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When it comes to adding curb appeal, what could be more inviting than decorative touches created right here in New England?

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Door Knockers

The tactile sensation of metal striking wood is grounding, perhaps even empowering. Your visitors will appreciate the solidity of **Michael Healy's** door knockers, which are sand-cast in brass, bronze, nickel silver, and black cast iron in his foundry on the banks of the Blackstone River in Rhode Island. Designs reflect Healey's Cape Cod upbringing as well as more fanciful inspirations, like his newest release, the peacock. Scroll through his robust Instagram feed for ideas, then share your selection in all its glory with the tag #adoremydoor. *Around \$60–\$140; michaelhealy.com*



Exterior Shutters

Done right, shutters add polish. Done wrong, and the neighbors, well, shudder. **Seaport Shutter Co.** founder Peter Malone turned a passion project into a bespoke business after fashioning shutters for his family's fixer-upper in Harwich Port, Massachusetts. Twenty-five years in, the Brewster-based company dispatches carpenters all over New England to measure for and install shutters with a just-right fit. Hand-milled, hand-painted shutters come with or without appliques or cut-outs, allowing you to add gravitas to a Federal row house or funk up a quirky beach bungalow. *Contact for quote; seaportshutter.com*