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The badge showcases the spectacular flowers of *Banksia cuneata*, also known as the matchstick banksia. This species has been listed as Threatened, with a ranking of Endangered, as it has been found in only a handful of locations around the Western Australian wheatbelt region.

Matchstick banksia grows as a shrub or small tree to about four metres in height and has small, dark green, prickly cuneate (wedge-shaped) leaves. The species flowers in spring through to early summer, with the matchstick shaped pink and green flowers attracting many bird species.

It recently featured in the 2023-24 summer edition of *LANDSCOPE* magazine which is available at newsagents or online at shop.dbca.wa.gov.au/

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150 hours service in 2023-24.**