



Echidna Walkabout **MEDIA KIT**

wild koala "Emma" in the You Yangs
Pic by Paul Rushworth





wild koalas Kiki & Mimi in the You Yangs.
Pic by Allan Bartholomew

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Echidna Walkabout

1993: Founded by Janine Duffy & Roger Smith

1998: Wild Koala Research Program begins

2014: Won World Responsible Travel Award
"Best for Wildlife Conservation"

2015: Founded Koala Clancy Foundation, Inc.

2016: Founded Australian Wildlife Journeys

2020: Spokesperson for Australia, Lonely
Planet Award "Best Community Restoration"

2021: Founded Conservation Travel Australia



Echidna Walkabout BACKGROUND

Short-beaked Echidna in East Gippsland
Pic by Martin Maderthaner



Conservationist, koala field researcher,
wildlife guide, birder.



Co-owner & founder Echidna Walkabout
Nature Tours,
President Koala Clancy Foundation,
Vice Chair Australian Wildlife Journeys
Founder Wild Koala Day, May 3

Janine discovered how to identify individual koalas by their noses. Her long-term wild koala research has contributed to scientific publications.

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Founder Conservation Travel Australia,
Treasurer Koala Clancy Foundation

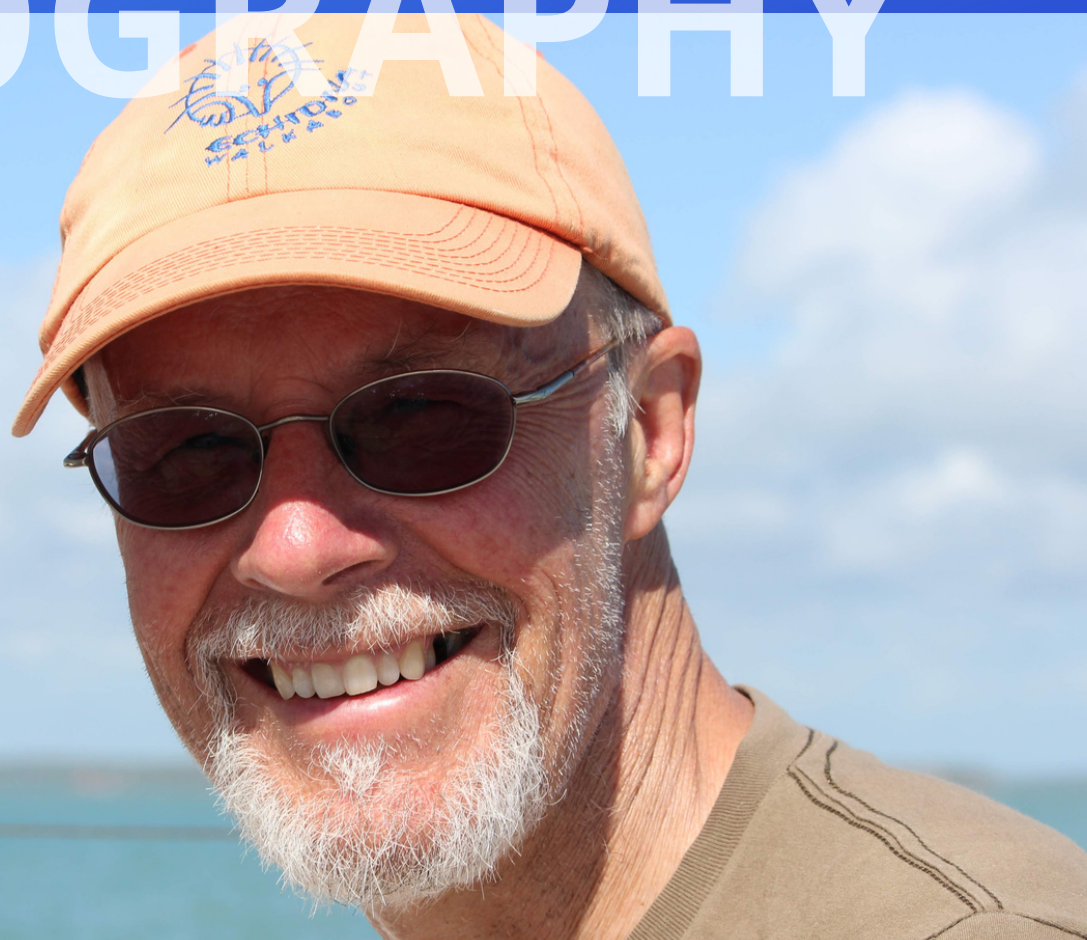
Roger stopped logging in the Otways, helped
create national parks in East Gippsland & halted a
sand mine in the You Yangs.

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Roger Smith

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Rainbow Bee-eater at Mt Korong
Pic by Janine Duffy

FACT SHEET

Conservation tours all over Australia

Mission-driven social enterprise

All tours have conservation action

All tours have wildlife focus IN THE WILD

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Conservation Travel Australia's purpose is to protect and enhance Australia's unique wildlife and natural areas by bringing people into those places who wish to understand, conserve, improve and help nature while they enjoy it.

CTA is an alliance that enables people to choose positive conservation action and responsible, sustainable tourism as their primary reason to travel.

We help people **act** to make the world a better place.

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Koala Clancy Foundation plants trees for koalas, creates new habitat, educates the local and wider community, supports scientific research and advocates for protection of wild koalas and their forest habitats.

Koala Clancy Foundation is an independent registered charity and not for profit organisation in Victoria, Australia.



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