

Daily Job Site Update for 11/10/08 – 11/11/08:

Another highly gratifying day!

We are trying to speed up the schedule in certain rooms a little to help Dina out in more time for decorative faux finishing. Dina has labeled all walls identifying paint colors.

All the incredible cherry kitchen and bath cabinets were installed and the first floor finish carpentry is completed which included trimming out all the bedrooms, sun room and family area. Just wait till you see the new leaded glass front door! The lower level finish carpentry is started and will be completed by tomorrow.

Counter tops were measured today and will be installed tomorrow.

The new ramp from the garage to the home is completed.

The elevator was prepared and will be installed tomorrow and finished Thursday two days ahead of schedule.

The finish electrical was started and we should have working recessed lights by tonight. The transfer switch for the generator was installed and the generator is getting ready to be set. Could someone check and see when the generator pad is going to be installed?

We are delivering decorative electrical fixtures tomorrow and we will start installing them shortly thereafter.

9 painters are scheduled for tomorrow, Thursday and Friday. I have asked one of the painters who is bringing 5 of his crew (Fohey) to concentrate on staining all unstained moldings and doors and to start wrapping up the painting in the back bedrooms and sun room. We have a little logistical challenge from a flow perspective in that when we lay the Pergo on the first floor it will cut off access to the entire home. It is our hope that we can get 4 of Tim Schmidt's crew in on Thursday (2 days early) to lay the Pergo in the 2 back bedrooms, and the sunroom Thursday. If they can accomplish this install then they could either install Pergo in the lower level Friday or on the first floor allowing access to the lower level through the completed sun room. Tim is on call anticipating working Thursday. If the kitchen Pergo gets installed by the end of the weekend we can install all appliances end of week. I have informed Fohey to bring some extra varnish for the unstained areas and Schmidt to bring any necessary nosings for the Pergo floors.

The plumber was actively working on the girls whirl pool and hopes to have installed and completed tomorrow. We should be ready to set plumbing fixtures by the end of the week per the schedule so will need them delivered accordingly.

The garage was cleaned out and is becoming a staging area for finished Pergo flooring, electrical fixtures and we should be ready for appliance delivery towards the end of the week and installation.

The decorative border around the tile fireplace was determined and should be installed by Lippert on Friday as well as any minor tile grouting and caulking.

The exterior deck is complete, the rear exposed retaining wall is complete and the landscapers were going to perform all rough grading this afternoon. They are attempting to pour the drive way either Saturday or Monday. Mark, can you confirm.

Thanks all, the home is incredible,
Jon

