

# Ringtail Tally Results Autumn 2022

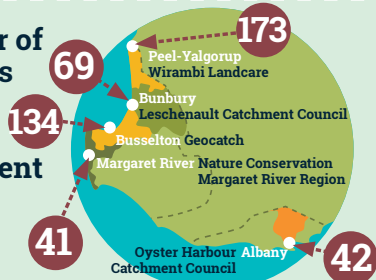
A survey of nguraren (*nah-ren*), western ringtail possum.  
A snapshot of results **April-May**



## Where we saw ringtails



## Number of ringtails seen in each catchment



**4** sites were observed with young

**90%**

of 22 sites had ringtails!

**161** possum sightings of which **41** were identified as different individuals



a total of **34 hours** were spent looking out for possums, across **118** evening surveys



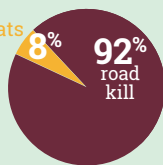
**10%** of reports of ringtails feeding were in peppermint trees

**2.8** average number seen during a survey



**22** residents took part in the Tally

of **14** Cats, **8%** reported deaths (seen this year), **92%** were due to road kills, **8%** were due to cats.



## Did you know?

The nguraren (*nah-ren*) was declared critically endangered in 2017.

## Conservation: How can we help?



To protect our ringtails, keep cats and dogs inside at night at a minimum, protect your peppermint, marri and jarrah trees, plant native gardens and drive carefully at night.

## Missed the tally?

Send any sighting info to [fauna@dbca.wa.gov.au](mailto:fauna@dbca.wa.gov.au) where your important data will be added to the western ringtail possum database or participate in the next possum tally.

**NEXT SURVEY:** Keep an eye out for our 2023 Autumn Survey online at [www.natureconservation.org.au](http://www.natureconservation.org.au) or contact Nature Conservation on 9757 2202 or [info@natureconservation.org.au](mailto:info@natureconservation.org.au)



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