathroom" a serious facelift (out with the '80s floral wallpaper and stick-on wall tile).





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deep pink-red set off by soft white trim. It leads into a charmingly vintage bathroom, which had still had the wallpapered walls and ceiling and other dated decor left over from when the home served as a Show House in 1985. A voluptuous pedestal sink that was removed from the home years ago was recently found in a Carmel house, and has been permanently restored. Antique tile and an oversized, Art Deco-tinged mirror play up the retro appeal of the "ladies' room," which was designed by Diana Chastain.

One of the most eye-popping makeovers took place around the corner in the "son's bathroom," which had that same 1985 floral wallpaper as the ladies' room, with a pink tub to boot. Diana Bryant of



"This is what people really want to see old homes, with the architecture and the details, freshened up," says interior designer Diane Hallquist.

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db interiors, llc, replaced peel-off plastic tiles with contemporary, masculine wallpaper in a diamond texture. The sink was jettisoned in favor of a more modern style, set off by the vintage floor tiles. "It's one of the most dramatic changes in the home," says St. Margaret's Hospital Guild decorator chair Sally Sebeckis.

Making their mark

The unique appeal of the Decorators' Show House concept is perhaps showcased best on the home's third floor, where adjoining rooms work together while bearing the stamps of the creators behind them. This is, after all, a chance for designers to have some fun.

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