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Act Wild is Zoos Victorias new Action packed website and mobile App. Learn more about some of our iconic animals and the simple actions we can all do to directly benefit the species in the wild.

Features include:

- exclusive images, videos, sounds & fun facts
- zookeeper blog
- student forum
- events calendar to enable you to get grubby by joining local conservation events.
- Monthly web-conferences through Elluminate

All key functionality will be accessible through website or on mobile devices.

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Mary, Common Wombat, Melbourne Zoo



Actions...

How can you help the [wombat](#)?

Buy Recycled Toilet paper and Wipe for Wildlife.

[Act Now for the Wombat](#)

Latest Activity

[Rick Hammond, Zoos Victoria](#) has just posted a new [blog post](#)

[Giselle](#) became a registered member 21 hours ago

[Emily Dunstan, Zoos Victoria](#) posted a new [blog post](#) 1 day ago

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[Yvette](#) posted a new [comment](#) 2 days ago

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Wild Facts:

Wombats can out dig a human with a shovel.

Wombats have a backwards facing pouch which helps keep the dirt out.

They can run 100 metres in under 10 seconds!

Zoo Feeds:

[Helping Wildlife in Cambodia](#) (10 views, 0 comments)

[Act Wild for Wombats next week!](#) (37 views, 0 comments)

[A pretty sweet deal for Mali + Co.](#) (40 views, 0 comments)

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Zebra



Growling
Grass Frog



Western
Lowlands
Gorilla



Sumatran
Tiger

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Write, phone or e-mail the manufacturers of your favourite foods and ask if their products contain palm oil.

Act Now for the Tiger

What else can you do?

- **Choose** foods that are palm oil free or contain sustainably produced palm oil.
- **Write** to your local Member of Parliament and let them know what your stance is on palm oil labelling.
- **Create** your own [Don't Palm Us Off](#) mashup and spread the word.

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Binjai, Melbourne Zoo



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Orange-bellied Parrot Surveys

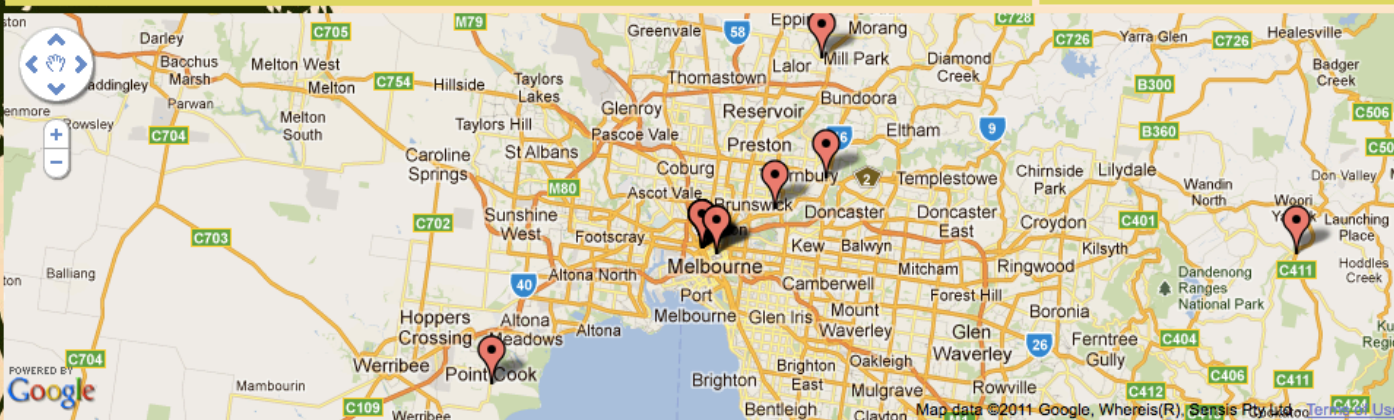
This event takes place at the Werribee Western Treatment Plant and Cheetham Wetlands.

Starts: 23/07/2011
Location: Point Cook
Organisation: Birds Australia

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July 2011

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July 26, 2011

Act Wild Web Conference: Wombat

This month our focus is the much loved Wombat. This is your chance to virtually meet our resident wombats at Melbourne Zoo and find out more about this unique Australian.

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July 29, 2011

Plant a Home for a Helmeted Honeyeater

Help out the Friends of the Helmeted Honeyeater by planting native trees!

[Find Out More](#)

July 31, 2011

National Tree Day

Take part in a national effort to plant trees and do your bit for the environment!

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Helping Wildlife in Cambodia (11 views)



The Cardamon Mountains in Cambodia are home to at least 82 globally threatened animal species.

Last year Zoos Victoria sent \$20,000 to Flora & Fauna International in Cambodia to help combat illegal poaching and logging in the Cardamon Mountains.

Our funding enabled them to employ and train 4 new rangers, install 2 permanent road check-points and develop community education programs.

A year on there has been some real results including:

- A 58% increase in the number of wildlife snares removed from the forest
- More than 200% increase in the volume of high quality logs confiscated.
- Closure of many illegal small access tracks into the Phnom Samkos

Act Wild for Wombats next week! (38 views)

Do you love animals and want to find out how you can save them from becoming endangered?

Well, Zoos Victoria is holding a special event where you can virtually meet Melbourne Zoo's very own cheeky wombats. This is a great opportunity for all you Aussie animal lovers, as you get to find out more about this little Australian friend.

Students can also ask questions and talk to zoo experts, keepers and plant specialists from Greening Australia – all LIVE! You can join in on a wild quiz and learn how you can save wombats and other native animals just by using recycled paper.



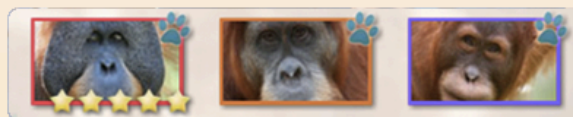
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now!****Your actions can help save wildlife!****Challenge Question:**

How Do Our Cleaning Habits Affect The Platypus?

[Forum](#)[Reply](#)**Get Grubby**

Want to take on a real world challenge that makes a big difference to conservation and wildlife?

You could build a nestbox for native animals or create a garden to attract a whole host of wildlife. Go on [Get Grubby!](#)

Get Creative

Flex your skills as a budding film-maker, star in your own Wipe for Wildlife video or download ringtones and wallpapers.

It's time to [Get Creative!](#)

Vids

Sit back, relax and enjoy the Act Wild [Video Gallery](#).

Chock full of planting guides produced by Greening Australia and videos from Melbourne Zoo, Healesville Sanctuary and Werribee Open Range Zoo. Popcorn is optional!

Wild Activists

Get inspired by young conservation leaders in our schools and in our communities.

Hear what others are doing to be heard and check out our favourite [Wild Activists](#).

Pics**Q & A**



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Help the Frog. Act Now!





Action:

**Use phosphate-free
detergent** when you clean
your dishes. Easy!

You have already done this action!
What else can you do?

[Tell me more](#)

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13 people have helped so far.

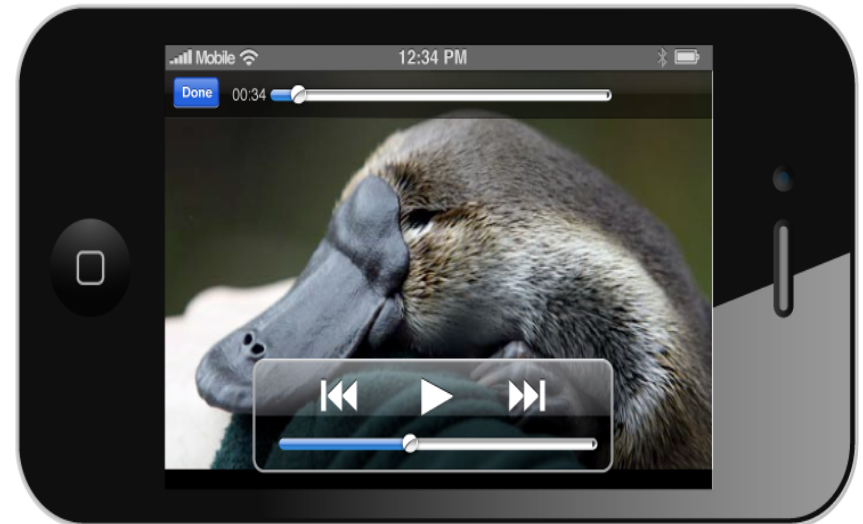
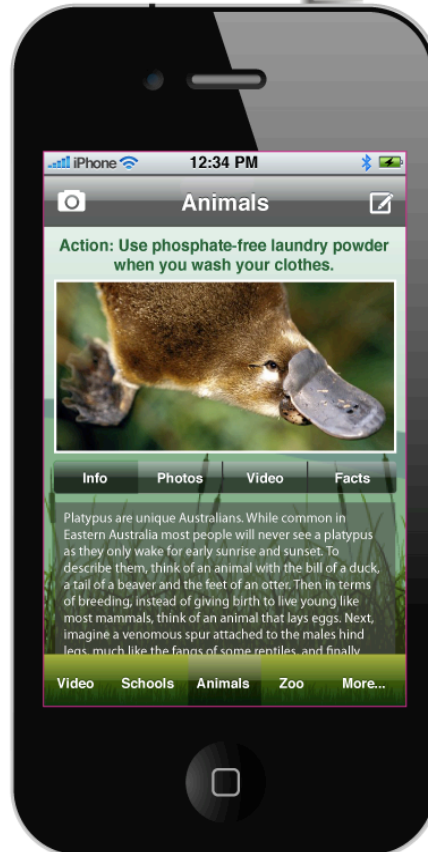
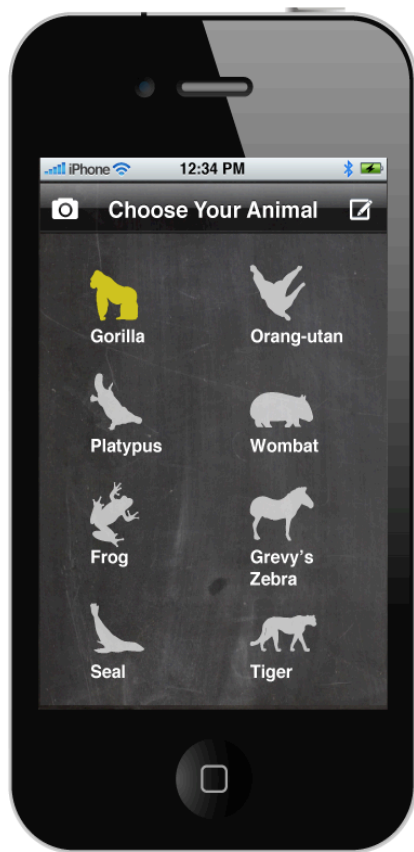
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