## Native Fauna

From beautiful butterflies and dragonflies, interesting ants with symbiotic relationships with local flora and larger insects, quirky frogs and lizards, mammals and monotremes we have quite a bit of fauna residing at Kiambram along with our birdlife. Follow our social media to see when they are out and about.

A few of our favourite animals and their antics are:

The hatching of Caper White Butterflies from their Native Orange host trees. The spectacular swarming goes on for days and is mesmerising. The carpeting of wet lawns with Tiger Blue Butterflies when they are prevalent. Microbats darting in the evening air.



Being held up cleaning troughs by Striped Marsh Frogs foamy nests of eggs under the overhanging grass.

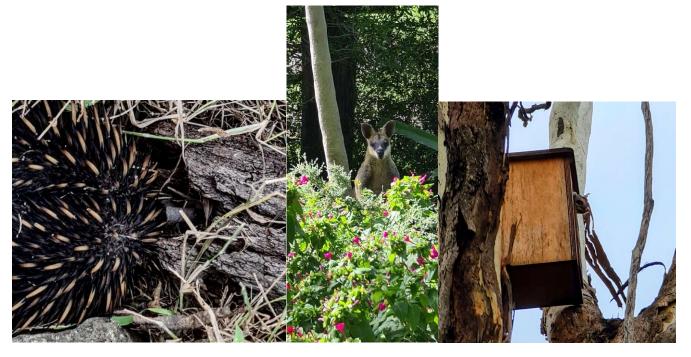


Finding a family of baby Cunningham Skinks. Or seeing a seeing a photobombing bearded dragon. A Blue Tongue Lizard eating wild mushrooms. You may spot our native Velvet Geckos or the occasional Green Tree Snake as well, which is very pretty but shy and darts away so be quick with your camera.

## SOME ANIMALS YOU MAY SEE AT KIAMBRAM COUNTRY COTTAGES



Being peeked at by our monotreme, the Echidna or spied on by a wallaby in the garden. This one is a Swamp Wallaby; our Red Necks are quieter, and the mothers will let their joeys out to graze within about 10 metres of humans all being quiet and calm around them. We've also spied native mice and bandicoots.



Having our resident possums at Coolibah Cabin check us out before they scurry out along the branches and down the lower canopy to the ground. Interesting facts on these and other animals expected to be found in the broader Condamine catchment can be researched on https://www.museum.qld.gov.au/learn-and-discover/animals-of-queensland/ & https://wetlandinfo.des.qld.gov.au/wetlands/facts-maps/wildlife/?AreaID=sub-basin-condamine-river&Kingdom=animals&SpeciesFilter=Native