



# BRIGHTSPARK

ACE ELECTRICAL NEWSLETTER

## WELCOME

Welcome to our December 2016 'BrightSpark' newsletter – this is a way for us to let you know what's happening in our business; to alert you to changes within the electrical industry; showcase new electrical products that can save time and money; showcase some of the interesting projects we've recently completed as well as what the team have been doing in their spare time.

We'd love your feedback on the content of our newsletter. Email us at [office@aceelectrical.net.nz](mailto:office@aceelectrical.net.nz)

### OPENING HOURS

We will be closing on Friday 23rd December and reopen on Monday 9th January 2017.



We will have a team member "ON CALL" during the festive season to sort out those little "electrical" issues that might pop up. So if you find you need an electrician over the festive season, give the team at Ace Electrical a call on **0800 889 612**.

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## SHOWCASE: RIVER VIEW LIFESTYLE



Set on the banks of the Waikato River is this superbly designed home with breath-taking views overlooking the river and surrounding countryside.

The owners, Bevan and Kelly purchased the site after having owned the property next door for 14 years. They loved the position with its picturesque landscape and handy location.

Architect, Aaron Haddock designed the home with the input of Bevan and Kelly. The weather, position of the sun throughout the day and the views were taken into account to maximize the best layout. The home was built by David Reid Homes and Ace Electrical carried out all the electrical work not only on the house but also on the large workshop that was constructed at the same time.

The grand entrance of the home leads to the spacious open plan living areas where the striking kitchen catches the eye. The white cabinetry makes a statement and is



further enhanced by the good use of lighting. There are pendant lights positioned over the breakfast bar and LED down lights have also been installed in the kitchen and living areas creating a functional and well-lit space.

The home has been well planned with two porticos located off either side of the open plan living area. The first outdoor entertaining area captures the view overlooking the river, while the second looks onto the well positioned swimming pool. LED lighting has been installed in both porticos making them ideal spaces to entertain family and friends well into the evening.

Bevan and Kelly are really pleased with the way their home has turned out, it's a great space and suits their lifestyle. They found the team at Ace Electrical great to work with and there advise extremely helpful.



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## TEAM BUILDING



Peter, Trent, Richard and Alan - ziplining in Rotorua

In September Alan and the team headed to Rotorua and spent the morning on a team building activity at Canopy Tours. Their tour began in the native forest where they were guided through breathtaking scenery on a 1.2 kilometre network of 6 ziplines, swing bridges and treetop platforms. Just as well the guys are not scared of heights as the platforms are up to 22 metres high and of course they loved every minute of it especially the thrill of speeding through the air on the super fast ziplines. Not only was it a fun day but it was also educational learning about the conservation program. Everyone had a brilliant time and they all thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

## IS YOUR HOME IN NEED OF BETTER LIGHTING?



Lighting is one of the most overlooked and yet essential elements of good interior design. Our homes thrive when we choose the right mix of lighting but creating it can be a tricky task. One major role to consider when choosing lights is functionality, they need to serve a purpose, or it simply wastes electricity. When creating a lighting plan it is also important to keep in mind the three main types of lighting - ambient, task and accent.

Ambient or general lighting provides an overall illumination. When used correctly, ambient light creates a fantastic environment to relax in. It uses different tones and colours of light, as well as different levels of brightness. In many cases it uses soft, warm lights to induce a feeling of calm and relaxation, but at the opposite end of the spectrum it can also be used to provide a lively and invigorating effect.

Task lighting is most important in just about every room of a house. In living rooms and

studies it helps to avoid eyestrain when reading or working, while in the kitchen it ensures that tasks can be carried out safely. Adequate task lighting is also essential in the bathroom for the purpose of shaving or applying make-up.

Accent lighting can be extremely effective when used to highlight paintings, pieces of art or plants, although the angle of the lighting clearly needs to be just right to achieve the very best effect.

At Ace Electrical we specialise in interior lighting installation. Not only will we install your lights but we can provide a range of light fittings that best suits your budget. We can also advise you on the right type of fittings to use and the best place to position them. For a no obligation free quote on your lighting requirements contact us today on 0800 889 612.



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- 1** Availability - now for emergencies, or when you need us
- 2** Your job is the right size for us - no job is too big, small or ugly
- 3** On time, every time - and we'll guarantee that.
- 4** Your complete electrician specialists including Rural, Domestic and Commercial maintenance and electrical construction.
- 5** Multiple solutions - something to suit your budget.



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