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DOUGLAS VANDERHORN ARCHITECTS

As usual, the slate of winners of the annual Alice Washburn awards is a stellar one. The 2015 honorees include **DOUGLAS VANDERHORN ARCHITECTS**, which took home the New Construction award for a Shingle-style house in Greenwich; **CHARLES HILTON ARCHITECTS**, winning the Accessory Building award; **NEIL HAUCK ARCHITECTS**, with an honorable mention for Accessory Building; and **AUSTIN PATTERSON DISSTON ARCHITECTS**, which took two honorable mentions, for Accessory Building and Addition/Renovation. *Greenwich, vanderhornarchitects.com; Greenwich, hiltonarchitects.com; Darien, neilhauckarchitects.com; Southport, apdarchitects.com*



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This year marks a quarter-century since Rich Granoff started his architectural firm. In its twenty-five years, **GRANOFF ARCHITECTS** has grown to a staff of more than twenty architects, interior designers, and landscape architects who have created scores of gorgeous homes, striking office buildings, welcoming restaurants, and appealing retail spaces. Many of those projects have been award winners, and the company's work has been featured on television and in dozens of publications. *Greenwich, (203) 625-9460, granoffarchitects.com*



It's a new location for **HEATHER GAUDIO FINE ART**, which has taken up residence at 66 Elm Street in New Canaan. Among the new space's many benefits, it occupies a prime downtown spot, and is larger, the better to accommodate the gallery's plans to expand its offerings of new, contemporary artistic talent. *(203) 801-9590, heathergaudiofineart.com*



Interior design partners Deb Nicoud and Dina Spaidal are celebrating ten years in business together with a name change. The former LaBella Spaidal interiors is now **NICOUD AND SPAIDAL INTERIORS**. The name has changed, but the two designers continue to create the classically chic

interiors they're known for. *Fairfield, (203) 659-0402, nicoudandspaidal.com*

A bit more than a year ago, **GAULT ENERGY** launched "Dollars for Dreams," a campaign to raise funds for Make-A-Wish Connecticut. This summer, company president Sam Gault and his staff hosted a barbecue for seven-year-old Connor Armstrong, who is battling a life-threatening leukemia, and his family to celebrate the company's success in raising the money to send the Armstrongs to Atlantis Resorts in the Bahamas. Connor's mom, Melanie, says her son—who swam with dolphins, basked in the sun, and got to be just a kid for a change—told her, "It was the best trip ever!" *Westport, (203) 227-5181, gaultenergy.com*

