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# Celebration of colour in design proves winner

Hastings' McLaren Stainless has taken out top honours in the Resene Colour in Design category at the 2013 Hawke's Bay and Poverty Bay regional competition of the ADNZ Resene Architectural Design Awards.

Hosted in New Plymouth, the awards recognise successful design in residential and commercial architecture across a range of categories including new homes, multi-unit dwellings, interiors, alterations and additions and industrial design.

Judged on the strategic use of

colour, organisers said the award was about "celebrating colour and the way in which it is used to enhance and add value".

The McLaren Stainless award winning offices were designed by Havelock North architectural designer Bryan Musson of Bryan Musson Architectural Design.

Mr Musson said McClaren Stainless came to him after management decided the company had outgrown its previous premises and wanted to set a new design standard that would "stun" its clients.

The result is 4514sq m

rectangular building with foyer/showroom, administration offices at the front and a workshop/fabrication and distribution area including turning bay at the rear. Judges applauded Mr Musson's subtle use of colour and his interpretation of the company's brand.

The national and supreme ADNZ/Resene Architectural Design Awards winners will be announced on September 27 at a gala awards ceremony in Dunedin.



Stainless

**TRIUMPH: McLaren Stainless in Hastings has picked up an award.**  
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