ARBOR DAY

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The woodlands of Western Australia's Wheatbelt are rich in biological diversity. Powderbark wandoo stands (main photo) are habitat for (insets from top) sandalwood, red-tailed black cockatoos and red-tailed phascogales. Today, these habitats are at risk from land and water degradation, particularly salinity.

But through initiatives such as on-farm tree crops, fox control, re-establishing native species and protecting areas of remnant vegetation, the Department of Conservation and Land Management, together with other Government agencies, local catchment care groups, private companies and individual landowners, is restoring nature's balance for the benefit of future generations.

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A DAY OF TREES

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