



Donations

BWRAC aims to support our volunteer carers who help rehabilitate our wildlife at their own cost.

BWRAC was incorporated and also became a registered charity on 20 July 2022.

We rely on donations of not only money but other items that can be used to help in the rehabilitation of our wildlife. Some of the items that we can use include:

- Bath towels
- Hand towels
- Blankets
- Pillowcases
- Flannelette sheets
- Fallen tree branches if there is a distinct V/ fork in the branch, ie where a koala could perch (approx. 90mm diameter for the vertical trunk and max 2 metre high)
- Browse (ie fresh branches of eucalyptus for possums, koalas and birds)
- Packs of disposable gloves (sizes: M, L & XL)
- Bed timber slats (not treated) (we use the timber to make nest boxes)
- Pallets (disassembled) (we use the timber to make nest boxes)
- Other small pieces of timber to make nest boxes (not treated)
- Live mealworms
- Chicken hearts/livers
- Mince meat (which is mixed with wildlife specific formulas)
- Specialist wildlife milk formulas, insectivore mix etc
- Heat pads
- Pine wood shavings (pet bed material)

Note: linen need to be free of holes, otherwise the wildlife can get tangled and injured

What we cannot use:

- Pet beds Doonas Face washers (too small)
- Cotton sheets

Projects and items that we are working acquiring on include:

3 metre x 3 metre fake grass – for the Koala enclosures to help prevent the coldness coming up through the concrete. We have three enclosures.

Large flight aviary – for rehabilitating large raptors pre-release to ensure they are flying adequately to survive in the wild. We are looking to use reinforced cat netting as it is safe for the birds so they won't damage their feathers. www.catnets.com.au sell the product. We are in the process of quantifying how much we will need for an enclosure approx 8-10m wide by 5-6m high in an decagon (10 sides) shape.

<https://catnets.com.au/collections/cat-netting-bulk-roll-specials/products/stainless-reinforced-premium-cat-netting-50m-x-5m>

Large roo bag – for the safe transport of kangaroos and wallabies

Roo rescue net – to aid in the safe capture of live kangaroos and wallabies

