

# CLAYTONS RAISES THE BAR FOR LEIGH HAUKE, BENDIGO BUILDER, CUSTOMER OF DAHLENS

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***Working with Claytons, are you gaining time to spend on other areas of your build?***

My opinion is it makes the jobs quicker and smoother. The local cabbies can't get close to the package that Claytons offers.

***As for the Claytons install team, are they professional to deal with?***

The install guy has been good. He works in with the other trades and does a good job. I'm very critical and try to pick the jobs to pieces but I couldn't find any faults. Claytons have raised the bar.

***Has the communication been effective from the designated Dahlsens' Kitchen Coordinator, your Dahlsens' Account Manager, Claytons and yourself?***

The communication has been excellent from Dahlsens and Claytons. Jodie, Dahlsens' Kitchen Coordinator came up and saw us. She knows what she's talking about, is very approachable, is a valuable staff member and made a few good suggestions that we took on board. She made a lot of sense and nothing's a problem. Adam, our Dahlsens' Account Manager was helpful too.

***Are you happy with Clayton's joinery quality?***

I am pleasantly surprised. We have started off using Claytons on some budget homes—and the finish is very good, as is the price. I'm very happy. So much so, we are going to use them for some more upmarket homes in Bendigo. I've had nothing but good comments from developers and clients. For example, they were amazed at how well the long laminate bench was joined.

***Are you happy with the process involved from ordering until installation?***

I've found them to be good value for money. In the past, we've done a few flat packs ourselves for budget kitchens and really, we can't get them done by ourselves for the same money we're paying for Claytons. The finish on the flat pack kitchens just isn't what the Claytons joiner puts on it. Clayton's installer does it way better than a flat pack job.

***What kind of leadtimes have you experienced from order to bench top installation?***

Leadtimes have been good. We booked ahead, and it worked in well.

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