

**Yallakool Reserve Plant List
July 1, 2009**

There are a small number of bush tucker species in this list that are not in the reserve, but are possibilities for other local sites, according to conditions, constraints or availability.

*** denotes a rare, threatened, vulnerable or endangered species**

****denotes a use which requires preparation skills, e.g. parts of the plant may be toxic.**

Genus	Species	Common Name	Family	Description: Food & traditional uses.
Acacia	aulacocarpa	brown salwood	Mimosaceae	wood used for clubs,boomerangs. medicinal, fish poison
Acacia	melanoxylon	sallywattle	Mimosaceae	fish poison,medicinal* edible gum
Acmena	smithii	lillypilly	Myrtaceae	edible fruit
Acmena	hemilampra	broad leaf lillypilly	Myrtaceae	
Acronychia	imperforate	coastal acronychia	Rutaceae	edible fruit
Adiantum	hispidulum	maidenhair fern	Adiantaceae	
Alocasia	brisbanensis	cunjevoi	Araceae	medicine,food**
Aphananthe	philippinsis	rough leaf elm	Ulmaceae	
Alpinia	caerulea	blue ginger	Zingeraceae	edible fruit, rhizome edible,medicinal
Alphitonia	excelsa	red ash	Rhamnaceae	edible **,soap
Alphitonia	petrie	pink ash	Rhamnaceae	
Alyxia	ruscifolia	prickly alyxia	Apocynaceae	
Archontophoenix	cunninghamiana	bungalow palm	Arecaceae	edible heart, leaf sheaves made into baskets,scoops,rain capes.fertility tree.**fruits used as marbles
Asplenium	australasicum	bird's nest fern	Aspleniaceae	
Austromyrtus	dulcis	midyim	Myrtaceae	edible fruit/seeds
Austromyrtus	hilli	scaly myrtle	Myrtaceae	edible fruit/seeds
Backhousia	myrtifolia	black myrtle	Myrtaceae	wood for ax tools
Beilschmiedia	elliptica	grey walnut	Lauraceae	
Beilschmiedia	obtusifolia	blush walnut	Lauraceae	
Brachychiton	acerifolius	flame tree	Sterculiaceae	ed. seeds,innerbark used as rope, nets
Brachychiton	discolor	lacebark	Sterculiaceae	ed. roasted seeds
Breynia	oblongifolia	breynia	Euphorbiaceae	
Bridelia	exaltata	brush ironbark	Euphorbiaceae	edible raw fruit
Canthium	coprosmioides	large-leaf canthium	Rubiaceae	edible raw fruit

Capparis Carrisa Castanospermum	arborea ovata australe	caper bush current bush black bean	Capparaceae Apocynaceae Fabaceae	edible fruit edible fruit medicinal, flour made from beans**
Casurina Celtis	glauca paniculata	swamp she-oak native celtis	Causurinaeae Ulmaceae	used to attract grubs
Cissus	antartica	water vine	Vitaceae	edible berry, hoops used for climbing
Cissus	hypoglauca	5 leaf water vine	Vitaceae	water from vines
Citrus	australasica	finger lime	Rutaceae	edible fruit*
Commelina Commersonia	cyanea bartramia	scurvy weed brown kurrajong	Commelinaceae Sterculiaceae	medicinal medicinal, fibres used for nets, ropes
Cordyline	stricta	palm lily	Agavaceae	edible rhizome and fruit
Cordyline	petiolaris	broad leaf palm lilly	Agavaceae	ed. fruit/rhizome
Cryptocarya Cryptocarya Cryptocarya Cupaniopsis	foetida laevigata triplinervis anacardioides	stinking cryptocarya glossy laurel 3 veined laurel tuckeroo	Lauraceae Lauraceae Lauraceae Sapindcaeeae	*
Cyathea	cooperi	tree fern	Cyatheaacea	edible heart and fiddlehead
Davidsonia	jerseyana	Davidson's plum	Davidsoniaceae	*
Davidsonia	johnsoni	Davidson's plum	Davidsoniaceae	edible fruit
Dendrocnode	photinophylla	stinging tree	Urticaceae	bark used for fibre, nets. medicinal**
Dianella Diploglottis Diploglottis Dioscorea Diospyros	caerulea campbellii australis transversa australis	flax lily tamarind native tamarind native yam yellow persimmon	Phormiaceae Sapindaceae Sapindaceae Dioscoreaceae Ebenaceae	ed. fruit and root edible fruit/juice edible fruit/juice edible tubers edible fruit
Drypetes	australasica	yellow tulip	Euphorbiaceae	ed. fruit, wood for carving
Endiandra	discolor	rose walnut	Lauraceae	
Elaeocarpus	grandis	blue fig	Elaeocarpaceae	seeds used for

Elaeocarpus	obovatus	hard quandong	Elaeocarpaceae	decoration,ed.fruit
Erythrina	vespertilio	bat's wing	Fabaceae	bark for shields
Eucalyptus	saligna	sydney blue gum	Myrtaceae	
Eucalyptus	microcorys	tallowwood	Myrtaceae	
Eupomatia	laurina	bolwarra	Eupomatiace	edible fruit
Euroschinus	falcata	ribbon-wood	Anacardiaceae	edible fruit
Exocarpus	latifolius	native cherry	Santalaceae	edible fruit
Ficus	coronata	creek sand-	Moraceae	edible fruit
Ficus	fraserii	paper fig	Moraceae	medicinal,
		sandpaper fig		ed. fruit, sandpaper
				used for tools
Flagellaria	indica	whip vine	Flagellariacea	rope,netting
Flindersia	schottiana	cudgerie	Rutaceae	
Geitonoplesium	cymosum	scrambling lily	Philesiaceae	edible shoots
Glochidion	ferdinandi	cheese tree	Euphorbiaceae	
Glochidion	sumatranum	umbrella cheese tree	Euphorbiaceae	
Gmelina	leichardtii	white beech	Verbenaceae	
Grevillea	robusta	silky oak	Protaceae	edible nectar
Guioa	semiglauca	guioa	Sapindaceae	edible fruit*
Hibbertia	scandens	guinea vine		
Hibiscus	tiliaceus	cottonwood	Malvaceae	medicine,fibres
Hicksbeachia	pinnatifolia	bopple nut	Protaceae	edible fruit
Jagera	pseudorhus	foambark	Sapindaceae	fish poison**
Linospadix	monostachys	walking stick palm	Arecaceae	edible fruit / buds
Litsea	australis	brown bolly gum	Lauraceae	
Livonstona	australis	cabbage palm	Arecaceae	leaves for hats, nets,
				baskets. edible buds
Lomandra	longifolia	mat rush	Xanthorrcaea	edible seeds and leaf
Lomandra	hystrix	creek mat rush	Xanthorraceae	base
Lophostemon	confertus	brush box	Myrtaceae	leaves woven into
				bags,baskets
Macaranga	tanarius	macaranga	Euphorbiaceae	bark used as fibre
				trunks as fish spears
Macadamia	Tetraphylla	macadamia	Proteaceae	edible nut *
Maclura	Cochinchinensi	cockspur vine	Moraceae	spines used to remove
				thorns
Malaisia	scandens	burney vine	Moraceae	fibre for bags,nets
Mallotus	discolor	white kamala	Euphorbiaceae	used for dyes
Mallotus	philippensis	red kamala	Euphorbiaceae	dyes,medicinal oil
Melastoma	affine	native lasiandra	Melastomaceae	edible fruit
Melastoma	polyanthum	blue tongue	Melastomaceae	edible fruit

Melia Melicope Mischocarpus Morinda Notelaea Omalanthus	azedarach elleryana pyriformis jasminoides longifolia populifolius	white cedar pink euodia yellow pear fruit morinda mock olive bleeding heart	Meliaceae Rutaceae Sapindaceae Rubiaceae Oleaceae Euphorbiaceae	poisonous fruit**
Pandanus	tectorius	screw pine	Pandanaceae	poisonous seed, ** leaves for mats
Panicum Parsonsia Pentaceras	pygmeum straminea australis	pygmy panic grass silk pod vine crows ash	Gramineae Apocynaceae Rutaceae	
Pipterus Pittosporum	argenteus revolutum	native mulberry hairy pittosporum	Urticaeae Pittosporaceae	edible fruit bitter seeds, plant detergent edible fruit
Pittosporum	undulatum	sweet pittosporum	Pittosporaceae	edible fruit
Podocarpus Polyscias	elatus elegans	plum pine celery wood	Podocarpaceae Araliaceae	edible fruit&fruit stalk
Pouteria Pouteria Rapanea Rhodamnia	australis chartacea variabilis rubescens	black apple thin leaf coondoo muttonwood scrub turpentine	Sapotaceae Sapotaceae Myrsinaceae Myrtaceae	edible fruit edible fruit
Rhodomyrtus Rubus	psidioides hillii	native guava molucca bramble	Myrtaceae Rosaceae	edible fruit edible fruit
Rubus Smilax	rosifolius australis	native raspberry sarsaparilla	Rosaceae Smilacaceae	edible fruit raw fruit, stems used for firesticks, twine,fish poison eaten raw as a soporific
Sonchus	oleraceus	milk thistle- EXOTIC	Compositae	
Stenocarpus	sinuatus	firewheel tree	Proteaceae	
Stephania	japonica	snake vine	Menispermaceae	edible seed/root. bark used to make nets
Sterculia	quadrifida	peanut tree	Sterculiaceae	edible seeds* fibres made into nets
Symplocos Synoum	thwaitesii glandulosum	buff hazelwood scentless rosewood	Symplocaceae Meliaceae	
Syzygium Syzygium Syzygium Syzygium Syzygium Tinospora	luehmannia australe crebrinerve oleosum mooreii tinoporoides	riberry brush cherry purple cherry blue lillypilli coolamon arrowhead vine	Myrtaceae Myrtaceae Myrtaceae Myrtaceae Myrtaceae Menispermaceae	edible fruit edible fruit edible fruit edible fruit edible fruit medicinal

