

The individual Grant applied for a Brinsea Intensive Care Unit /Humidicrib which was transferred to the South Coast branch due to volunteer changes, with S. Cornell leaving our group.



A second 2022 NWC Grant to the group has enabled the purchase of a second Brinsea Unit for the North Coast team.



Thank You NWC

Individual Grant

An extraordinary event has just happened where a green turtle laid 120 eggs on a Wollongong beach; way out of season and with little chance of surviving the colder weather.

Under the Authority of NSW NPWS and the guidance of TurtleWatch, our Citizen Science project, the eggs were carefully dug up and transferred to our new Brinsea ICU where they will be monitored and cared for over the next 80 days.

Without this humidicrib ASTR would have been in a difficult position Here is one tray in its happy warm place where we have the perfect view.

Group Grant

Attached to an inverter in our rescue vehicle, this ICU enables sick birds – especially in the colder months - to be placed immediately into a warm transport environment.

We hope to increase this type of rescue equipment so that they can be easily accessed by many rescuers along the NSW coast.

In the meantime it is being put to use as an intensive care unit; I have taken a bird home in to be cared for during an intensive care phase.

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