

Field Guide to the Birds of the ACT

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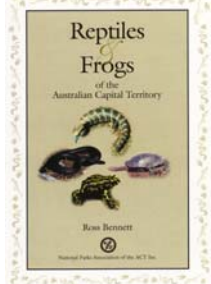
Field Guide to the Native Trees of the ACT



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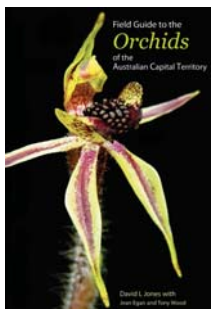
What are the trees growing in the park near your house, on Black Mountain or down by the lake? Trees put the bush into the bush capital. *Native Trees of the ACT* describes 62 trees indigenous to the Australian Capital Territory. From Snow Gums high in the Brindabellas to Apple Box in the disappearing woodlands and Black Cypress by the Murrumbidgee River, they are all here. Have you ever wondered at the difference between a Red Gum and a Red Box? This book can tell you. You can identify trees easily with: colour photographs, botanical drawings, location tips, thumbnail maps for less common trees, a key for determining the species.

Field Guide to the Reptiles & Frogs of the ACT



Author: Ross Bennett
 Photographs by Ross Bennett, John Wombey, David Hunter, Kevin McCue, Will Osborne and Robert Jenkins
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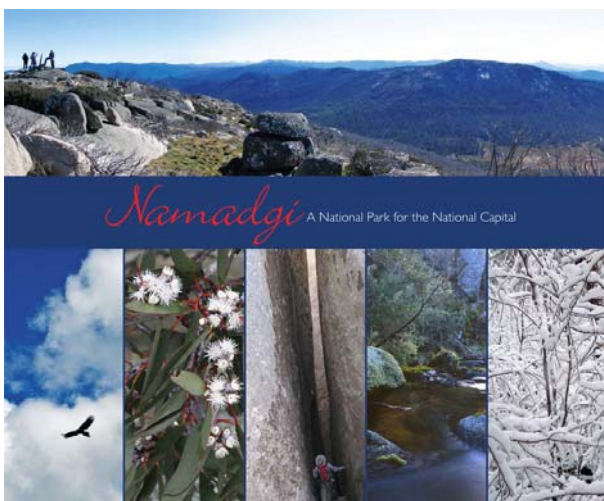
The book combines concise descriptions with superb photography to allow accurate identification of all fifty-two reptiles and fifteen frogs found in the region. Additional information describes their distribution and gives an insight into their private and often complex life-histories. This book is an essential addition to the library, glovebox or back-pack of anyone who has an opportunity to explore the world of reptiles and frogs, from Canberra's suburban gardens to the peaks of the Brindabella Ranges.



Field Guide to the Orchids of the ACT

Author: David L. Jones
 Original drawings by David L. Jones, digital enhancement of drawings by Jean Egan, principal photographer Tony Wood
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 Recommended Retail Price \$38.50
 A 288 pages book, 21x12 cm, produced with perfect binding

Principal author David Jones is a respected authority on Australian orchids. He has made a special study of the orchids of the local region, describing many new species. This book contains excellent colour photos, large botanical illustrations and full descriptions of the 121 species found in the ACT.



Namadgi: A National Park for the National Capital

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 Other Contributors: Sonja Lenz, Adrienne Nicholson, Max Lawrence, Kevin McCue
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Namadgi: A National Park for the National Capital is a glossy book featuring some great photography produced almost exclusively by NPA members. It highlights the values of the wonderful national park that is uniquely Canberra's and celebrates the beauty and amazing diversity of the park.

The book was produced with assistance from an ACT Government Environment Grant.

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