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# Williams Park, Highfields

Plant list compiled by the Condamine Country Group  
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Scientific name	Common name	Location in park
<b>LARGE TREES</b>		
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	Soap Ash	After bridge
<i>Angophora floribunda</i>	Rough-Barked Applegum	After bridge
<i>Brachychiton populneus</i>	Kurrajong	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Eucalyptus pilularis</i>	Blackbutt	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs <i>Only seen towards northern end of park</i>
<i>Eucalyptus saligna</i>	Sydney Blue Gum	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<i>Eucalyptus sp</i>	Stringybark	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs <i>Most likely to be eugenioides, but acmenoides/helidonica has been suggested. Ripe, opened seed capsules needed to identify firmly.</i>
<i>Grevillea robusta</i>	Silky Oak	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Melia azedarach</i>	White Cedar	Seen from stairs
<i>Melicope micrococca</i>	White Doughwood	After bridge
<i>Streblus brunonianus</i>	Whalebone Tree	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Toona ciliata seedlings</i>	Red Cedar	Out of sight of bridge
<b>SMALL TREES</b>		
<i>Acacia implexa</i>	Lightwood	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Acacia irrorata</i>	Green Wattle	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Acacia pustula</i>	Possum Blossom Wattle	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<i>Alectryon diversifolius</i>	Scrub Boonaree	After bridge
<i>Auranticarpa rhombifolia</i>	Golden Hollywood	After bridge
<i>Cupaniopsis parvifolia</i>	Scrub Tuckeroo	After bridge
<i>Denhamia bilocularis</i>	Hedge Orangebark	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Exocarpus cupressiformis</i>	Cherry Ballart	Track on right bank of the creek, after crossing Reis Rd
<i>Ficus coronata</i>	Creek Sandpaper Fig	After bridge
<i>Geijera salicifolia</i>	Scrub Wilga	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Hymenosporum flavum</i>	Native Frangipani	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Notelaea microcarpa</i>	Small-Fruited Mock-Olive	Seen from stairs
<i>Omalanthus populifolius</i>	Bleeding Heart	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Polyscias elegans</i>	Celerywood	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Psydrax odorata forma australiana</i>	Sweet Suzie	After bridge <i>Ants nests with mealy bugs. Ants are Muscleman Tree Ants, Podomyrma sp</i>
<b>PALMS</b>		
<i>Archontophoenix cunninghamiana</i>	Piccabeen Palm	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs

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<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Breynia	Track on right bank of creek, after crossing Reis Rd
<i>Clerodendrum tomentosum</i>	Hairy Lolly Bush	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<i>Eyrthroxyton Sp. Splyard Creek</i>	Redwood Bush	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Phyllanthus gunnii</i>	Shrubby Phyllanthus	Seen from stairs
<i>Pittosporum viscidum</i>	Bird Nest Bush	After bridge
<i>Trema tomentosum</i>	Trema	After bridge
<b>SMALL SHRUBS</b>		
<i>Denhamia silvestris</i>	Narrow-Leafed Orangebark	Seen from stairs
<i>Everistia vacciniifolia</i>	Everistia	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Ozothamnus diosmifolius</i>	Rice Flower	Track on right bank of creek, after crossing Reis Rd
<i>Pimelea neo-anglica</i>	Poison Pimelea	After bridge
<i>Solanum ellipticum</i>	Potato Bush	Track on right bank of creek, after crossing Reis Rd
<i>Solanum linearifolium</i>	Mountain Kangaroo Apple	From reis road bridge
<i>Solanum stelligerum</i>	Devil's Needles	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<i>Teucrium argutum</i>	Native Germander	Track on right bank of creek, after crossing Reis Rd
<i>Wikstroemia indica</i>	Bootlace Bush	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<b>VINES</b>		
<i>Causonis clemitidea Syn: Cayratia clematidea</i>	Slender Grape	Seen from stairs
<i>Celastrus subspicatus</i>	Staff Vine	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Clematis probably glycinoides</i>	Old Man's Beard	Seen from stairs
<i>Eustrephus latifolius</i>	Wombat Berry	Seen from stairs
<i>Jasminum dianthifolium Syn Jasminum suavissimum</i>	Sweet Jasminum	After bridge
<i>Jasminum didyymum subsp. racemosum</i>	Triple-Leaf Jasmine	Seen from stairs
<i>Pandorea jasminoides</i>	Bower Vine	Seen from stairs
<i>Pandorea pandorana</i>	Wonga Vine	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Parsonsia brisbanensis</i>	Brisbane Silkpod	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Parsonsia leichhardtii</i>	Lobed Silkpod	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Parsonsia straminea</i>	Monkey Rope	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Passiflora aurantia</i>	Native Red-Flowered Passionfruit	Seen from stairs
<i>Smilax australis</i>	Barb Wire Vine	After bridge
<i>Stephania japonica</i>	Tape Vine	Seen from stairs
<i>Trophis scandens?</i>	Burney Vine	After bridge
<i>Zehneria cunninghamii</i>	Slender Cucumber	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs

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<b>GROUND COVERS</b>		
<i>Commelina diffusa</i>	Spreading Dayflower	Seen from stairs
<i>Dichondra repens</i>	Kidney Plant	After bridge
<i>Galium leptogonium</i>	Rock Bedstraw	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Geranium solanderi</i>	Native Geranium	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Hydrocotyle laxiflora</i>	Stinking Pennywort	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Lobelia purpurea</i>	Whiteroot	After bridge
<i>Mentha satureoides</i> ( <i>Broad-leafed form</i> ).	Native Pennyroyal	Track on right bank of creek, after crossing Reis Rd
	This variant of <i>M. satureoides</i> has previously been widely misidentified in Qld as <i>M. diemenica</i> . True <i>M. diemenica</i> is a southern Australian plant with hairy branches and calyces, and flowers in groups of 3-8. <i>Mentha satureoides</i> has glabrous or almost glabrous branches and outer surface of calyx, flowers in groups of 3 only, and leaves rarely wider than 7mm.	
<i>Rubus parvifolius</i>	Pink-Flowered Raspberry	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Sigisbeckia orientalis</i>	Indian Weed	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Viola hederacea</i>	Ivy-Leaf Native Violet	Out of sight of bridge
<b>GRASSES</b>		
<i>Austrostipa ramisissima</i>	Stout Bamboo Grass	After bridge
<i>Austrostipa verticillata</i>	Slender Bamboo Grass	Seen from stairs
<i>Gahnia aspera</i>	Saw Sedge	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Long-Leaved Matrush	Seen from park in Cecil Crescent
<i>Oplismenus imbecillus</i>	Narrow-Leaf Basket Grass	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<b>FERNS</b>		
<i>Adiantum atroviride</i>	Maidenhair Fern	After bridge
<i>Adiantum hispidulum</i>	Five-Fingered Jack	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Blechnum neohollandicum</i> Syn <i>Doodia aspera</i>	Rasp Fern	Out of sight of bridge
<i>Blechnum rupestre</i> (?) Syn <i>Doodia caudata</i>	Small Raspfern	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Christella dentata</i>	Binung Fern	From Reis Road bridge
<i>Hypolepis muelleri</i>	Swamp Bracken Fern	From Reis Road bridge
	<i>Fern resembling bracken, on damp, flat ground in creek bed, best viewed from Reis Rd bridge.</i>	
<i>Platycterium bifurcatum</i> ( <i>baby</i> )	Elkhorn	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	Bracken Fern	Seen from stairs
	<i>very common on slopes above creek</i>	
<i>Sphaeropteris cooperi</i> Syn <i>Cyathea cooperi</i>	Coin Spot Treefern	Out of sight of bridge
<b>OTHER</b>		
<i>Alpinea caerulea</i>	Native Ginger	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Proiphys cunninghamii</i> ?	Brisbane Lily	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i> Syn <i>S. validus</i>	River Clubrush	After the pool by Mavis Crt stairs