

**PLANT SPECIES AVAILABLE FROM
NOOSA & DISTRICT LANDCARE RESOURCE CENTRE, POMONA, February 2010
(opposite the pub)**

Prices:

Tube stock: \$1.55

Kauri, Brown & Hoop pines: \$2.00

Bunya pines: \$3.30

Other larger pots as marked

Members receive a 10% discount on all plants

Acacia bakeri MARBLEWOOD

Tall rainforest tree, 15-20m, attractive weeping foliage, new growth dark cherry-red, flowers pale yellow fluffy balls. Can be slow growing, prefers well-drained site. Excellent cabinet timber.

Acacia disparrima HICKORY WATTLE

Erect and spreading tree to 15m. Occurs on coastal dunes, hillsides in mixed open forest, on sandy, rocky soil in open scrub and on the drier ridges in rainforest. Flowers summer to autumn.

Acacia falcata SILVER-LEAVED WATTLE

Medium shrub or small tree to 3m. Pale yellow flowers autumn to winter. Fast growing re-vegetation species. Hardy and adaptable.

Acacia fimbriata BRISBANE WATTLE

Shrub or bushy small tree to 4m. Hardy and fast growing. Attractive ferny semi-weeping foliage. Flowers are scented yellow fluffy balls in winter.

Acacia leiocalyx BLACK WATTLE

Small open forest tree to 6 metres. Yellow fluffy flower spikes in winter. Hardy and fast growing in a variety of soils and situations. Colonisers disturbed areas. Food plant for Felder's lime blue butterfly.

Acacia melanoxylon BLACKWOOD

Medium sized tree to 20 metres. Pale cream pom-pom flowers in the warmer months. Attractive, thick crown; hardy, fast growing and long lived; indifferent to soil types but prefers a sunny position.

Acmena hemilampra BROAD-LEAVED LILLY PILLY

Medium rainforest tree to 15m. Hardy and adaptable, dark green glossy leaves and white edible (acid) fruits, attractive bronze new growth. Suitable container plant.

Acmena smithii CREEK LILLY PILLY

Rainforest tree to 15m, usually smaller bushy shrub. Ornamental foliage and pinkish fruit, edible but not delectable, can be pruned as a screen. Very hardy in a wide range of conditions.

Acronychia oblingifolia COMMON ACRONYCHIA

Medium rainforest tree with handsome foliage 5 to 12 metres. Edible white fruit attracts birds during cooler months. Hardy, adaptable and fairly fast growing; tolerates sun or shade but requires good drainage.

Agathis robusta QUEENSLAND KAURI PINE

Tall symmetrical, majestic conifer to 40m or more, grows well in a variety of sites, can be slow at first. Young trees make attractive indoor plants with pale pink and cream new growth.

Allocasuarina littoralis BLACK SHE-OAK

Open forest tree to 10m, black fissured bark. Hardy, adaptable and fast growing in variety of sites. Black cockatoo feed tree, suitable for cabinet work.

Allocasuarina torulosa ROSE SHE-OAK

Medium tree slender and pyramidal 10 – 25 metres. Food tree for Black Cockatoos. Hardy and adaptable; suitable for moist rich or nutrient-deficient sandy soils; frost tolerant.

Allocasia brisbanensis CUNJEVOI

Rainforest clumping plant with large spade-like leaves. Fragrant but poisonous yellow-green flower – juicy but toxic sweet-smelling red fruit. Prefers semi-shaded moist sites; soil type not critical.

Alpinia caerulea NATIVE GINGER

Clumping plant to 1.5m. Understorey species, likes shady moist site. Bright blue berries attract birds. Fruit, leaves and tuberous roots are edible and make a tasty addition to salads.

Araucaria bidwillii BUNYA PINE

Rainforest tree to 50m, valuable timber species. Large, heavy (to 7kg), edible nuts. Prefers deep, rich soil but very tough, withstanding frost, low moisture and strong wind.

Araucaria cunninghamii HOOP PINE

Rainforest tree to 50m. Trunk straight, timber highly prized. Hardy, slow growing unless well fertilised. Needs good drainage. Excellent tub plant.

Arytera distylis TWIN-LEAVED COOGERA

Small understorey rainforest tree to 7 metres. Red, yellow and black fruit in summer attracts birds. Attractive pink new growth in winter. Hardy once established; ample water and nutrients will improve initial slow growth:

Attractocarpus chartaceus NARROW-LEAVED GARDENIA

Small attractive rainforest shrub 3+ metres. White perfumed star-shaped flowers May – August. Needs partial shade with adequate water. Fruit an orange-red berry attracts wildlife.

Auranticarpa rhombifolia DIAMOND PITTOSPORUM - WHITE HOLLY

Small to medium-sized rainforest tree to 6 metres. Dense creamy-white flower heads in spring. Orange-yellow pear-shaped capsules which attract birds. Prefers fertile moist soil; sun or part shade.

Austromyrtus dulcis MIDYIM

Low spreading shrub to 50cm, adaptable to most soils, dry or moist, sun or part shade. Masses of white flowers during spring and summer, followed by white, edible sweet berries; attractive reddish new growth.

Austromyrtus hillii SCALY MYRTLE

Rainforest shrub or small tree with colourful new growth 6 – 12 metres. Small white flowers in spring. Shiny black edible bird-attracting berries in autumn; sun or part shade; prefers a moist, well-drained site; fairly slow growth makes it suitable as a tub specimen.

Babingtonia similis TWIGGY MYRTLE (syn. *Baekkea virgata*)

Attractive shrub ±3m, prefers a moist well-drained site in a variety of soils. Branches tend to become arching with masses of flowers in spring and summer. Great screening shrub.

Baekkea frutescens WEeping BAECKEA

Weeping ornamental woody shrub to 2.5m; masses of small white flowers October to November; very hardy in average to well-drained soils in full sun; nectar source for bees and insects.

Baloskion tetraphyllum TASSEL CORDRUSH

Attractive perennial herb 80-100cm with bright green feathery erect stems; tassel-like brown to reddish flowerheads Oct to April. Excellent clumping plant for water areas, dam edges and beside ornamental ponds.

Banksia integrifolia COASTAL BANKSIA

Medium tree to 15m, hardy in a variety of soils, prefers good drainage. Ornamental yellow cylindrical flower spikes, bird and insect attracting.

Banksia robur SWAMP BANKSIA – BROAD-LEAVED BANKSIA

Low spreading decorative shrub 1 to 1.5 metres. Aquamarine flower spikes turning to greenish-yellow. Grows in poorly drained soil but also withstands drought conditions; prefers a sunny position.

Banksia spinulosa var. *collina* GOLDEN CANDLESTICKS - HAIRPIN BANKSIA

Small dense decorative shrub to 2.5 metres. Long, showy spikes of golden flowers in winter attracts birds and are used in flower arrangements. Hardy in most well-drained soil types, in a sunny open situation.

Brachychiton acerifolius FLAME TREE

Rainforest tree to 12m. Adaptable, fast growing with ample water, well-drained soil and adequate nutrients. Large glossy lobed leaves, semi-deciduous, masses of red bell-shaped flowers.

Callicarpa pedunculata VELVET LEAF

Small openly branched shrub 1-2m. Fast growing and reasonably hardy but dislikes extreme cold or exposure. Prune regularly to keep bushy shape. Attractive small purple fruit attract birds; useful screening shrub.

Callicoma serratifolia CALLICOMA — WHITE ALDER

Large ornamental rainforest shrub or small tree to 10 metres. Fluffy creamy-white flowers spring to summer. Hardy and adaptable in sun or shade; fast growing with ample water and some shelter; tolerates periodically waterlogged and poor soil. Good screening plant.

Callistemon pachyphyllus WALLUM BOTTLEBRUSH

Open shrub to 2m with large red or lime green bottlebrush flowers. Hardy and adapts to wet or dry sites, shape is improved by pruning after flowering. Attracts birds.

Callistemon salignis WEEPING WHITE BOTTLEBRUSH

Medium tree to 15m. Attractive pinkish new growth, prolific flowering, attracts birds. Tolerates moist sites, hardy in a variety of situations.

Callistemon viminalis WEEPING RED BOTTLEBRUSH

Small to medium tree 5-10m. Hardy and adaptable, prefers moist well drained soil, can be pruned to size. Weeping foliage, prolific red flowers in spring attract birds. Useful screen tree.

Callitrus columellaris BRIBIE ISLAND CYPRESS, COASTAL CYPRESS PINE

Medium to large conical tree to 20 metres. Attractive coppery, winged seeds. Moderately fast growing; hardy in a variety of situations; suits sandy well-drained soils; durable timber tree, termite resistant; cones attracts cockatoos, rosellas and galahs.

Castanospermum australe BLACK BEAN

Handsome tree with shiny leaves and brilliant flowers 15 -20m. Prefers rich, well drained soil with ample moisture but is very adaptable. Full sun and light frost is tolerated. 'Chestnut like' seed was a food source for Aborigines but only after extensive soaking, leaching and roasting to remove the toxic saponin.

Cinnamomum oliveri OLIVER'S SASSAFRAS

Large rainforest tree to 20 metres; scented leaves and fragrant timber. Good soil and ample water promotes growth in the early stages when it can be rather slow; shelter from frost and severe exposure is appreciated.

Citrus australis (syn. *Microcitrus australis*) ROUND LIME – GYMPIE LIME

Large dense shrub or small rainforest tree to 12m with prickly branches; fragrant white or pinkish flowers; fruit an edible green to greenish-yellow globular berry. Hardy and moderately frost tolerant but slow-growing, needs excellent drainage; prefers a sheltered position, rich soil and extra watering during dry periods.

Commersonia bartramia BROWN KURRAJONG

Hardy and fast growing pioneer rainforest species to 10m. Masses of white flowers in summer; pale trunk and the horizontally layered appearance of the foliage are very attractive; frost tender when young;

Cordyline petiolaris BROAD-LEAVED PALM LILY

Tall narrow palm lily 2-6 metres. Spikes of tiny purple flowers followed by edible red fruits. Hardy and adaptable in all soil types; best in semi-shade with ample moisture during dry spells; dislikes heavy frosts.

Corymbia citriodora SPOTTED GUM

Tall gum tree 10 – 40 metres. Cream flowers in groups on common stalk. Hardy on shallow stony soils on hills, ridges and mountain slopes. Flowers attract wildlife.

Corymbia intermedia BLOODWOOD

Medium tree to 10 metres with moderately dense canopy. White flowers in panicles December to May. Hardy in all soil types.

Cryptocarya glaucescens JACKWOOD

Rainforest tree to 25m. Hardy and fast growing, excellent creek revegetation species, black fruit attracts birds. Cabinet timber uses.

Cryptocarya laevigata GLOSSY LAUREL — GREY SASSAFRAS

Small handsome rainforest tree or large shrub ±6 metres. Bright red berries in autumn attract birds. Prefers shade, ample nutrients and moisture but will tolerate full sun.

Cupaniopsis parvifolia SMALL-LEAVED TUCKEROO

Small tree of dry vine scrubs to ± 6m. Hardy in drier sites, reasonably fast with a little care. Small panicles of white flowers followed by bird-attracting orange berries. Excellent shade tree.

Dianella brevipedunculata FLAX LILLY

Clumping grass-like plant to 1m. Small blue flowers in tangled spikes within the foliage in spring followed by dark blue fruits.

Dianella caerulea BLUE FLAX LILY

Clumping grass-like plant with blue flowers and blue berries. Grows in shade or partial sun. Hardy in most soils with adequate moisture.

Diploglottis australis NATIVE TAMARIND

Rainforest tree to 10m. Prefers moist, sheltered site in sun or part shade, frequent watering and regular fertiliser speeds growth. Attractive tub plant. Edible but sour fruit attracts birds and bats.

Dissiliaria baloghioides HAUER

Medium to large rainforest tree ± 20m. Slow growing, needs protection when young, favours well-drained soil. Brown hairy flowers in autumn and woody capsules in spring. Excellent shade tree.

Dodonea triquetra NATIVE HOP BUSH

Shrub of open forest to 2m. Hardy and fast growing; suitable for moist or dry area. Clusters of papery - winged, lime green seed capsules turn purple with age; seeds are a food source for the Pale Headed Rosella.

Dodonea viscosa STICKY HOP BUSH - GIANT HOP BUSH

Small evergreen shrub to 4 metres. Papery green fruit capsules ripen to a light brown. Very fast growing and hardy in sun or part shade in a well drained position. The pale-headed rosellas love its fruit.

Dysoxylum rufum HAIRY BEAN — RUSTY MAHOGANY — AUSTRALIAN MAHOGANY

Medium rainforest tree ± 10 metres. White tubular flowers in summer followed by bunches of hairy golden fruit. Fast-growing, hardy and adaptable; handsome canopy; excellent regeneration tree.

Elaeocarpus grandis BLUE QUANDONG

Large buttressed rainforest tree to 40m or more. Very fast growing; tolerates a range of situations but prefers ample moisture. Withstands full sun but only a light frost. White bell flowers and large clusters of deep blue fruit which attracts birds and wildlife. Excellent for revegetation and cabinet timber.

Eustrephus latifolius WOMBAT BERRY

Twinning climber to 1 metre. Pink or white with white-fringed curled hairs. Orange berries in late winter to early spring. Hardy in sun or full shade in well drained soils.

Eucalyptus acmenoides WHITE MAHOGANY

Tall tree to 35m suited to well-drained loam or clay soils in most coastal regions where there is little frost. Excellent timber tree, suitable for shade, ornamental and windbreak planting.

Eucalyptus cloeziana GYMPIE MESSMATE

To 35m, very popular timber species. Grows very rapidly on rich coastal soils but will also make satisfactory growth on dry stony ridges. Good bee tree.

Eucalyptus grandis FLOODED GUM 'Koala Food Tree'

Very tall tree of open forest and rainforest to 60m, valuable timber species. Prefers fertile soils and adequate moisture. Drops large limbs in wind/storms.

Eucalyptus microcorys TALLOW WOOD 'Koala Food Tree'

To 50m; very important timber species and valuable honey producer. Prefers warm temperate to subtropical climate but will also tolerate frosts and snow.

Eucalyptus pilularis BLACKBUTT 'Koala Food Tree'

Very tall tree of open forest to 50m, one of the most important hardwoods. Fast growing, prefers rich, moist, coastal soils but will grow on poorer soils of good depth. Good honey producer.

Eucalyptus propinqua GREY GUM 'Koala Food Tree'

Tall tree of open forest to 40m. When the bark is shed in summer it leaves bright orange patches beneath. Prefers well drained slopes and ridges in loams or clays.

Eucalyptus resinifera RED MAHOGANY 'Koala Food Tree'

To 35m, fine quality timber. Does best on sandy, well drained loams but will grow on shallow stony soils if rainfall is adequate.

Eucalyptus robusta SWAMP MAHOGANY 'Koala Food Tree'

Tree of wallum areas to 25m. Heavy and durable timber. Suitable for coastal areas, particularly wet sites and heavy clay soils.

Eucalyptus tereticornis FOREST RED GUM – QLD BLUE GUM 'Koala Food Tree'

To 40m; valuable timber tree and honey producer. Smooth, sometimes shiny trunk; species of the moist soils, usually found on the alluvial flats adjacent to watercourses.

Ficus macrophylla MORETON BAY FIG

Handsome spreading shade and feature tree 15 – 35m with buttressed trunk; edible bird-attracting fruit ripening throughout the year; hardy in most soils and locations; suitable for coastal conditions; moderately frost tolerant. Makes a handsome tub plant and is an excellent bonsai specimen.

Ficus rubignosa ROCK FIG – RUSTY FIG – PORT JACKSON FIG

Small rainforest tree ± 15 metres. Red figs ripen throughout the year attract birds. Very hardy in various conditions; sun or partial shade.

Ficus virens WHITE FIG – BANYAN

Large strangling fig from northern Australia, develops many trunks which descend from upper branches; semi-deciduous, fast growing. White fruit attracts birds and other wildlife; suitable for large gardens or revegetation.

Flindersia australis CROWS ASH

Rainforest tree to 30m. Dense crown makes good shade tree. Hardy in a variety of situations with good drainage, can be slow growing at first. Partly deciduous when flowering, masses of white flowers and ornamental woody seed capsules. Excellent cabinet timber.

Flindersia bennettiana BENNETT'S ASH

Tall handsome rainforest tree to 40 metres, usually much smaller. Heavy panicles of small white flowers in the cooler months. Large green fruit capsules: Adapted to sandy, basaltic or acid volcanic soils, requires free drainage; fast growing once established.

Flindersia schottiana BUMPY ASH – CUDGERIE

Rainforest tree to 40m, useful cabinet timber. Hardy and fast growing in most conditions. Scented white flowers, interesting seed pods. Excellent pioneer and shade tree.

Gmelina leichhardtii WHITE BEECH

Rainforest tree to 20m, valuable timber species. and moderately fast growing, briefly deciduous. Attractive bluish-purple fruit in summer. Excellent in tub when young.

Hardenbergia violacea NATIVE SARSAPARILLA – FALSE SARSAPARILLA

Small scrambling prostrate or erect vine to 2m; bright purple pea flowers mostly in spring; hardy in a range of soil types; light shade to full sun; a light climber perfect for training up pergolas or fences; good ground cover.

Harpullia hillii BLUNT-LEAVED TULIP

Small to medium rainforest tree to 10m. Can be slow growing, requires ample moisture and nutrients to do well. Attractive shape, bright yellow fruit in abundance.

Harpullia pendula TULIPWOOD

Attractive rainforest revegetating tree to 15m; useful cabinet timber. Hardy and adaptable. Ample moisture and nutrients, and protection from frost, promotes early growth. Ornamental orange seed cases.

Hibbertia scandens SNAKE VINE — CLIMBING GUINEA FLOWER

Vigorous climbing or trailing vine of coastal areas. With no support it forms a dense ground cover; large yellow flowers produced regularly throughout most of the year. Hardy and fast-growing in almost any conditions except extreme cold.

Hibiscus 'Barambah Creek' BARAMBAH CREEK HIBISCUS

Small spreading shrub ±3 metres. Large solitary bright pink flowers in spring. Hardy and fast growing in sun or shade though best flowering results from full sun position. Attractive soft grey foliage. Branches non-prickles.

Hovea acutifolia HOVEA

Bushy shrub of rainforest margins to 2m. Prefers moist semi-shaded areas but tolerates full sun and drier conditions. Masses of dark purple pea flowers along branches in spring.

Hoya australis WAX FLOWER

Beautiful climber with fleshy leaves and white waxy flowers during late autumn and winter. Extremely hardy in dry and exposed conditions; sun or shade; thin white sap is poisonous and is known to kill browsing stock.

Hymenosporum flavum NATIVE FRANGIPANNI

Large shrub to small rainforest tree 5-15m. Hardy and fast growing in a wide range of situations. Attractive perfumed white-yellow flowers in spring. Prune for a more compact plant.

Jagera pseudorhus FOAMBARK

Rainforest tree to 12, usually 4-6m, with attractive ferny foliage. Hardy pioneer tree or ornamental tub plant. Maroon fruit changes to yellow-brown and has fine penetrating hairs which can irritate the skin; tolerates full sun and mild frost.

Lepironia articulata GREY SEDGE

Perennial clumping sedge to 2 metres. Reddish-brown flower head. Grown at swamp or water's edge. The grey teal duck feeds from the seeds. An important sedge for re-vegetation purposes.

Leptospermum brachyandrum TEA TREE

Tall, open shrub to 4 metres; Small white flowers spring and early summer; hardy and adaptable; shade or full sun; suitable for both moist and well-drained areas. The colourful trunk a most attractive feature.

Leptospermum polygalifolium WILD MAY

Shrub of dry heath and open forest to 3m. Adaptable and hardy, masses of white flowers in spring. Prune after flowering to keep bushy. Suitable as a screen or windbreak.

Litsea leefeana BROWN BOLLY GUM – BOLLYWOOD

A small rainforest tree 15-20m; purple/black fruit attracts birds; hardy and fast growing in most well-drained soil types; prefers full sun to semi-shade; large ornamental leaves with attractive new growth; butterfly attracting.

Lomandra longifolia MAT RUSH

Grows in clumps to 1m. Hardy and adaptable, suits wet or dry areas, as creek/dam stabilisation or garden feature. Pale yellow perfumed flower spikes.

Lomandra hystrix MAT RUSH

Grows in clumps to 1m. Hardy and adaptable, suits wet or dry areas, as creek/dam stabilisation or garden feature. Pale yellow perfumed flower spikes. Very difficult to distinguish from the widespread *L. longifolia*.

Lophostemon confertus BRUSH BOX

Tall tree of rainforest and open forest to 35m. Hardy, adaptable and fast growing dense attractive canopy; suits open situations. Excellent for revegetation and timber.

Mallotus mollissimus SOFT KAMALA

Small rainforest tree to 12m. Small yellow-green male or female flowers. Fruit are three-lobed capsules, hairy and grey-brown. Hardy and adaptable.

Melaleuca bracteata BLACK TEA-TREE

Large shrub to large tree 7-20m, hardy and fast growing with adequate moisture. White bottlebrush flowers in spring and summer attract birds. Regular pruning promotes bushiness.

Melaleuca cheelii PAPERBARK

Endangered wallum shrub ± 3 metres; small white flowers spring and summer; fine-leaves and attractive new foliage, orangy/pink colour; excellent for wet and badly drained areas; blossoms and leaves attracts wildlife.

Melaleuca quinquenervia PAPERBARK

Swamp/wallum tree to 20m. Hardy and frost tolerant; excellent for wet sites. Whitish papery trunk with corky bark; masses of cream bottlebrush flowers attract wildlife.

Melaleuca linariifolia NARROW-LEAF PAPERBARK — SNOW-IN-SUMMER

Attractive tall shrub or small to medium tree 2– 10m. Masses of fluffy white flowers throughout the year. Suits most situations with ample moisture; tolerates inundation; valuable ornamental and creek-stabilization shrub.

Melaleuca nodosa PRICKLY-LEAVED PAPERBARK

Small shrub to 3m. Small white or yellow flowers in spring and summer. Hardy and adaptable in a variety of soils from sandy to clay; tolerant of salt spray; provides an excellent hiding place for small vulnerable tree frogs, the leaves being an excellent deterrent for predatory birds

Melastoma affine BLUE TONGUE

Small shrub of wallum or swampy areas to 2m. Attractive pink/mauve flowers in spring. Edible fruit attracts birds. Prefers wet areas or ample watering.

Melia azederach WHITE CEDAR — PERSIAN LILAC

Small graceful rainforest tree to 10 metres. Fragrant lilac flowers in spring, fern-like foliage. Fruit are ornamental bird-attracting, yellow berries. Fast growing in a variety of soils and conditions.

Melicope elleryana PINK EUODIA

Rainforest tree to 10m. Hardy and fast growing. Pioneer species for moist areas or creek banks, tolerates drier sites. Attractive clusters of pink flowers along branches. Black seeds attract birds.

Mischarytera lautereriana (syn. *Arytera lautereriana*) CORDUROY TAMARIND

Medium sized bushy rainforest tree with handsome ferny foliage 5 to 10m. Large sprays of small cream flowers autumn to spring; new growth red; prefers well drained soil, rich in organic matter; best in part shade.

Neolitsea dealbata WHITE BOLLY GUM

Rainforest tree to 10m, often less as an understorey shrub. Attractive soft new growth; prefers some moisture and protection when young; prune to encourage bushiness. Fruit attracts birds.

Oxylobium robustum GOLDEN SHAGGY PEA

Tall bushy shrub to 3 metres. Masses of orange flowers in spring. Hardy and adaptable for native gardens as an understorey shrub.

Petalostigma triloculare QUININE BERRY

Shrub or small open forest tree to 5m. Extremely hardy and adaptable; full sun or part shade. Decorative orange/red fruit, non-edible; great subject for decorative screening in poor soils where other plants may fail

Pittosporum multiflorum (syn *Citriobatus pauciflorus*) ORANGE THORN

Rainforest understorey shrub to 2 metres. Tiny white flowers; ornamental orange berries. Thin leaves and branches with needle-like spines provide safe nesting sites for small birds; new growth is often a dark red.

Pittosporum revolutum YELLOW PITTOSPORUM – BRISBANE LAUREL – HAIRY PITTOSPORUM

Sparsely branched but densely foliaged shrub 1 – 4m; pale yellow, fragrant tubular flowers in spring; fruit an orange-yellow capsule with decorative red seeds. Very hardy; good screening specimen; bird attracting.

Planchonella australis (syn. *Pouteria australis*) BLACK APPLE

Medium to tall rainforest tree 15+ m. Sweet and tasty large blue-black fruit; extra water and fertilizer will help to overcome initial slow growth. Excellent cabinet timber tree; possibilities as a commercial bush food crop.

Podocarpus elatus BROWN PINE

Attractive rainforest tree 10-20m. Hardy in a variety of situations; can be slow growing at first. Plum-like edible fruit suitable for jams and jellies; fruit attracts birds. Cabinet timber uses.

Pultenea retusa EGGS AND BACON

Small shrub 1 metres high. Attractive bright orange-yellow pea flowers with red lower petals occur during winter & spring. Prefers moist situations in sun or in partial shade.

Rhodamnia acuminata COOLOOLA IRONWOOD

Small rainforest tree to 5m. Attractive foliage, white flowers and black fruit. Adapts to a variety of sites and soils; attracts birds.

Rhodamnia rubescens SCRUB TURPENTINE — SCRUB STRINGYBARK

Small rainforest tree 6— 10m. Fragrant white flowers in spring. Small red fruit maturing to black, attracts birds. Hardy and dependable in a large range of soil types, situations and temperatures.

Rhodosphaera rhodantha DEEP YELLOW WOOD

Attractive rainforest tree to 20m; valuable timber species. Hardy and fast growing under neglect. Large clusters of red and pink flowers attract birds. Suitable container plant.

Sloanea australis MAIDEN'S BLUSH – BLUSH ALDER

Small to medium tree to 15 + m. Creamy-white flowers in spring; fruit a decorative bird-attracting yellowish-brown capsule; beautiful pink young toothed leaves; prefers a moist, shady sheltered situation; will not tolerate drying out; can be grown as a tub specimen.

Syncarpia glomulifera TURPENTINE

Tall hardwood tree to ± 25m. Fluffy white bird-attracting flowers in spring; distinctive woody fruit capsules; hardy and fast growing for shade or timber; adaptable to a variety of sites. Useful as a windbreak.

Syncarpia hillii SATINAY – FRASER ISLAND TURPENTINE – PIBIN

An attractive tall hardwood forest tree to 50 metres. Hardy and fast growing; appears only on Fraser Is. and adjacent Cooloolo National Park. A versatile timber tree used for flooring, heavy furniture, tool handles etc.

Syzygium luehmannii RIBERRY

Beautiful small rainforest tree 5 – 10m. Popular bushtucker tree with fluffy cream-white flowers and masses of edible magenta fruit in early summer; hardy and adaptable; attractive weeping foliage and outstandingly beautiful pink-red new growth. Can be pruned to keep low; excellent screen species.

Syzygium oleosum BLUE LILLY PILLY

Attractive rainforest tree ±8m. Dense dark green glossy foliage and distinctive, edible, pleasant-tasting purple/blue fruit make this a desirable species for bush-tucker gardens. Fast growing; prefers some moisture to do well in a variety of soils; great screen or windbreak tree.

Tabernaemontana pandacaqui BANANA BUSH (*syn Ervatamia angustisepala*)

A dark leaved open shrub ± 2 metres related to the Oleander. White windmill-shaped flowers are followed by pretty, but inedible yellow banana-like fruit; hardy but prefers filtered light; sometimes defoliated by caterpillars.

Toona ciliata RED CEDAR

Well-known rainforest cabinet timber tree ± 20 metres. Tiny white flowers in spring; fast growing with attractive foliage and pink new growth; easily grown if given adequate moisture, fertilizer and shelter from frost in the first two years; young trees may suffer badly from attack by Cedar Tip Moth. Makes a tall handsome shade tree.

Tristaniopsis laurina WATER GUM

Beautiful rainforest, timber, or shade tree 5 – 10m or more. Yellow flowers and attractive glossy-green leaves with attractive red/bronze new growth; hardy, suitable for wet or dry sites; sun or part shade; creek/riparian species; excellent screen plant.

Viola betonicifolia (ssp. *betonicifolia*) PURPLE VIOLET

Erect tufting perennial herb to 12cm; prolific violet flowers winter spring and summer; hardy in a variety of situations from understorey to open paddock situations; makes a great rockery specimen.

Viola hederacea NATIVE VIOLET

Perennial creeping herb; small white and violet edible flowers most of the year. Likes a moist well drained spot, full or part shade; tolerates sun but not dry conditions. Makes a beautiful groundcover.

Waterhousea floribunda WEEPING LILLY-PILLY

Small to medium graceful rainforest tree 10+ m. Drooping foliage makes an attractive shade tree; small fluffy white flowers in spring; summer fruit a greenish-white berry; needs well drained soil with adequate moisture.

Westringia species NATIVE ROSEMARY

Small spreading shrub 1.5m. Lilac flowers throughout the year; fine grey-green foliage. Extremely hardy, drought tolerant and quick growing; full sun preferred for compact growth. Excellent subject for shrubberies.