

## ENVIROCARE NURSERY

If you would like to come in and check out our great selection of native plants don't hesitate to drop in for a chat. Our trees are all a \$2 donation. If anyone would like to get involved, the nursery is open Mondays and Thursdays 9.00am-1.00pm and Saturdays 10.00-noon and by appointment. Saturday morning plantings continue from 8.00am. Meet at the nursery. Email [info@envirocare.org.au](mailto:info@envirocare.org.au) for reminder or call Sylvia on 0409 647 714.

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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



# RANGERS r e p o r t

## Thanks to the Kuranda Paper

Thank you to the Kuranda Paper who generously sponsored the Kuranda Rangers in 2016. We look forward to another great season of continued support in 2017.



Summer-Rose, Oscar and Shaun on game day

Kuranda Rangers Football Club



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## Community Planting Day

Our community planting event was a great success with over 500 rainforest trees planted with the help of our wonderful volunteers. The sandy soils are well drained so we choose hardy riparian species, watering and mulching well. Over 23,000 trees in 4 years have been planted and maintained with the help of hundreds of dedicated volunteers. We have several more community plantings before the completion of the Federally funded Biodiversity Project which aims to connect a wildlife corridor from Myola to Mantaka along the banks of the Barron River. This helps minimise



Photo: Volunteers expect latest planting of 500 trees to match the forest backdrop of Russet Park.

## Get involved – Frogs calls and Fireflies amazing light show

We always welcome your involvement in your local community conservation efforts. Planting is a regular Saturday activity but we also have a long term rainforest frog monitoring project and are short of site monitors at present, So if you like going out at night, one night a month, to check out the local wildlife, this could be for you. Besides listening out for frogs, we note the local wildlife around the site and this week we were witness to a spectacular fairy lights display from fireflies at Warril Creek. All sites are safe and easy to find, no bush bash required. We'll provide all training, a head torch and other recording resources. We always do the monitoring in pairs on one night, in the 3rd week of the month and others join in so you're never out alone, unless you want to be! Contact Sylvia or Cathy on [info@envirocare.org.au](mailto:info@envirocare.org.au) if you would like to get involved and we'll give you a call.

## Plant of the Month

**Cadagi** – *Corymbia torrelliana*

This rainforest tree is native to North Queensland and is a fast growing attractive shade and timber tree. It has an attractive shape, smooth green branches, rough bark on the trunk and broad furry leaves. New leaves commence as red tips which make it pleasant to look at. The large flowers open in October and November and appear to be well visited by the Native Bees. We have a few in the nursery for sale.

## Flowering now on the Range Road

This year one of the climax rainforest trees, the giant Milkwood – *Alstonia scholaris*, so named because the soft timber could be used for pencils and wooden frames for slateboards back in the day. The large white fragrant clusters of flowers will turn into long pendulous semi soft, green seed cases which will burst spectacularly next year, casting tiny seeds with fairy floss type parachutes to float on the breeze.



## Date Claimers

- Thursday 6 October, General meeting 7.00pm @ KRC, Fallon Road
- EVERY Saturday: Tree Planting 7.30am at KEC Nursery, Myola Road
- Frog Monitoring, 3rd week of every month. Check Kuranda's-Frog-Friendly-Neighbourhood FB page or ring Sylvia 0409 647 714

## Saturday morning Plantings

7.30am -9.30am Meet at the nursery.

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