

Life As A Bandicoot

It had been a long summer and the Bandicoot family had just finished finding their food. They built their house and collected sticks. They went into the farmer's house and stole bits of cloth and other things for their house. They also found some food. It looked like a rat had left some food for them.

Little Billy Bandicoot went to the wildlife corridor to make some friends. He made lots of friends. He made some friends with wallabies, rats and owls. He also met the rat that left the food in the house. Then a feral pig came running out of the cane. Billy ran and ran. He ran as fast as he could run. He just got home in time and shut the door. Miss Bandicoot quickly got a towel and wrapped it around him. It was time to go to sleep.

Suddenly they woke up with a start. There was a rumbling sound which got louder and louder. Mum said, "Get some clothes and food." Then they ran for their life. They all ran and ran into the next cane field. Just then a wallaby came and said, "Climb on my back. I'll take you away." So they climbed on the wallaby, and jumped away just in time.

They lived with the wallaby for a week, and had great fun. One night, when they were walking in the trash, they saw the farmer light the trash. Soon it became a big fire. The owl flew down and picked them up and took them to the wildlife corridor.

After a while they found a house in a tree in the wildlife corridor. They collected food and items for their house. They finally settled in to their new habitat. They lived happily ever after.

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