

## *Platinum Gecko Recipient 2010*

Lois Levy

For her tireless leadership over the past 21 years, inspiring all who know her with her enthusiasm, dedication and persistence. She is a true environmentalist, loyal to the movement and a champion of justice and fair play.

## *Gold Gecko Recipients 2010*

Richard Anderson

For his inspirational commitment and leadership in bush restoration in the Nerang area.

BeachCare

In recognition of long term commitment to the care and restoration of Gold Coast beaches and community education of beach care.

Mark Bibby

For commitment to the conservation of the Gold Coast's natural environment through leadership and engagement with community organizations.

Bob Durance

For initiative and commitment to the restoration of the natural environment with North East Albert Landcare through fostering cooperative relationships with industry and community members.

Hazel and Stan Engdahl

In recognition of their outstanding dedication to the preservation of Federation Walk Coastal Reserve in the past 10 years.

Sonia Laws

For dedicated work over many years in the preservation and propagation of rare rainforest species at Springbrook and ongoing support of Wildcare in the conservation of native fauna.

Sharon Quinlan

For her outstanding contribution and commitment to Bat Rescue Gold Coast.

Karen Scott

For dedication and commitment to the care of injured wildlife and the organisation of Wildcare over the past 10 years.

South Stradbroke Island Manager and Rangers

In recognition of voluntary rangers contribution to the study and conservation of South Stradbroke Island's endangered loggerhead turtles and other species.

Chris Tarbuck

For long term commitment to the management of Gecko's resource library and reliable reception duties creating a welcoming ambience in Gecko.

Ruth Thompson

In recognition of her long term committed advocacy to the conservation of the natural environment, particularly in the north of the Gold Coast.

## *Silver Gecko Recipients 2010*

John Burns	For his general commitment to conservation and sustainable living demonstrated in a year long campaign to protect remnant bushland at Ashmore from inappropriate development.
Judith and Ted de Boer	For their general commitment to conservation and sustainable living demonstrated in a year long campaign to protect remnant bushland at Ashmore from inappropriate development.
Gold Coast Catchment Association	For consistent support of Community groups and individuals doing on-ground actions through ecological restoration and catchment management work on the Gold Coast.
Richard Hil	For his service to the Management Committee in 2009-2010. For the initiation of and involvement in The Healthy Planet 12th Hour Workshops 2010 and the establishment of the Institute for Climate Emergency.
Tina and Alex Hunter	For their initiative and enthusiasm in protecting and enhancing the natural environment of the Crane Creek system.
Barbara Knight	For her dedication, passion and commitment to the environment both in her private life and through her much-valued volunteering with various Beach Care Groups on the Gold Coast.
Glenn Normand	For his valued leadership and coordination of Platypus watch on the Gold Coast contributing to the protection of platypus habitat.
Maree Wallace	For her commitment to the David Fleay Wildlife Centre and her role in Friends of Fleays.
Hannah Wayne	For commitment to the regeneration of Salt Water Creek in the conjunction with Gold Coast Catchment Association, design of humane species catching traps for scientific study and for her overall environmental commitment demonstrated at school, university and during the Save Our Spit campaign.
Rod Weir	For committed service in the recruitment of volunteers to Gecko, initiative and untiring efforts in the organisation of the Healthy Planet 12th Hour workshops 2010 and the establishment of the Institute of Climate Emergency.

## Certificate of Appreciation Recipients 2010

Sarah Bell	In recognitions of her contribution to the conservation of native fauna of South Stradbroke Island through squirrel glider research in 2009.
Todd Burrows	For his enthusiastic leadership and support of conservation work on South Stradbroke Island.
Seb Clarke	For his passion and dedication for the environment through countless volunteering hours and commitments with BeachCare, Wildcare and Platypus Watch.
Brian Colwell	For his outstanding contribution to creating awareness of environmental sustainability in the home, workplace and general community.
Sian Evans	For valued and reliable assistance in coordinating Gecko's newsletter advertising and guest speaker nights throughout the past year.
Darren Herse	For his commitment to his role as assistant bookkeeper and caring attitude to staff and volunteers.
Highland Reserve State School	For the students' contribution of sustainable living at the school, community awareness raising and support of the Coomera Catchment group.
Di James	For invaluable assistance in the coordination of Gecko's monthly e-newsletter throughout the year.
Margot James	In recognition of her leadership and initiative in sustainability in the establishment of Southern Beaches Community Garden.
Julie Nieport	For her outstanding effort and enthusiasm in creating masquerade masks for the Wildlife Wingding in November 2010.
Khiani Rooke	For her enthusiasm, dedication and the countless volunteering hours in organising the Little Green Dress ecofashion competition at the 2010 Green Day Out festival.
Jeremy Simpson	For outstanding contribution to the design and layout of Gecko's website and newsletter throughout the year.
Southern Beaches Community Garden	In recognition of their contribution to sustainability and community awareness raising through the establishment and support of the Southern Beaches Community Garden.
Nicole Thomsen	For her time, commitment and input in making the 2010 Green Day Out festival an overall success and for all her effort and dedication in coordinating the exhibitors at the festival.