

The Lakes CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

CHRIST HOLDS ALL THINGS TOGETHER



The Lakes Christian College was established in 1979 as an independent Christian School and is operated by a Board. Stewards Foundation

started funding the college in 2008. Current Board members are Len Smith, Basil Connell, Andrew Green, Peter Mackie, Merilyn Smith, Graeme Bardsley-Smith and Phil Adams,

The College is nestled in a peaceful rural environment at Castlereagh north of Penrith. It caters for children from Preparatory (4 yrs) to Year 9 and by 2014 hopes to cater up to Year 12.



The College believes that education is a partnership between parents and teachers and encourages parent participation in all areas of school life.

The Government BER Grant was used to build a Multi-purpose facility known as The Ark. This was opened in August.



Please pray that

- the Board will know God's wisdom in decisions
- teachers will show Christ's love daily
- students will grow in wisdom and faith
- student numbers continue to increase in 2012

School's website is: www.thelakescc.nsw.edu.au

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Newsletter

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Thanks for your continued support . . . both to those who invest with us and those who pray for Stewards. You are a vital part of the Foundation.

During the last 3 months we have welcomed new depositors and opened new loans. We ask that you consider becoming a member of Stewards, if you are not already one. Cost of membership is \$10 per year and entitles you to vote for the Committee members, receive our audited financial statements and have some input into the work of the Foundation.

INVESTMENT RATES



have recently changed due to Bank rates. Our current rates are

Amounts \$5000 to \$49,999

At Call	3.15% pa
6 months	5.50% pa
9 months	5.60% pa
12 months	5.80% pa
18 months	5.90% pa
24 months	6.00% pa

Amounts \$50,000 to \$249,999

At Call	3.25% pa
6 months	5.60% pa
9 months	5.70% pa
12 months	5.90% pa
18 months	6.00% pa
24 months	6.10% pa

Twenty 11 Accelerator Account
4.75% if you
deposit \$50 plus each month and
make no withdrawals for 12 months.
Open one for your grandchildren

GROVES CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Early September a classroom block at Groves Upper Primary Campus was set on fire. It will be unusable for some weeks but being of brick and concrete construction is redeemable. The culprits were a 12, 9 and 7 year old group of children who had fun smashing windows, then made a Molotov cocktail which they threw into the building, when that didn't work they made a second one which started the fire. The school is operational and insurance will cover the cost of repairs.

LOANS....

Lutanda is currently doing some refurbishment at their campsites. At **River Park Yarramundi** all cabins now have air conditioning. They are also improving some of their outdoor activities with an extension to the Low Ropes Course at River Park and a Challenge Course being built at Mt Victoria.



Concord Community

Church building is progressing well. The steel framework is finished and the roof is expected to be on by early October.



HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW THE GENERAL MANAGER, PHILIP ADAMS?

Phil grew up in "The Shire" and attended Caringbah Bible Chapel. He became a follower of Jesus and his involvement with Christian Brethren churches began. During those years he met his wife Marilyn (who works in the Office one day a week) they have two adult daughters, one son-in-law and two grandsons.

In his younger days he loved riding motor bikes and playing cricket. Now he enjoys cheering on the Swans, can be seen at AFL matches, loves computers and is pretty good at fixing them. His latest hobby is flying remote controlled helicopters.

Phil's working career began at Westpac then he was employed for two years at Sydney City Mission. Following this he gained his Bachelor of Adult Education and taught at Jannali College, before working at Laser and Sign Technology as the Service Manager.

He joined the Board of Stewards in 1988 and was Chairman for three of those years. In 2005 he joined the staff as General Manager.

In his role at Stewards, he is on the Boards of The Lakes Christian School, NSW and Emmaus Bible College. He is also a Director of CCCAust and Christian Education Services Ltd.

Phil is an Elder at St George Christian Church. His desire is to see Christian Brethren churches growing and he sees his position at Stewards as helping towards this.

PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE ON 9747 1351 FOR MORE INFORMATION
and up-to-date interest rates

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