

This space is for your imagination!

Draw your own creatures inspired by Tai Snaith's illustrations.

Wonders Under the Sun and Moon

Tai Snaith

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Celebrating wondrous diurnal and nocturnal creatures from all over the world. Tai Snaith's illustrations from her last two published books come alive in a new exhibition of original creations.

Let's explore some key ideas from Tai's artworks!

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Shirley Burke Theatre, Parkdale

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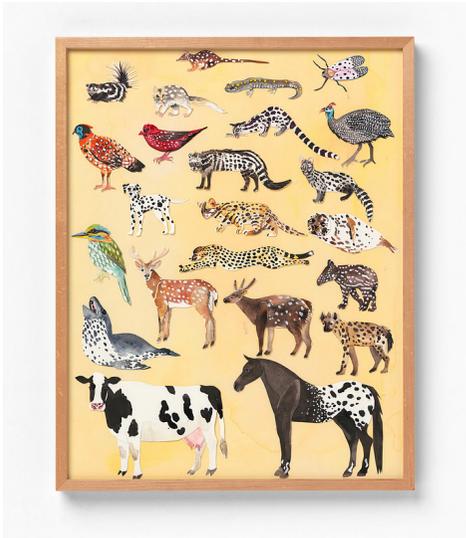
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Front cover/Page 1: Tai Snaith, *Wonders Under the Sun* (detail), watercolour collage on paper.

Page 2: Tai Snaith, *Spotted Bottoms*, framed original from *Hierarchy of Needs* for Bayside gallery, 2023 and *Swingers and Clingers* (detail) from *Hierarchy of Needs* at Hyphen Wodonga Library exhibition, 2024, watercolour collage on paper.

Page 3: Tai Snaith, *Wonders Under the Sun* (detail), watercolour collage on paper and *Pollinators diorama* for *Hierarchy of Needs*, Bayside gallery, 2023.

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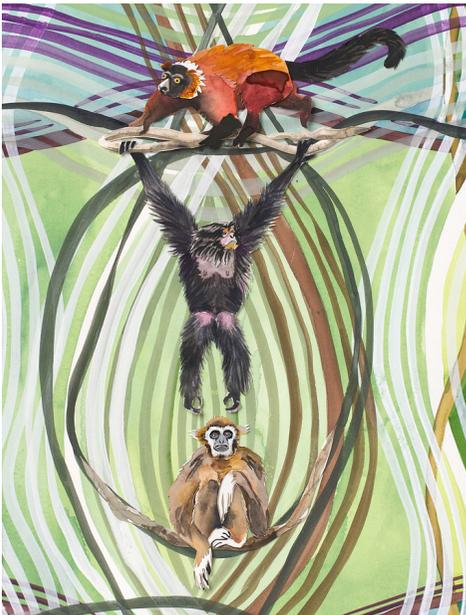


Artist Tai Snaithe has recreated a wondrous natural ecosystem to bring the outdoors into the gallery.

Creatures great and small are juxtaposed side by side, creating new and unexpected connections. Who would've thought a beetle, cheetah, seal and deer all have something in common with their spotty bottoms?

What other group names can you think of and what animals would you include in them?

Fantastical animals



Think about all the qualities that make up your personality, all the quirks that make you, you.

Are you a strong bear, maybe also a joyful dolphin? Perhaps a horse running free, a vocal frog as well as a playful monkey?

Combine more than one feature to create a fantastical animal that is uniquely you, what do you look like?

Kingston open spaces



The City of Kingston provides natural habitats for a variety of plant and animal life across 13 kilometres of coastline as well as creeks, waterways, lakes and wetlands, parks and reserves.

Discover Kingston's open spaces as a volunteer! Join a working bee or become a citizen scientist, find out more at:

kingston.vic.gov.au/environment/sustainability/discover-nature

*parental consent and/or supervision may be required

Caring for our natural ecosystems



As our world becomes further developed and urbanised, every small thing we do will have an impact. Here are some positive ways we can make more space for nature in our lives:

- ✓ Put out water for thirsty animals
- ✓ Plant native flowering plants
- ✓ Reuse and recycle paper products

Can you think of more things you could do as part of your daily life?

Did you know that Kingston's free program, Gardens for Wildlife, can help you develop wildlife friendly habits in your garden?