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MOVING UP

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In July, Vanillawood left its old home in the Pearl District and made the move to Lake Oswego with the opening of its new comprehensive retail space and design studio on Lower Boones Ferry Road in the Lake Grove shopping plaza. What started as a side endeavor for husband-and-wife design-build duo James and Kricken Yaker, the store quickly grew beyond their expectations and beyond the tiny square footage the couple had originally planned for it. The new location boasts plenty of space for an expanded inventory, including limited-edition photography and art from local talents. "It's a whole new adventure, to say the least," says Kricken. "It's fresh and modern and open. We always wanted a space with roll-up glass garage doors, and here we have two!"

[INSIDER TIP]

The team at Vanillawood rearranges and adds new merchandise to the store nearly every day, so be sure to check back often for the best chance of finding the perfect one-of-a-kind piece for your home. vanillawood.com



OFF THE SHELF KOHLER SIGNATURE STORE BY KELLER SUPPLY

WHAT: A revolutionary showroom—only the third of its kind countrywide—that's striving to become the new model for one-stop shopping for the kitchen and bath, complete with a series of vignettes demonstrating real-life settings.

WHERE: The showroom, designed by Seattle's Zeroplus Architects, is located at 1018 116th Avenue NE in Bellevue. **WHEN:** Officially opened for business in March 2014. **WHO:** Expect to find the most recent product introductions from Kohler and Kohler brands, including Kallista and Robern, exclusively—from sinks, faucets, showers, and toilets to bathtubs and tile. **WHY:** Its mission is to offer a comprehensive experience, which it accomplishes thanks to dedicated consultants that work with consumers on everything from design, product selection, and budgeting, all the way through to build-out. kohler.com

"The space is designed to showcase a wide breadth and deep selection of products, but in a way that is not overwhelming and is as true to life as possible. There are ample opportunities throughout to see, touch and operate our selections to ensure confident buying." —SANJA STEVENS, STORE MANAGER

MAKER'S MARK

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What inspired your latest collection? We love working with clay, wood, leather, and well-made textiles, and we're inspired by the colors of the desert, Scandinavian and Japanese design aesthetics, and anything that is beautiful and functions properly.

Describe your aesthetic. We are all modernists at heart and love a good collection. The pieces we make and the colors we use are meant to be able to mix and match and work with each other. The idea is that you can grow your collection as we add new shades and silhouettes.

How does living in Portland inform your work? The city is known for its breweries and coffee. You can't even count all the coffee shops and beer brands that have started here! So, we decided to base all of our pieces on beverages: coffee, tea, beer, wine, sake, and cocktails.

