

Organ Pipes bat report, Aug 2011 part 4



I went off to Main Flat to install three more Glider boxes at the north end, SG6 near bat box C4, and SG5 and SG4 just south of bat box C32. I checked the ones installed a fortnight ago and there was no sign of usage yet. I won't install any more boxes until these six show evidence of use by Gliders.



Peeked into old glider box 6 which is lidless and found the same Ringtail as was sleeping there last time – a real Rip van Winkle.



Peeked into a couple of the old glider boxes and in box 2 found a female with suckling young in a eucalypt leaf nest



Enlargement of the suckling infant glider

Left the park at 1:30. Angela was distributing survey questionnaires in the car park. Terry and Robert Irvine were on their way down to the river flat to install Kevin Jones' big and heavy multi-compartmented bat box.