

New book showcases Redwood Park wildlife



BOOK LAUNCH: Redwood Park by Charles Dove is a photographic journey of some of the inhabitants in the park.
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CHARLES Dove is a talented wildlife photographer with a long association with Toowoomba.

With the assistance of local helpers, he has put together a whimsical pictorial record of species found in Toowoomba's Redwood Park.

“The Redwood Park book that I have just completed was inspired by a young lady, who as a child, with her mother, walked in the park enjoying many moments of happy times with the residents,” Mr Dove said.

“It is a photographic journey to let readers meet some of the inhabitants that reside in the park.”

Mr Dove said the book is not intended to be a field guide or a scientific book but is a picture/story book that is suitable for the whole family, from the young to the old.

“The images in these pages represent what you might see in any one year, but not necessarily every year,” he said.

“Most of the images were photographed in Redwood Park but not all.

“Photographs were chosen to give the reader the optimal visual representation for each species.”

A book launch will take place at St Lukes Church Hall, corner Ruthven and Herries Streets on Wednesday, December 15, at 6.30pm.

Ann Alcock, Mick Attenzi and Kay Krenske will read stories from the book.

Copies of the book are available by phoning 0417 422 302.