

## VINEYARD HOUSE

MAKEVIEW WINDOWS & DOORS USE ELEVATE™ SYSTEMS TO MAXIMISE VIEWS FROM THE NORTH TO THE EAST Vineyard House was a working vineyard for more than a decade. It was built on a 12ha property in Kangaroo Ground that was completely covered in vines before the project commenced.

With an unencumbered approach to architecture, Michael Sheppard designed along the contours of the land where he was inspired by the surrounding bushland. A fusion between the bushland and a practical design was implemented. The main roof was inspired by the shape of a gum leaf and the interior design showcases how materiality from the former vineyard is continued throughout the new build. In the living area, there are statement light fittings which resemble a bunch of grapes. This was used to represent what was once a working vineyard.

The clients were excited about improved energy efficiency. Extensive double glazing was applied to the home through curved panels and windows with extended eaves added to those on the north side.

## **DAWS** | PROJECT FEATURE

The owners had trepidations with the home being in an exposed location. The design of the home needed to withstand very high winds with the possibility of sub-cyclonic conditions. Because of this, Commercial framing Series 424 was chosen because it has a reinforced tall glazing bead at the sill to tolerate high wind loads. This product has been cyclone, BAL-40, AS2047 and acoustics certified and has a high water resistance of 600Pa.

Vineyard House was built with the intention of being the perfect retirement retreat with views of Kinglake National Park and Yarra Valley. Michael Sheppard worked with Makeview Windows & Doors to ensure that the home maximised all the views. From the main bedroom, a sliding door onto the deck and fixed glass were implemented to maximise the views. This home demonstrates how the environmental surroundings and history of an area can completely impact the design of a home.



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Architect: Sheppard & Dwyer Architects | Photographer:Robert Hammer



## ■ ELEVATE<sup>™</sup> SERIES 424 COMMERCIAL FRAMING

- × The 28mm deep glazing pocket is designed to accept thick heavy IGUs and allows glass to be installed easily with room to spare (catering for glass manufacturing tolerance).
- This deep glazing pocket provides a 12mm bite as required by the IGU manufacturers and ensures compliance with glass warranties.
- Glazing wedges are recessed into the framing for a clean aesthetic.
- Wide range of sub-sills to cover most installations, including sub-sills with integrated nailing fin ideal for residential installations.
- > Designed for use with Series 50, 51 and 52 commercial doors.
- Numerous door thresholds including weather resisting thresholds for external and internal swing doors.
- True captive glazing wedge allows reglazing from inside - ideal in elevated applications.
- The captive wedge also offers increased security.



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