

12. Turn right on the next road to see, on your left, **Grevillea 'Sid Reynolds'** which arose as a seedling in the garden of Sid Reynolds and is thought to be a hybrid between *G. pinaster* and *G. commutata* (photo below left). This shrub has fine green foliage and red and yellow spider flowers.



13. On your right is **Banksia neoanglica**, or New England Banksia, with silver-backed dark green foliage and upright gold flowers (photo above right). This shrub is native to the eastern tablelands of Queensland and NSW.

14. Down to your left is **Stenocarpus sinuatus**, or Fire Wheel Tree, a tall tree with leathery, lobed dark green leaves and bright red 'wheel' flowers (photo below left). This plant is native to the coastal rainforest regions of NSW and Queensland north of Nambucca River.



15. Also on your left is **Banksia ericifolia 'Red Clusters'**, a small tree with green, heath-like foliage and very large orange-red flowers (photo above right).

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Today we will walk from the Visitor Centre, up the hill behind the café, along the road above the Rock Garden, then return towards the café



1. After you leave the Visitor Centre, on your left is **Epacris longiflora 'Nectar Pink'**, a very floriferous shrub covered in slender pink bells with white tips (photo above).

2. On your right is **Acacia beckleri**, or Barrier Range Wattle, with hard, elliptical grey-green foliage and yellow ball flowers on stalks (photo next page top left). This plant is native to the Barrier Range of NSW, near Cobar and Jerilderie.

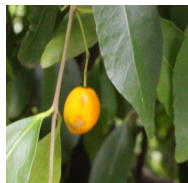




3. Also on your right is **Correa 'Canberra Bells'**, normally a small spreading bush with red bells with white tips but here is growing up through other bushes (photo above right). This plant was bred by local plant breeder Peter Ollerenshaw to mark the Centenary of Canberra in 2013.



4. Bear left up the hill behind the café, to see on your left **Elaeodendron australe var. australe**, or Red Olive Berry, a small tree with reddish orange fruits and shiny green leaves (photo above). This plant is native to the east coast from Moruya in southern NSW to the central coast of Queensland.



5. On your right is **Elaeodendron australe var. integrifolium**, or Narrow-leaved Red Olive Plum, native to central-eastern Queensland and as far south as Narrabi, NSW. with weeping foliage and green berries which ripen to red-orange (photo above). This plant is distinguished from the other variety in this species, *E. australe var. australe*, by the narrower leaves.

6. Turn right along the road above the Rock Garden to see, on your right, **Grevillea 'Mason's Hybrid'**, a spreading bush with large spider blooms of pink, red and orange (photo below).



7. On your left is **Acacia parvipinnula**, or Silver Stemmed Wattle, a tree with dark green, ferny foliage and pale yellow, scented ball flowers (photo below). This wattle is native to central eastern New South Wales.



8. Also on your left is **Acacia dangarensis**, a small tree with dense, frond-like phyllodes endemic to NSW and confined to the summit and surrounding slopes of Mount Dangar south of Merriwa, within Goulburn River National Park (photo below). The total population size of this endangered wattle is estimated to be about 1750 plants.



9. On your right is **Hakea nodosa**, or Yellow Hakea, a shrub with yellow flowers and green needle-shaped leaves, native to southeastern South Australia, Victoria and northeastern Tasmania in swampy areas and heath (photo below).



10. Also on your right is **Hakea drupacea** commonly known as Sweet Hakea, an open tree or shrub with green, sharp-pointed leaves and white pincushion flowers (photo below). This plant is native to southwestern Western Australia.



11. Turn right downhill to see on your right **Grevillea tripartita subsp. macrostylis**, an open, rangy plant with dark green, prickly, three lobed foliage and large single red and cream flowers with long showy red styles. (photo below) This plant is native to southern Western Australia, near Esperance.

