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SPOTTED EAGLE OWL CONSERVATION PROJECT

Why Owl Conservation as a project?

- Owls are an important part of our country's eco-system.
- Living on a green belt, as we do, we have a responsibility to protect our environment for future generations and the rest of ours.
- Two studies conducted in America and Australia have suggested there is no such thing as "environmentally friendly rat poison" – the owls will still die from secondary poisoning despite manufacturers claims.
- Owls are great form of rat control as each owl consumes an estimated 1000 rates per year
- Lets face it, one of our best attributes as a neighbourhood is hearing our owls at night
- The boxes create a "home" for the owls and attract them to our area – all we need to do is spot them! So take a snap and put it on the community whatsapp group when they decide to join us.

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There are 4 owl boxes planted in our suburb’s beautiful trees – can you find them all?

Each tree has a different sign with a special fact about The Spotted Eagle Owl which graces our area.

Where can we read more ?

- https://theconversation.com/rat-poison-is-killing-our-beloved-native-owls-and-tawny-frogmouths-and-thats-the-tip-of-the-iceberg-212184
- https://www.news24.com/news24/rat-poison-killing-pe-owls-20120124
- https://raptorsarethesolution.org/tracking-poisons/rodenticides-that-kill/
- www.Ecosolutions.co.za
- https://ecosolutions.co.za/township-owl-box-project

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- This project was made possible by the LNRA

- The LNRA is made up of members of the community who are your neighbours and we do this for the love of the neighbourhood. Help us help each other and please contribute to the LNRA.

- It’s the only way to get projects like these done!

- The project was donated by an anonymous donor within the LNRA’s area

