



The Edge model by Stone Custom Homes combines rustic and modern features, such as stone and metal for the great room's fireplace, for a unique look. With incredible views to the mountain, and a huge, high-end kitchen sporting loads of workspace, the open-concept living space is an entertainer's dream come true. Macdonald's Countrywide Furniture & Appliances provided furniture, and artwork throughout the home is from the Loft Gallery in Clarksburg.

CUTTING EDGE

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Constructed with the contemporary and active family in mind, **Stone Custom Homes'** model, "The Edge," is a true gem.

First built in Alta, this luxurious, five-bedroom design with nearly 5,000 sq. ft. of living space will also be available in Windrose Valley, a unique development with enormous lots at the base of Osler Bluff ski hills.

Inside the home, a singular stone and metal fireplace anchors the great room with a 25-foot ceiling and great views to the mountain. The adjacent open kitchen area allows even more room for social gatherings.

This spacious home possesses several unique features, including double-glazed windows (that reduce noise, conserve energy and save money), reclaimed hardwood floors and a mudroom with laundry room access. The sprawling, ground-floor master bedroom is augmented by guest and multi-use suites on the second floor, and with a bathroom for every family member, this home is just as functional as it is beautiful. *Continued on page 102*



showcase



A feature wall of backlit onyx and stone is one of the many eye-catching features that makes this design stand out. Another is vertical awnings that run both horizontally and vertically throughout the home, and also frame the bed in the main-floor master suite. The stairs were supplied by Barrie Trim & Mouldings.



Stone's model combines clean lines with a unique mix of rustic and modern influences, such as minimalist trim and a signature feature wall of backlit onyx and stone in the entranceway that sets a bold, yet relaxing tone for the home.

Aside from "The Edge," Stone Custom Homes offers several other designs in and out of Windrose Valley, and has exclusive local rights to Lindal Cedar Homes and Turkel Design homes.

Gordon Stone M.Arch, illustrates how his modern designs marry traditional chalet influences with contemporary trends that allow for lots of open space inside and plenty of natural light from the outside. "Windrose Valley offers a fantastic array of possibilities for both structure and design style," he says. "The proximity to ski, golf, equestrian and town facilities brings a unique flavour to the neighbourhood, and the large lot sizes offer limitless view potential, giving us the opportunity to design homes tailored to the unique desires of each buyer."

For people who aren't keen on going through the process of custom building, Stone can put together packages of various models. "Customers can adjust and change the design while maintaining the basic structure and price," Stone explains. "It's a hybrid offering to custom build, and unique to our company – the entire process takes 10 to 12 months."

Holly Stone, who handles realty and marketing for the business, adds that "the format allows homeowners to be as involved or uninvolved as they like. It also gives them plenty of ideas for finishes and provides a strong price structure and construction timeline." **OH**



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