



Making a splash

WaterFeatures by Design specialises in the design and construction of all types of water features, including water walls, ponds and spillways.

Each feature is custom designed to client specification and incorporates a range of finishes, including stainless steel, stone, mosaics, glass and copper. If the client has an existing structural wall, WaterFeatures by Design can pre-make some elements of the feature off site and install it on location within a couple of days. In situations where there is no existing wall, the team can construct both the structural wall and the feature on site. In this circumstance, many clients expand the structure to include planter boxes.

Owners Tony and Claire advise the current trend in water feature design is leaning towards the sleek, contemporary look of stainless steel.

"A stainless steel feature adds an immediate sense of style and sophistication to any space, inside or out. Its smooth texture makes it an ideal option for an internal feature given the minimal amount of splash as opposed to a rougher texture, which requires a larger pond space to accommodate the increased splash zone."

When used in conjunction with underwater lighting the effect is spectacular.

Stone cladding is also popular given the range of colours and textures available and has seen a dramatic increase in popularity over the past few years.

Its rustic texture adds both auditory and visual interest to a water feature and can

be used to achieve a classic or contemporary feel depending on the design of the feature and its application.

An emerging trend in poolside water features is the use of blades to project water enhanced by fibre optic or LED lighting.

KEY PRODUCTS

KOI POND features fibre optic water baldes, stainless steel underwater lighting and textured silver tiles. Above.

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THREE SHEER DESCENT water walls featuring stainless steel and rustic stone cladding. Above.
POPULAR TWO-TIERED feature incorporating a stainless steel spillway. Below right.

ABOUT Waterfeatures by Design

WaterFeatures by Design custom-makes every feature meaning no two features are exactly alike. The company takes great pride in the fact that it can service diverse individual requirements and create a feature that captures the exact look and style the client has in mind.

In addition to the residential water feature design service, WaterFeatures by Design also provides a professional stone cladding service and specialises in the design and installation of interactive water playgrounds for children.

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