

Did you know that Australia has over 70 varieties of macropods. ranging from the tiny Musky Rat Kangaroo, to the large male Red Kangaroo seen in the Australian Outback? Meet, pat and hand feed Swamp Wallabies and Red Legged Pademelons.

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9 NOCTURNAL WOND

North Queensland's only nocturnal animal display gives customers the rare opportunity to get up close to some of Australia's most elusive species, including the iconic and vulnerable bilby.



10 GLIDERS

BIRL Squirrel gliders are relatively common whereas the Mahogany glider is listed as a critically endangered species and only found in a small area of coastal North Queensland. This restricted range is due to years of habitat destruction and damage from cyclones.

11 REPTILES

Australia is home to the world's most amazing selection of snakes, dragons and lizards, and we have many on display. Take a seat and relax with the reptiles.

7 WOMBATS 6 OUOKKAS

The loveable wombat is fast becoming Australia's favourite marsupial. With a lumbering gait, and strong, solid body they have amazing burrowing capabilities. They are often known as the 'bulldozers of the bush'.

One of the smallest species of macropod, Quokkas are known as the happiest animal in the world due to their smiley faces and friendly personalities. Wild populations are restricted to small islands off Western Australia. Kuranda Koala Gardens is lucky enough to be the only institution in North Queensland to house these rare animals.



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5 KOALA PHOTOS

We are one of the few places in Australia where you can actually HOLD a koala for a souvenir photo (small additional cost). Or for something on the 'scaly side', have a photo with a large python (additional cost).

4 KOALAS

Everyone loves a koala! Fossil evidence indicates that koalas have evolved from life in the rainforest environments to becoming dependent on the Eucalypt, Australia's dominant 'dry country' tree species.

Take your photo with 'Kozilla' and donate to the North Queensland Wildlife Trust.

3 LIZARDS & TURTLES

Check out some local lizards as well as a few species of freshwater turtle. Camouflage is key to their survival, so take your time and try to find them!

AUSSIE BUSH COLLECTION

Step right up to the Aussie bush. See koalas, lizards and more living high and low in this large, multi-species enclosure with great viewing from any angle.

& 13 CROCODILES

Crocodiles have been a part of the Australian eco system for millions of years. Freshwater Crocodile are mainly found in inland river systems. The larger and more aggressive Saltwater or Estuarine Crocodile, found in coastal river systems, can be seen at Hartley's Crocodile Adventures.

In entering these premises you do so voluntarily and entirely at your own risk, including any risk to minors or anybody under your control. Children must be actively supervised at all times by a responsible adult.

12 PIONEERING HISTOR

Kuranda Koala Gardens is

of one of Kuranda's

and artefacts.

operated by descendants

pioneering families. Learn

and forestry history with

authentic photographs

about the local railway