



The *Mareeba Wetland Foundation* was established in 1996, to create and manage the Mareeba Tropical Savanna and Wetland Reserve for conservation, recreation and education. In 2006 it became the *Wildlife Conservancy of Tropical Queensland* to represent the wider regional role of the organisation, and to form an alliance with several other wildlife and conservation organisations in the region, including FNQ Wildlife Rescue, Tolga Bat Hospital and the Tree Kangaroo and Mammal Group.

The 2000 hectare Mareeba Wetlands Reserve has won several awards including the prestigious Wildlife Preservation Society of Australia's national conservation award for 2005.

The Visitor Centre lies in the heart of the Reserve, just a few kilometres north of Mareeba and is easily accessible to conventional vehicles via Pickford Road, Biboohra. Guided boat tours, canoe hire, and interpretive walks are conducted from the Visitor Centre, along with guided Twilight Safaris. Overnight accommodation is available in Jabiru Safari Camp. The Conservancy directs any income from sustainable tourism into managing the Reserve, as well as valuable conservation and education programmes.

The Reserve is open April to December/January (subject to accessibility) from Wednesday to Sunday (10:00am to 4:00pm),

however, Twilight Safari and Jabiru Camp guests can enjoy the Reserve outside of these hours.

Membership of the Wildlife Conservancy of Tropical Queensland is open to all, and the Conservancy encourages and welcomes active participation for all its members. All members receive a copy of *Jabiru*, either via email or post. On presentation of their membership card, Members will enjoy free access to the Reserve, and 10% discount on activities, canoe hire and merchandise.

The annual membership fee is \$25 for individuals, \$35 for overseas members, \$44 for joint membership (i.e. two people living at the same address) \$55 for families and \$85 for Friends of the Wetlands. Corporate sponsorships are by arrangement. Fees become due in January of each year, but members joining after 1st September each year will automatically carry over membership to the following year. To join, simply complete the section of the form below, and return it with the correct fee to:

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Thank you for your support

✂ Please write clearly -----

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<i>*for Family or joint Membership</i>																			
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