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Guest Speaker

Karen Scott

Wildcare Australia Inc.

Caring for Native Wildlife

South-East Queensland (SEQ), in particular the Gold Coast, is home to a diverse range of native Australian fauna. However, rampant population growth and the subsequent clearing of huge amounts of land for development has led to destruction of their habitats, which has affected the safety of our wildlife immensely.

Every year countless sick, injured and orphaned native wildlife need to be rescued and undergo rehabilitation in order to return to their natural habitat.

Wildcare Australia Inc. is a long established not-for-profit organisation situated in SEQ that is dedicated to caring for native wildlife.

The president of Wildcare Australia, Karen Scott, has been a wildlife carer for ten years and will discuss reasons why animals need rescuing, what to do if an injured or sick animal is found, and what being a volunteer wildlife carer is all about.

Come along and find out more about the wildlife native to South-East Queensland and how you can help keep them safe.

Wednesday 26th May, 2010
6.30-8pm

Gecko House
139 Duringan St, Currumbin

All are welcome to this free* presentation

* A gold coin donation is requested per glass of wine and nibbles

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