



## KBCN News May 2014

As there wasn't much news to impart last month, we left sending out a newsletter for April. We do have some information for you this time round so please enjoy catching up with the latest.

- On the 17<sup>th</sup> June we will be holding our Annual General Meeting (AGM). This is when nominations for the positions of the Committee such as President, Treasurer etc., are made and voted on. A quorum is essential, hence we need as many members as possible to attend so the voting can be completed.

Information on how to nominate and vote will be posted to all members in the next few weeks.

- Prior to the AGM, Margaret and Henry from Bat Conservation & Rescue QLD INC will be giving a presentation on the importance of bats, both mega and microbats. They will also be bringing some bats with them so you can get up close and personal with these fascinating animals.
- As with all meetings there will be nibbles and drinks from 7:00pm.
- We held the monthly bird walk at Nundah last Sunday which incorporated the cemetery and a portion of the bike path. It was difficult not to get distracted from the birds with the interesting gravestones. Clearly a German influence in that area back in the late 1800's. However, back to the birds! The final count was 41 different species with both Golden and Rufous Whistlers encountered.

The next bird walk is scheduled for 1<sup>st</sup> June at Bellbird Grove starting at 7:30am. There is usually a very good species list at this location although bring your woollies as it will be a little bit chilly.

- If we have your current email address, you should have received a survey request. The committee is looking for ways to improve attendance rates at meetings and general interaction with members. Please take the time to complete it and we promise it will only take 2 or 3 minutes of your time!
- Last year we mentioned C&K Arana Hills Kindergarten had been in contact with the group in relation to assisting them with 'collaborating on a relevant age appropriate program' to introduce the children to Kedron Brook. The grant application has now been sent and we await the final outcome as to whether the project proceeds with our assistance. We will keep you informed.
- On Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May, we will be holding a stall at the Kedron Lions AFC Community Day being held at Kedron Oval (6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Kedron). The gates open at 11:30am and there will be AFL Auskick matches, a jumping castle, face painting, QLD Fire Service display, army vehicle displays etc. You don't have to be an AFL fan to come along and enjoy the day. We'd love to see you at our stall.
- Don't forget to 'like' and 'share' our Facebook page!

That's all folks and hope to see you at the meeting!