



## MEDIA RELEASE

### Twilight Night at the Territory Wildlife Park

The Territory Wildlife Park (TWP) at Berry Springs is set to keep open its doors after dark this Saturday night.

TWP Manager Stuart Traynor said the *Twilight Night* had been planned so people could see the park “in a very different light”, with gates closing at 9pm, three hours later than normal.

“The bush takes on a different look and feel once the sun goes down,” Mr Traynor said.

“We want to give visitors to TWP the opportunity to see some of the creatures that emerge after sunset, be able to gaze up at the stars, away from the city lights and experience the sounds of the night.

“The café will be open for al fresco dining and we will have a violinist and harpist playing while people dine.

”There will also be a singer/guitarist camped by the TWP billabong singing bush ballads around the campfire.

“We will also have a telescope set up on the Woollybutts lawn with a visiting astronomer on hand to answer questions.”

Mr Traynor said exhibits at the Nocturnal House, Aquarium and Billabong areas will all be open although some other areas will have be closed for safety reasons.

He said guides will be stationed at each of the exhibits to provide “creature features” and answer any visitor questions.

“Plus, it’s a bit of fun riding on the park’s commuter trains at night,” Mr Traynor said.

“*Twilight Night* is a chance for locals to have a ‘*night out with a difference*’ and enjoy their park after dark.”

Territorians who haven’t already done so can still obtain a Territorian Pass to TWP, giving them 12 months entry to the popular attraction.

The Park will remain open until 9.00pm.

Ends

**Media Note – For more information contact Stuart Traynor on 0401 115 754**

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