

## Tree Roo Rescue and Conservation Centre Ltd

We are a non-profit organisation that rescues and rehabilitates, orphaned, injured or displaced tree kangaroos.

Unfortunately an increasing number of Lumholtz tree kangaroos are being killed by dogs and hit by cars each year.

Please donate to us and the money will go directly towards treating and caring for these beautiful animals.

16 years of caring for injured tree kangaroos



Donate now and help us care for tree roos today

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# Kuranda envirocare inc.

Caring for Kuranda's Environment

"by standing on the shoulders of those who've gone before"

Nursery: 284 Myola Rd, Mon & Thu 9am-1pm, Sat 10-noon, ph: 4093 8989 / 4093 8393

## Community Planting Day

Another great morning with fellow tree planters at a beautiful site near the banks of the Barron River. The holes were dug to make the planting nice and easy and 20 volunteers braved the early morning to plant 480 trees.

A huge thank you to all of our volunteers, without you this would not be possible!

We run community plantings 3 or 4 times per year, and most other Saturday we dig holes and plant up to 20 trees each. So you too can easily plant 1000 trees a year to extend wildlife habitat.

Our aim is to plant 5500 trees per year, which we have been exceeding, as part of the Biodiversity Project. The project is into its 4th year and at completion we will have restored and / or revegetated 10ha native riparian (river) species. Connecting wildlife corridors, minimising erosion, filtering sediments, building stronger community and more resilient environments are among some of the reasons we do what we do.

Photo right: Kerry Scott, one of our awesome planters.



## Native fauna living only in the Wet Tropics

Book Sale: \$30 each

**Eternal Endemism – The Wet Tropics Endemic Terrestrial Vertebrates of Australia** by Craig Ward with Tim Hawkes



This beautiful book with full colour plates lists all the species of bird, frog, gecko and skink which lives only in our Wet Tropics region. With the threat of Yellow Crazy ants at present, this is what we stand to lose if these invasive ants take over. This makes a great birthday gift for any of your wildlife loving friends. Come and view a copy at the Envirocare nursery.

## Plant of the Month

**Kuranda Quandong (*Elaeocarpus bancroftii*: *Elaeocarpaceae*)**

This plant is flowering around Kuranda at present. The flowers hang upside down under the twigs and resemble cream coloured skirts. They have a very pleasant smell. The fruits are large green drupes with very dry flesh. The husk inside looks like rugby ball and has very thick walls. These giant trees can grow up to 45m tall and dominate the rainforest canopy. The Djabugandjii had special nut stones they used to crack open these delectable nuts.

There is an idea floating around to create a dwarf variety but this slow grower will surely create some shade for our grandchildren.



## Date Claimers

- Thursday 3 March, AGM & General Meeting 7.00pm @ KRC, Fallon Road.
- Saturday 12 March 5.00-8.00pm Frog identification workshop – FREE includes field trip to a monitoring site, BYO plate to share, booking essential, call Sylvia on 0409 647 714
- Yellow Crazy Ant monitoring – every 2nd Thursday, ring Mikhaila 0400 018 332
- EVERY Saturday: Tree Planting 7.30 am
- Frog Monitoring dates in the 3rd week of every month. facebook search Kuranda's-Frog-Friendly-Neighbourhood
- Saturday Morning Plantings 7.30am-9.30am. Meet at the nursery.

Email [info@envirocare.org.au](mailto:info@envirocare.org.au) for reminder or call Sylvia on 0409 647 714

**BOX TRAILER HIRE: Contact HANS 4093 8393**

**Give a gift that keeps growing, through our local Grow Project.**

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## FNQ Wildlife Rescue Assoc. Inc.

(Established 1994)



Caring for the region's native wildlife.

Wildlife carers are all volunteers.

Tax deductible donations appreciated.

New members welcome.

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Email: [fnqwr@bigpond.com](mailto:fnqwr@bigpond.com)



## Kuranda Village Accountancy

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