



*The Bristle Solar Energy Ideas Home, winner of the 1985 HIA "Design for Climate Award". Design was by architect Gary Bavistock of the Solar Design Centre.*

# Go solar in the Hills

The recent opening of a Solar Design Centre in Mundaring has already created a great deal of interest.

Ross Lord, a registered builder and the Hills Solar Design Consultant, can both give advice and build homes that make living more comfortable in Summer and Winter while the owner enjoys reduced energy costs.

Such homes are called passive Solar homes - they look no different than other homes but they have been carefully planned to minimise the effects of the heat from the sun in Summer and make optimum use of the sun in Winter.

The Solar Design Centre offers a free solar site evaluations to intending homebuilders.

The evaluation will determine whether the block suits a passive solar home, suits the home a person might be considering to build or whether the site will cause orientation problems.

At the Solar Design Centre, Ross Lord has a range of passive solar home designs.

He can also assist intending homebuilders by designing an individual passive solar home to suit their requirements and being a registered builder he can also build the home.

The Solar Design Centre in Mundaring is the Hills branch of the Solar Design Centre started by well known architect Gary

Bavistock, winner of the 1985 H.I.A. "Design for Climate Award" with the Bristle Solar Energy Ideas Home.

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